

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 767 ESTABLISHING RATES FOR SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT & RECYCLING SERVICES FURNISHED BY THE CITY OF WAYNESVILLE; FIXING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, after careful review, the City staff has determined that the solid waste management and recycling service provided to its citizens has maintained the same rate since October 21st, 1993; and

WHEREAS, administrative costs to maintain customer accounts and to facilitate an ever-expanding recycling program have greatly increased over the past 26 years; and

WHEREAS, the City Council agrees that certain rate increases are needed in order to properly maintain the solid waste management and recycling service currently and into the future.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WAYNESVILLE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The following section of Ordinance #767 shall be amended to read as follows:

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- b. There is hereby imposed, for the collection, transportation and disposal of residential solid waste and recycling in the City of Waynesville, and for incidental expenses related thereto, a service charge, for each dwelling unit in the City of Waynesville (other than units which produce only commercial solid waste), shall be charge accordingly:
i. The following monthly rate TO BE EFFECTIVE WITH THE APRIL 2020 BILLING CYCLE, shall be charged for solid waste management and recycling services (other than commercial services): \$13.50, each billing period.
ii. The following monthly rate TO BE EFFECTIVE WITH THE APRIL 2021 BILLING CYCLE, shall be charged for solid waste management and recycling services (other than commercial services): \$14.50, each billing period.
iii. The following monthly rate TO BE EFFECTIVE WITH THE APRIL 2021 BILLING CYCLE, after a budget review regarding solid waste management may be charged for solid waste management and recycling services (other than commercial services): \$15.50, each billing period.

Section 2. Except to the extent amended by this ordinance, the provisions of Chapter 225 of the Municipal Code of the City of Waynesville shall remain in full force and effect and the definitions and other provisions contained in those Chapters shall be applicable to this ordinance.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect beginning with the April, 2020 billing cycle.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON THIS 20TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2020.

ATTEST: Michele L. Brown, City Clerk

Luge Hardman, Mayor

APPROVED by the Mayor on this 20TH Day of February, 2020.

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