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SET UP CSS FOR UTILITY BILLING CUSTOMERS

VISIT HTTPS://SELFSERVICE.ASHLAND.OR.US/MSS, OR VISIT ASHLAND.OR.US AND CLICK CUSTOMER CENTRAL ONLINE PAYMENT CENTER

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	City of Ashland Online Business Services	
Home	Welcome to the City of Ashland's Online Business Services Website	
Citizen Self Service	The City of Ashland is excited to introduce our new website.	
	Currently, this site provides the availability for Transient Occupancy Tax (Hotel/Motel) and Food a left to login to your account.	
	Options on this site will become available in stages so please check back as we launch additional utilitybilling@ashland.or.us or call us at (541) 488-6004. We are here to help!	

CLICK "CITIZEN SELF SERVICE", FOLLOWED BY "REGISTER"

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	Login
Home	Username
Citizen Self Service	Forgot your username?
	Password
	Forgot your password?
	Register Log in

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THEN FILL OUT THE BLANK SELF-REGISTRATION FIELDS WITH YOUR APPROPRIATE CREDENTIALS

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	Self-Registration	
Home Citizen Self Service	*User ID (between 1 and 100 characters)	ANY
	*Re-type user ID	ANY
	*Password (between 8 and 15 characters)	
	*Re-type password	
	*Password hint	HINT
	*Email address	CITIZEN@EMAIL.COM
		Enter these validation numbers into the box below them
		4388
		Save

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AFTER REGISTERING SUCCESSFULLY, YOU WILL BE DIRECTED TO THE ACCOUNT SETTINGS PAGE WHERE YOU WILL CLICK "LINK TO ACCOUNT" AT THE BOTTOM RIGHT OF THE PAGE. Account Settings

Account Information		
Now logged in as	GUEST123	
Last successful login	7/19/2018	
Last failed login	7/19/2018	
Password last changed	7/19/2018	
Password expires in	730 days Change Password	
E-Mail address	TRAVIS.REEDER@ASHLAND.OR.US Change E-Mail Address	
Linked Accounts		
Existing accounts can be "linked" to your a	self-service user id. These links give you quick access to an account's details, bills, etc. For each self-service module that allows user-control over account linking, mover will appear below. Click a module's "link to account" to reach the page where new account links can be created, and where additional instructions are	

Customer Accounts		link to account
There are currently no linked accounts		
Business License Accounts		link to account
There are currently no linked accounts		
Go To Module Homepage		
Utility Billing Accounts		link to account
Account	Customer	
There are currently no linked accounts		

Go To Module Homepage

provided.

THEN ENTER IN YOUR ACCOUNT NUMBER AND CUSTOMER NUMBER ON THE ACCOUNT LINK SETUP PAGE, AND CLICK SUBMIT.

Utility Billing Account Link Setup		
What is the account ID? *		
What is the CID? *		
	Submit	Cancel

* indicates required field

YOU WILL THEN BE DIRECTED BACK TO THE ACCOUNTS SETTINGS PAGE WHERE YOU CAN SEE YOUR NEWLY LINKED UTILITY ACCOUNT AT THE BOTTOM.

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CLICK ON THE HYPERLINKED ACCOUNT NUMBER AT THE BOTTOM LEFT CORNER TO BEGIN REVIEWING YOUR UTILITY ACCOUNT INFORMATION.

AUTOPAY SETUP FOR CUSTOMER SELF SERVICE

The City of Ashland strives to provide the utmost safety and security to our customer's sensitive data. We adhere to all Payment Card Industry (PCI) and Red Flag guidelines in regards to your financial information. To protect your sensitive data, we are not permitted under these regulations to import your previous automatic payment information into our new system.

In order for you to continue to participate in our automatic payment program, and for your payment to be processed, you will need to do the following:

• Register for an online billing account. Follow the steps below dependent on whether you are a **New User** or **Existing User**.

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• Enroll in Automatic Payments.

Remember, if you do not complete this online registration process, we will not be able to process your payment until you do so.

We appreciate your patience and understanding through this process. Please call us at (541) 488-6004 or email us at <u>utilitybilling@ashland.or.us</u> if you have any questions along the way.

New User

- **New user** (if you had not previously accessed your Utility Billing account online):
 - Begin by going to <u>www.ashland.or.us</u> and click on the link to **Customer Central**.
 - Click on the Citizen Self Service link, followed by the Register link.

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	Forgot your username?
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Citizen Self Service	Forgot your password?
	Register Log in

- o Complete the information on the Self-Registration page and click Save at the bottom
- You have now successfully created a Customer Central account!

Existing Users

- **Existing users** (you have previously accessed your Utility Billing account online):
 - Begin by going to <u>www.ashland.or.us</u> and click on the link to **Customer Central.**
 - Click the Citizen Self Service link and click Forgot Username? OR Forgot Password? This will allow you to send an email containing your Username or Password Hint to yourself.
 - After receiving the email containing the credentials you need to log in return to the Login page and enter your Username and Password.

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Enroll in Automatic Payments with a Bank Account

- First you must register for the new online billing system by following the previous instructions for either a **New User** or **Existing User**.
- Once you have logged in, click **Utility Billing** on the left side, below Miscellaneous Billing, and then **Accounts** below that.
- On the Utility Billing Accounts screen click the Link to Account button at the far right side Enter your Account Number and Customer Number, which can be found at the top of your utility statement) and click the Submit button.
- This will bring you to the Account Summary page. Click **Sign up for Automatic Payments** at the top.

Utility Billing

Account Summary

Link to Account Sign up for Automatic Payments Request Change of Address | Manage Bills

- You will take you to the Utility Billing Automatic Payments page where you need to fill in the blanks with your banking information, and then click **Continue** at the bottom to review the information you entered. **Submit** if correct, **Modify** if a change is needed.
- You are now enrolled in autopay!

Enroll in Automatic Payments with Visa or MasterCard

To set autopay up with a credit or debit card you will need to make a payment of any denomination with the card you would like to use, and you will be asked if you would like to set up autopay during the payment process.

- First you must register for the new online billing system by following the previous instructions for either a New User or Existing User, and link your utility account.
- Once you have logged in, click Utility Billing, followed by Accounts below that, and Pay Now in the center.
- Click Pay, and choose Pay by Credit Card.

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Pay Bills

Select Payment Method

Please choose from the payment options below.

Pay by Credit Card | Pay by eCheck | Cancel

- Enter in your billing information and click **Continue.**
- You will be taken to the Automatic Credit Card Payments screen, where you can click enroll on the right side of the screen to enroll in autopay using your credit card. Click Continue.
- On the Pay Bills screen verify the amount you would like to pay, or change it here. Click **Continue**.
- Finally, you will be asked to enter in your credit card information on the Payment Processing page, and click **Make Payment** to finalize autopay setup, and pay your utility bill.

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