

CITY AND BOROUGH OF WRANGELL, ALASKA
ORDINANCE NO. 968

AN ORDINANCE OF THE ASSEMBLY OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF WRANGELL, ALASKA, REPEALING SECTION 15.18.070, COLLECTION OR DISPOSAL FEES, IN ITS ENTIRETY AND ESTABLISHING A NEW PROCESS FOR FEES IN CHAPTER 15.18 GARBAGE OF THE WRANGELL MUNICIPAL CODE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE CITY AND BOROUGH OF WRANGELL, ALASKA:

[The changes to the existing code are shown as follows: the words that are underlined are to be added and the words that are bolded and in brackets are to be deleted.]

SEC. 1. Action. The purpose of this ordinance is to amend Section 15.18.070 of the Wrangell Municipal Code to authorize the Assembly to establish fees by resolution for the collection or disposal of Monthly Refuse Collection or Disposal Rates in the Public Works Department.

SEC. 2. Repeal & Reenactment. Section 15.18.070 of the Wrangell Municipal Code is hereby repealed in its entirety and reenacted as follows:

15.18.070 Collection or disposal fees.

The assembly shall, by resolution, establish fees for the collection or disposal of Monthly Refuse Collection or Disposal Rates in the Public Works Department. A Public Hearing shall be required on the resolution that establishes such fees.

A. Every owner, occupant, liveaboard, tenant or lessee within the borough's garbage collection service area shall receive refuse pickup service and shall pay such fees as are set forth **[in this section]** by resolution unless waiver of service is authorized by the borough manager or **[his]** the authorized agent, after special investigation of conditions upon which the waiver is requested.

B. Residential service shall consist of the removal of refuse substances, as defined in this chapter, in containers approved by the borough manager or **[his]** the authorized agent, **[weighing with contents when full not over 55 pounds, or the equivalent thereof,]** once weekly.

C. The borough manager shall have the authority to waive any fees as established by resolution by the assembly for a period of up to two weeks during community clean-up projects.

D. All customers shall be billed based on the charges as set forth in the fee schedule, as established by resolution by the assembly.

E. Interest will be charged to all delinquent accounts in accordance with the rates set forth in AS 45.45.010. Delinquency shall occur after the twentieth day of the month.

SEC. 3. Severability. If any provision of this ordinance, or any application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the remainder of this ordinance and the application to all other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

SEC. 4. Classification. This ordinance is of a permanent nature and shall be codified in the Wrangell Municipal Code.

SEC. 5. Effective Date. This ordinance shall be effective upon adoption.

PASSED IN FIRST READING: July 23, 2019

POSTPONED IN SECOND READING: August 27, 2019

PASSED IN THIRD READING: September 10, 2019


Patricia Gilbert, Vice-Mayor

ATTEST: 
Aleisha Mollen, Deputy Clerk



Yes:	<u>4</u>
No:	<u>0</u>
Absent:	<u>3</u>
Abstaining:	<u>0</u>