

RECORD OF ORDINANCES

Ordinance No. 2019-20

November 25, 2019

CITY OF BELLBROOK, OHIO

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AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 1060 OF THE BELLBROOK MUNICIPAL CODE TO INCREASE RATES CHARGED FOR REFUSE COLLECTION.

WHEREAS, the City of Bellbrook currently charges residents \$14.00 per month for normal refuse collection; and

WHEREAS, the City of Bellbrook has completed a review of current and future expenditures related to the Waste Collection Fund; and

WHEREAS, the City of Bellbrook Waste Collection Fund has been operating at a deficit and decreasing reserves; and

WHEREAS, the City of Bellbrook wishes to bring revenues in line with expenditures and must increase rates in order to do so; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 1060 of the Bellbrook Municipal Code needs to be amended in order to increase rates by \$1.50 per customer to \$15.50 per month.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF BELLBROOK HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. That the following amendment to Chapter 1060 of the Bellbrook Municipal Code be approved with deletions shown by brackets and strikethrough and additions shown by italics and underlined:

§ 1060.05 is hereby amended as follows:

Effective ~~January 1, 2019~~ January 1, 2020, there is established a monthly charge of ~~fourteen dollars (\$14.00)~~ fifteen dollars and fifty cents (\$15.50) for normal refuse collection within the City. All utility bill payments shall be applied first to refuse charges and any remaining amount shall be applied to water charges. Said refuse charge shall be paid by the occupant of each occupied single-family residence and by each occupant of a multifamily residence not covered by a commercial contract pursuant to Section 1060.04(a). Each operator of a business which generates a normal amount of refuse shall pay the normal collection charge, unless other arrangements are made pursuant to Section 1060.04(a). Each operator of a business which generates refuse in excess of the normal amount shall make arrangements for commercial collection in accordance with the provisions of these Codified Ordinances. Any residential user of the refuse collection service who generates refuse in excess of the normal amount shall pay a surcharge equal to the actual cost of collecting such excess. For the purposes of this section a

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normal amount of refuse shall mean a weekly accumulation which is capable of being contained in ten or fewer thirty-gallon containers, exclusive of yard waste such as grass, leaves or brush.

Section 2. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period provided by law.

PASSED this ____ day of _____, 2019.

Michael W. Schweller, Mayor

ATTEST:

Pamela Timmons, Clerk of Council

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Stephen M. McHugh, Municipal Attorney