

CITY OF OBERLIN, OHIO

ORDINANCE No. 14-16 AC CMS

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 925, OF THE CITY OF OBERLIN
CODIFIED ORDINANCES AND AMENDING THE REFUSE RATES LANGUAGE
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of the City of Oberlin, County of Lorain, State of Ohio, five-sevenths (5/7ths) of all members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1. That Section 925.10 (a) and (b) of the City of Oberlin's Codified Ordinances, are hereby amended to read as set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference and amending the refuse rates language.

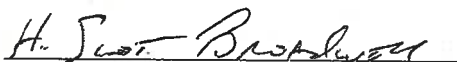
SECTION 2. It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning or relating to the adoption of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 3. That this ordinance is hereby declared an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the citizens of the City of Oberlin, Ohio, or to provide for the usual daily operation of a municipal department, to wit: in order to maintain refuse rates at current levels pending further evaluation" and shall take effect immediately upon passage.

PASSED: 1st Reading: April 21, 2014 (E)
2nd Reading: _____
3rd Reading: _____

ATTEST:


BELINDA B. ANDERSON, MMC
CLERK OF COUNCIL


H. SCOTT BROADWELL
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

POSTED: 04/22/2014

EFFECTIVE DATE: 04/21/2014

EXHIBIT A

925.10 RATES.

(a) Residential Rates.

- (1) Commencing **January 1, 2014** ~~August 1, 2009~~, a basic residential rate of six dollars (\$6.00) per month shall be charged.
- (2) The basic residential service rate for all bills rendered on or after **February 1** ~~May 1~~ of each ensuing twelve-month period, beginning **February 1, 2015** ~~May 1, 2010~~ shall be determined by the formula:

$$RR = \frac{OM + C}{Q}$$

Where:

- A. "RR" means the basic residential service rate.
- B. "Q" means the number of residential customers as calculated by the ~~Finance Auditor's~~ office for the calendar year immediately prior to the year in which the rate is to take effect.
- C. "OM" means that portion of the refuse operation and maintenance appropriation attributable to residential collection less the portion of refuse operating levies attributable to residential properties. For purposes of this section, forty-four percent (44%) of the cost of downtown trash receptacles shall be considered to be a cost attributable to residential collection.
- D. "C" means capital expense and reserve appropriation attributable to the residential collection.

(b) Commercial Rates.

- (1) Commencing August 1, 2009, commercial refuse rates shall be charged as follows:

<u>Dumpster Size</u>	<u>Per Service</u>
1	\$5.85
2	\$11.10
3	\$15.30
4	\$18.60
6	\$26.10
8	\$32.40

- (2) Customers whose service is less than one cubic yard and where a dumpster is not required shall pay fifteen dollars (\$15.00) per month. Customers with intermittent service requirements (on-call service) shall pay a twenty-five dollar (\$25.00) per month demurrage fee in addition to the dumpster charge for each service.
- (3) The commercial rates shall be increased upon the recommendation of the Public Works Director, the City Manager and the **Finance Director** ~~City Auditor~~ with the approval of Oberlin City Council.