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ORDINANCE NO.15-16

**AN ORDINANCE REPEALING AND REVISING ORD. 80-11 AND SECTION 945.031 OF THE CITY OF JACKSON CODE OF ORDINANCES SO AS TO INCREASE THE GARBAGE COLLECTION RATES FOR SENIOR CITIZENS WITHIN AND OUTSIDE THE CITY LIMITS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

WHEREAS, Section 945.031 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Jackson presently sets to the rates for garbage collection for senior citizens; and

WHEREAS, the legislative authority of the City of Jackson has found it necessary to increase those rates and that the increase is required for the protection of the health, safety and welfare of the City and its residents; and

WHEREAS, the current language in Section 945.031 of the Jackson City Code must be amended to remove that language which is stricken, as shown in Exhibit "A" hereto, and to include that language which is underlined.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY OF THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE CITY OF JACKSON, OHIO THAT THE FOLLOWING BE AN ORDINANCE GOVERNING GARBAGE COLLECTION RATES WITH THOSE UNDERLINED PORTIONS SHOWING THE AMENDMENTS TO THE ORIGINAL LANGUAGE AND THAT IT BE NUMBERED AS SECTION 945.031 AND REPLACED WITHIN THE JACKSON CITY CODE, IN REGULAR TEXT, AS SET FORTH IN EXHIBIT "A" ATTACHED HERETO AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to adoption of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and the deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in a meeting open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Legislative Authority of the Political Subdivision on this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2016.

  
President of Council

ATTEST:

  
Clerk of the Legislative Authority

Approved this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2016.

  
Mayor

## EXHIBIT A

### 945.031 SENIOR CITIZEN DISCOUNT RATE FOR GARBAGE COLLECTION.

(a) A discounted garbage rate is hereby established for residential customers, whether residing inside or outside the City, who are:

- (1) At least sixty-two years of age and
- (2) Who do not reside with anyone under the age of sixty-two years of age.

(b) The rate for the collection of garbage and refuse for senior citizens is as follows:

<u>Beginning Date</u>	<u>Rate Per Month per Residential customer:</u>
	<u>(within City limits)</u>
<del>March 1, 2012</del> <u>May 1, 2016</u>	<del>\$10.00</del> <u>13.00</u>
January 1, 2013 <u>2017</u>	<del>\$11.00</del> <u>13.50</u>
January 1, 2014 <u>2018</u>	<del>\$12.00</del> <u>14.00</u>
	<u>(outside City limits)</u>
<del>March 1, 2012</del> <u>May 1, 2016</u>	<del>\$11.00</del> <u>15.00</u>
January 1, 2013 <u>2017</u>	<del>\$12.50</del> <u>15.50</u>
January 1, 2014 <u>2018</u>	<del>\$14.00</del> <u>16.00</u>

(c) Eligible customers must request and complete an application for the discount from the City Utilities Office. The Utilities Superintendent shall determine eligibility and notify customers who are deemed to be ineligible for the discount.