

ORDINANCE 2023-25

**An Ordinance to Amend Chapter 7.5, Garbage, Refuse, and Trash
of the Municipal Code of the City of Irondale**

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF IRONDALE, ALABAMA, in regular meeting duly assembled, a quorum being present, and by authority thereof as follows:

Section 1. AMENDMENT TO CHAPTER 7.5 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF IRONDALE. Chapter 7.5, Garbage, Refuse, and Trash, Section 7.5-15, Fees and Penalties, of the *Municipal Code of the City of Irondale* is hereby amended by deleting sections (c) – (e) in their entirety and replacing them as follows:

Chapter 7.5. – Garbage, Refuse, and Trash

Sec. 7.5-15. Fees and Penalties

- (c) *Multiple-family dwellings or buildings and mobile home parks of more than five units.* For the collection service to be rendered for each 12-month period beginning February 1 of each calendar year, unless amended, any person firm, corporation, institution or other entity owning investment property, rental property or mobile home parks consisting of more than five units within the city shall be responsible for all solid waste fees on each occupied unit or rental parcel. Each person, firm, corporation, institution or other entity in charge or control of each residential unit of a multi-family dwelling or apartment or mobile home park, where the city is furnishing such collection service, shall pay to the city a fee per occupied residential unit or mobile home site as follows:

If paid monthly \$29.00

If paid quarterly \$87.00

If paid semi-annually \$174.00

If paid annually \$348.00

- (d) *Single-family dwelling units.* For the collection service to be rendered for each 12-month period beginning February 1 of each calendar year, unless amended, the persons occupying and in charge or control of each single-family dwelling unit and or/the owner of each single-family dwelling unit shall pay the city a fee per residential unit as follows:

If paid monthly \$29.00

If paid quarterly \$87.00

If paid semi-annually \$174.00

If paid annually \$348.00

- (e) *Business or institution.* For the collection service rendered for each 12-month period beginning February 1 of each calendar year, unless amended, each business or institution receiving service shall pay the city a fee per unit as follows:

If paid monthly \$54.00

If paid quarterly \$162.00

If paid semi-annually \$324.00

If paid annually \$648.00

Section 2. ORDINANCES REPEALED. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3. SEVERABILITY. That if any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is, for any reason, held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance. The City Council of the City of Irondale hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance, and each section, subsection, clause or phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses and phrases be declared unconstitutional.

Section 4. LEGAL RIGHTS NOT IMPAIRED. That nothing in this ordinance or in the municipal code hereby adopted shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding impending in any court, or any rights acquired, or liability incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing, under any act or ordinance hereby repealed as cited in Section 2 of this ordinance; nor shall any just or legal right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired or affected by this ordinance.

Section 5. ORDINANCE CUMULATIVE; COMPATIBILITY WITH OTHER REGULATIONS. This ordinance shall not be construed to modify or to repeal any other ordinance, rule, regulation, or other provision of law. The requirements of this ordinance are in addition to and cumulative to the requirements of any other ordinance, rule, regulation, or other provision of law, and where any provision of this ordinance imposes restrictions different from those imposed by any other ordinance, rule, regulation, or other provision of law, whichever provision is more restrictive or imposes higher protective standards for human health or the environment shall control.

Section 6. PUBLICATION OF ORDINANCE. That the City Clerk of the City of Irondale is hereby ordered and directed to cause this ordinance to be published and that a copy of this ordinance be entered upon the minutes of the meeting of the City Council.

Section 7. EFFECTIVE DATE OF ORDINANCE. That this ordinance and the rules, regulations, provisions, requirements, orders and matters established and adopted hereby shall be in full force and effect upon adoption and shall continue in full force and effect from month to month and year to year from its effective date until repealed.

ADOPTED & APPROVED: This 5th day of September, 2023.

David Spivey, City Council President

APPROVED:

James D. Stewart, Jr., Mayor

ATTESTED:

Leigh Ann Allison, City Clerk

CERTIFICATION

I, Leigh Ann Allison, City Clerk of the City of Irondale, Alabama, hereby certify the above to be a true and correct copy of an ordinance adopted by the City Council of the City of Irondale at its regular meeting held on the 5th day of September 2023 as the same appears in the minutes of record of said meeting.

Leigh Ann Allison, City Clerk