

ORDINANCE NO. 845

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 7, CHAPTER 16 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO, 1962 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO:

1. That Section 7, Chapter 16 of the Code of the City of Roswell, New Mexico, be, and the same hereby is, amended to read as follows, to-wit:

Section 16-7. Same - Rates.

(a) Residential. The collection of garbage and refuse from houses, buildings and premises for residential purposes shall be divided into five classes according to the family unit therein. The City Clerk shall collect these garbage fees either through the water department as a separate item on each water bill, or by any other practicable means of collection. Collection fees shall be assessed against the person in whose name the water meter is listed. Fair and reasonable charges for such residential service shall be as hereinafter shown in dollars and cents for each classification for a calendar month as follows:

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| Class 1. | Single family residence. | \$2.25 |
| Class 2. | Duplex apartment (where containers are centrally located at the same site), each apartment | 2.25 |
| Class 3. | Garage apartment or other accessory dwellings, each. | 2.25 |
| Class 4. | Group housing (three or more houses or dwellings on the same meter), per house or dwelling unit | 2.25 |
| Class 5. | Three family apartment or more, per apartment rental unit. | 2.00 |
- (provided, however, that all containers serving such apartments shall be centrally located, otherwise the single family residence rate set forth in Class 1 above shall apply).

(b) Commercial. Fair and reasonable charges - computation . The collection of fees for commercial service shall be the same as set forth in this chapter for the collection of fees for residential service. Fair and reasonable charges for such commercial service shall be computed upon the basis and in the manner hereinafter outlined. Fees for the collection of garbage and refuse from commercial establishments shall be not less than \$2.25 per month nor more than one hundred dollars per month, such schedule of fees or charges for collection to be computed by the City Manager for each separate commercial establishment at the rate of \$12.00 per hour for each hour of loading or proportionate part thereof of each garbage or collection unit, which unit shall consist of one vehicle with necessary personnel to operate the same. Such schedule of computed collection fees from and after ratification, confirmation and approval by the City Council shall thenceforth be and become the valid, subsisting and effective collection fee schedule for commercial establishments within the city.

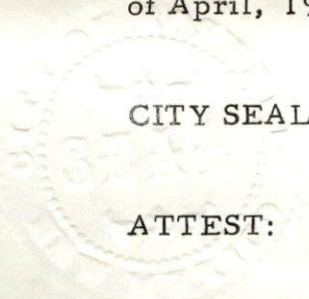
The City Council shall have the power and authority to set fair and reasonable charges from time to time to cover the service rendered at any place or establishment.

2. That this ordinance is necessary for the preservation of the public health, peace, safety and general welfare of the inhabitants of the City of Roswell, Chaves County, New Mexico, and is hereby declared to be an emergency measure on the ground of urgent public need; and therefore, immediately upon its final passage, shall be recorded in the book

of ordinances of said City kept for that purpose, authenticated by the signatures of the Mayor and the City Clerk, shall be published in the Roswell Daily Record, a legal newspaper published and of general circulation in said City, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect five days after such publication.

PASSED, ADOPTED, SIGNED AND APPROVED this 6th day of April, 1965.

CITY SEAL


Gail Harris
Gail Harris, Mayor

ATTEST:

W. M. Foster
W. M. Foster, City Clerk