

**RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**Date Passed: November 13, 2017**

**A RESOLUTION SETTING A FEE FOR  
RESIDENTIAL WASTE COLLECTION**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Rochelle is a body politic and corporate, organized and existing pursuant to the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/1-1-1, et. seq.; and

**WHEREAS**, the City has entered into a Waste Collection Agreement with RRD Holding Company d/b/a Northern Illinois Disposal Services (NIDS), as assignee of Rochelle Disposal Services, Inc., governing the collection of waste within the City, including weekly collection of landscape waste during portions of the year; and

**WHEREAS**, in addition to the collection of landscape waste by NIDS, the City also provides brush collection and leaf vacuuming during portions of each year, which is partially paid from the solid waste budget; and

**WHEREAS**, the City currently charges residential customers a waste collection fee of \$11.36, representing fees collected for waste collection, landscape waste collection, and recycling collection, including collection and pickup by NIDS and the City ; and

**WHEREAS**, in efforts to reduce transfers from the solid waste fund, and to cover the City's cost for providing landscape waste collection services to the residents of Rochelle, City staff have recommended an increase of \$1.64 per month in the monthly fee charged by the City for waste collection, landscape waste collection and recycling collection; and

**WHEREAS**, the proposed increase will result in a fee which is less than that charged by surrounding communities, even though the level of service provided to citizens of Rochelle is greater than that provided to citizens of surrounding communities; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council find it in the best interests of the City to increase the monthly waste collection fee for residential customers by \$1.64 per month, to a total fee of \$13.00 per month, effective January 1, 2018;

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the City of Rochelle that

1. The waste collection fee charged by the City of Rochelle to residential customers for residential waste collection, residential landscape waste collection, and residential recycling collection shall be \$13.00 per month per dwelling unit, beginning January 1, 2018.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 13<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2017. ATTEST:

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City Clerk

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Mayor

