

RESOLUTION No. 2022–

RELATIVE TO ADOPTION OF USER FEES FOR THE RECYCLING AND REFUSE PROGRAM FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023

BY:

Council Chairman John Spanbauer
Council Member Traci Bax
Council Member Kenny Tompkins

WHEREAS, Local Law #3 for the year 2019, a Local Law to amend the Niagara Falls City Charter as amended by adding Section 10.37, entitled “Taxation and Assessment”, which was adopted by City Council on November 21, 2019 and was received and filed by the New York State Department of State on December 10, 2019; and

WHEREAS, Subsection 10.37 (A) (2) of 10.37 of the Charter requires the City Controller make an estimate of user fees and probable revenues to be received by the City for Recycling and Refuse during the current fiscal year and estimate the amount necessary to pay the expenses for the Recycling and Refuse program for the succeeding fiscal year; and

WHEREAS, the City Controller provided the required information relating to recycling and refuse user fees and revenues to the City Council; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to subsection 10.37 (A) (2), the City Council convened a public hearing on November 2, 2022, where taxpayers had the opportunity to be heard in reference thereto; and

WHEREAS, after such hearing, the Council has considered such user fees and estimates and shall adopt such estimates so submitted to it, add items thereto, or increase, diminish or reject any item therein contained, except such as relates to City indebtedness; and

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WHEREAS, the City Council shall now adopt the user fees and estimates as thus amended.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Niagara Falls, New York, pursuant to Section 10.37 of the City Charter, hereby adopts the recycling and refuse user fees attached hereto, as the same are necessary to pay the expenses for the City's Recycling and Refuse Program for fiscal year 2023; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that it is hereby directed that the adopted sums attached hereto be entered at large in the City Council meeting minutes and published proceedings by the City Clerk.