

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**RESOLUTION TO ADOPT FEE INCREASES ADMINISTERED
BY THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND
ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES FOR FY 2018**

WHEREAS, under Section 2.07 of the City Charter, City Council has the authority to establish fees to be charged for services provided by the City; and

WHEREAS, under City Code Section 5-1-34(a), City Council is required, from time to time, to set by resolution the annual fee that is to be paid by the owners of “required user property,” as defined in Section 5-1-2(12b) of the City Code, for the City’s collection and disposal of solid waste, ashes, recyclable materials, and yard debris from their properties on a fiscal year basis; and

WHEREAS, in Resolution No. 2723, adopted May 5, 2016, City Council set the annual fee for such collection and disposal services at \$363.00; and

WHEREAS, City Council has now determined that it is necessary and desirable to increase the annual fee for such collection and disposal services.

WHEREAS, under Section 2.07 of the City Charter, City Council has the authority to establish fees to be charged for services provided by the City; and

WHEREAS, under City Code Section 3-1-8(a), except as otherwise expressly provided in this code or in the zoning ordinance, all fees and charges for applications submitted to; for permits and approvals issued by, and for activities, programs and services provided by, the City of Alexandria shall be established by resolution of the City Council.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA**

1. That, beginning in fiscal year 2018, the annual charge for the collection and disposal of solid waste, ashes, recyclable materials, and yard debris from required user properties shall be \$373.00 per household, with each single-family, two-family and row dwelling in the City, and each separate dwelling unit in a building or structure in the city that contains four or fewer dwelling units, constituting a “household.”

2. That the annual fee established in Section 1 above shall apply, unless and until revised by City Council, to such services provided during subsequent fiscal years.

3. That, beginning in fiscal year 2018, the fee for the collection and disposal of solid waste for commercial properties shall be \$373.00 per unit of service per year, the fee for leaf mulch delivery shall be \$65.00 per load, the fee for noise permits for construction variances shall be \$75.00, and the fee for noise permits for music amplification variances shall be \$25.00.

4. That the fees established in Section 3 above shall apply, unless and until revised by the City Council, to such services provided during subsequent fiscal years.

5. To the extent that these rates differ from those in Resolutions 2279, 2555, and 2723, those provisions of Resolutions 2279, 2555, and 2723 are hereby repealed.

6. That this resolution shall be effective July 1, 2017.

ADOPTED:

ALLISON SILBERBERG
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Jacqueline M. Henderson, MMC City Clerk