

ORDINANCE NO. C-16-21

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 24, SOLID WASTE, SECTION 24-47, CHARGES GENERALLY, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, TO INCREASE THE SOLID WASTE RATE AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Fort Lauderdale (hereinafter "City") provides municipal solid waste collection and disposal services in furtherance of the health, safety and welfare of its residents; and

WHEREAS, the City's costs for providing solid waste collection and disposal services have increased since the last rate adjustment in October of 2001; and

WHEREAS, an increase in the schedule of rates and charges for garbage and trash collection, disposal and operating is necessary to offset the increased cost of provided the service;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. That Section 24 47 – Charges generally, Division 2. Rates and Charges, Chapter 24. – Solid Waste of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 24-47 – Charges Generally

There is hereby established and levied a schedule of rates and charges for garbage and trash collection, disposal, and operating costs, as follows:

- (1) *Sanitation cart pickup fee.* All single-family and multifamily residences of no more than three (3) living units, shall pay a monthly charge of ~~three dollars and sixty-seven cents (\$3.67)~~ three dollars and eighty-nine cents (\$3.89) for each sanitation cart issued. Commercial accounts and multifamily residences of more than (3) living units shall pay a monthly charge of ~~five dollars and fifty-one cents (\$5.51)~~ five dollars and eighty-four cents (\$5.84) for each sanitation cart issued; and

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- (2) *Disposal fee.* All single-family and multifamily residences of no more than three (3) living units, shall pay a monthly charge of ~~seventeen dollars and twenty-seven cents (\$17.27)~~ eighteen dollars and thirty-one cents (\$18.31) for each sanitation cart issued. Commercial accounts and multifamily residences of more than (3) living units shall pay a monthly charge of ~~twenty-five dollars and ninety-three cents (\$25.93)~~ twenty-seven dollars and forty-nine cents (\$27.49) for each sanitation cart issued; and
- (3) *Operating cost.* Single-family residences having one cart issued shall pay a monthly charge of ~~eight dollars and one cent (\$8.01)~~ eight dollars and forty-nine cents (\$8.49). Single-family residences having more than one cart issued and multifamily residences of no more than three (3) living units, shall pay a monthly charge of ~~nine dollars and fifty-nine cents (\$9.59)~~ ten dollars and seventeen cents (\$10.17) for each living unit at the account location. Commercial accounts and multifamily residences of more than three (3) living units shall pay a monthly charge of ~~nine dollars and forty cents (\$9.40)~~ nine dollars and ninety-six cents (\$9.96) for each sanitation cart issued.

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SECTION 2. That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect on October 1, 2016.

PASSED FIRST READING this the 7th day of September, 2016.

SECOND READING this the _____ day of _____, 2016.

Mayor
JOHN P. "JACK" SEILER

ATTEST:

City Clerk
JEFFREY A. MODARELLI

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