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Sponsor: Dan Spitale, Councilman at Large Dave Woerpel, 5th District Councilman

ordinance no. <u>9632</u>

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBERS 4686, 4695, 4770, AND 9619, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS §94.041 GARBAGE COLLECTION FEES OF THE CITY OF HAMMOND MUNICPAL CODE

WHEREAS, pursuant to Indiana Code 36-4-6-18, the Common Council of the City of Hammond may pass ordinances for the governance of the City, which includes establishing fees for certain City services charged to the residents of Hammond; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hammond has steadily maintained the cost of garbage collection for its residents with the last increase being approximately ten years ago; and

WHEREAS, due to increasing costs within the waste management industry and decreasing available funds to provide this City service, the Common Council now finds it necessary to amend the garbage collection fees; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Common Council of the City of Hammond, in the exercise of their powers, that Section 94.041(A)(1) of Title IX of the Hammond Municipal Code be amended as follows:

GARBAGE COLLECTION

§94.041 FEES.

- (A) The fees for garbage collection shall be as set forth below.
 - (1) Collection from residential building units. The current fee for collection of garbage and rubbish is \$26 per month. Any future changes to this fee shall be made by the Common Council.

THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any part of this ordinance shall be held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder thereof shall not be affected.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Common Council, that all other provisions of the Hammond Municipal Code remain unchanged and enforceable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Common Council, that this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon signing by the President of the Common Council and approval by the Mayor, and Publication as provided by law.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED BY the Common Council of the City of Hammond, Indiana, this 22mday of _______, 2024.

> Scott Rakos, President Hammond Common Council

ATTEST:

Robert J. Golec, City Clerk City of Hammond, Indiana

PRESENTED BY ME, the undersigned City Clerk of the City of Hammond, Indiana, to the Mayor, for approval and signature, this 23 day of _____

> Robert J. Golec, City Clerk City of Hammond, Indiana

The foregoing Ordinance No. <u>9632</u> consisting of three (3) typewritten pages, including this page, was APPROVED AND SIGNED BY ME, the undersigned Mayor of the City of Hammond, Indiana, this Z42 day of , 2024.

Thomas M. McDermott, Jr., Mayor

City of Hammond, Indiana

PASSED Approved	by the Common Council on the 22nd day of 10nd , 2024 and by the Mayor on the 24 day of 10nd , 2024.
	Robert J. Golec, City Clerk,
	Hammond, Indiana