

1 RESOLUTION NO. 2021-R_____

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3 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
4 CULVER CITY, CALIFORNIA, (1) APPROVING AN AMENDED
5 ASSESSMENT ENGINEER'S REPORT; (2) DECLARING ITS
6 INTENTION TO LEVY AND COLLECT THE REFUSE,
7 RECYCLING AND ORGANICS COLLECTION FEES; AND (3)
8 SETTING A TIME AND PLACE FOR A PUBLIC HEARING
9 THEREON.

10 WHEREAS, Section 5.01.070 of the Culver City Municipal Code authorizes
11 the City Council to establish, by resolution, refuse collection fees; and

12 WHEREAS, these proceedings relate to the levy and collection of refuse
13 collection fees effective July 1, 2021; and

14 WHEREAS, the fees for refuse collection were last increased in 2017 for
15 Fiscal Years 2017-2018 through 2019-2020; and

16 WHEREAS, the City's consultant, SCS Engineers, Inc. prepared an
17 engineer's report beginning Fiscal Year 2020-2021 for refuse, recycling and organics user's
18 service charge ("Engineer's Report"); and

19 WHEREAS, the Engineer's Report determined rate options to meet
20 operational needs, comply with new and existing legislative requirements and reach and
21 maintain the required 25% operational reserve; and

22 WHEREAS, the Engineer's Report has been filed with the City Clerk and
23 submitted to the City Council; and

24 WHEREAS, the City Council has carefully examined and reviewed the
25 Engineer's Report as presented and is preliminary satisfied with the proposed report, each
26 and all of the budget items and documents as set forth therein and is satisfied that the levy
27 amounts, on a preliminary basis, have been allocated so that the proposed fees accurately
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1 reflect the current costs to provide the City's refuse, recycling and organics collection
2 services, as set forth in the Engineer's Report.

3 NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Culver City, DOES
4 HEREBY RESOLVE as follows:

5 1. The Engineer's Report as presented, consisting of the following: the
6 estimated costs of operation, maintenance, repair and improvements for the provision of
7 refuse, recycling and organics collection services, and the formulas used to determine that
8 the proposed fees accurately reflect the current costs to provide such services, is hereby
9 approved on a preliminary basis and is on file in the Office of the City Clerk and open for
10 public inspection.
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12 2. It is the intention of the City Council to levy and collect the proposed
13 fees to pay the costs and expenses for the operation, maintenance, repair and
14 improvements necessary to provide the City's refuse, recycling and organics collection
15 services, effective July 1, 2021. The operation, maintenance, repair and improvements are
16 generally described as: costs for refuse collection, disposal, recycling and organics
17 programs and public outreach, including repairs and maintenance to refuse vehicles and
18 repairs and maintenance and improvements to the transfer station. Costs include all
19 necessary service, operations, administration and maintenance required to provide the
20 City's refuse, recycling and organics collection services in a manner that serves the best
21 interest of the public health, safety and general welfare.
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23 3. The Engineer's Report, as preliminarily approved by the City Council,
24 is on file with the City Clerk and open for public inspection. Reference is made to the
25 Engineer's Report for a full detailed description of the proposed fees necessary to
26 accurately reflect the City's costs to operate the refuse and recycling operations.
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1 4. As recommended in the Engineer's Report:

2 a) The maximum assessment for residential service would increase by:

3 i) 15% in Fiscal Year 2021-2022;

4 ii) 10% in Fiscal Year 2022-2023;

5 iii) 10% in Fiscal Year 2023-2024; and

6 iv) 2.25% in Fiscal Years 2024-2025 through 2030-2031.

7 b) The maximum assessment for commercial service would increase
8 on average by:

9 i) 15% in Fiscal Year 2021-2022;

10 ii) 10% in Fiscal Year 2022-2023;

11 iii) 10% in Fiscal Year 2023-2024; and

12 iv) 2.25% in Fiscal Years 2024-2025 through 2030-2031.

13 c) The maximum assessment for drop box service would increase on
14 average by:

15 i) 15% in Fiscal Year 2021-2022;

16 ii) 10% in Fiscal Year 2022-2023;

17 iii) 10% in Fiscal Year 2023-2024; and

18 iv) 2.25% in Fiscal Years 2024-2025 through 2030-2031.

19 d) The Engineer's Report further recommends assessment increases
20 of various amounts for other miscellaneous fees, as set forth in the
21 Engineer's Report.

22 5. Notice is hereby given that a public hearing is scheduled to be held at

23 the Mike Balkman Council Chambers, 9770 Culver Boulevard, Culver City, California, on

24 July 26, 2021 at 7:00pm or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard. Due to COVID-

25 19 procedures, this meeting may be held by video conference, in which case instructions

26 for participating in the meeting will be included in the July 26, 2021 City Council meeting

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1 agenda. All interested persons, prior to the conclusion of the hearing, shall be afforded the
2 opportunity to hear and be heard. The City Council shall consider all oral statements or
3 written communication made or filed by any interested person.

4 6. The City Clerk is hereby directed to give notice of the public hearing by
5 causing the resolution of intention, or summary thereof, to be published at least 45 days
6 prior to the date set for public hearing as provided under applicable law.

7 APPROVED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____ 2021.

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11 ALEX FISCH, Mayor
12 City of Culver City, California

13 ATTEST:

14 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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17 JEREMY GREEN, City Clerk

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19 CAROL A. SCHWAB, City Attorney

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