

BILL NO. 40-2011

AN ORDINANCE

**An Ordinance Ratifying the Solid Waste and Recycling Fees for the City of Reading**

WHEREAS, by Ordinances and Resolutions, the Council of the City of Reading established fees for solid waste collection for the years 2001 through 2011 and for recycling collection for the years 1991 through 2011; and

WHEREAS, the City of Reading desires to ratify, confirm, and readopt an Ordinance establishing the fees for solid waste collection for the years 2001 through 2011 and for recycling collection for the years 1991 through 2011 and consolidate the fees assessed for solid waste collection and recycling collection into one ordinance for ease of access by the public..

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE CITY OF READING AS FOLLOWS:

1. Ratification of Fees for Solid Waste Collection. The City of Reading hereby ratifies, confirms, and readopts the ordinances and resolutions establishing the fees for solid waste collection for the years 2001 through 2011, establishing the solid waste fees per unit as follows:

(a) Quarterly Solid Waste Accounts

2001 Quarterly Fee	\$36.00
2002 Quarterly Fee	\$36.00
2003 Quarterly Fee	\$36.00
2004 Quarterly Fee	\$40.00
2005 Quarterly Fee	\$40.00
2006 Quarterly Fee	\$40.00
2007 Quarterly Fee	\$50.70
2008 Quarterly Fee	\$50.70
2009 Quarterly Fee	\$50.70
2010 Quarterly Fee	\$53.08
2011 Quarterly Fee	\$53.08

(b) Annual Solid Waste Accounts

2001 Annual Fee	\$144.00
2002 Annual Fee	\$144.00
2003 Annual Fee	\$144.00
2004 Annual Fee	\$160.00
2005 Annual Fee	\$160.00
2006 Annual Fee	\$160.00
2007 Annual Fee	\$202.80
2008 Annual Fee	\$202.80
2009 Annual Fee	\$202.80
2010 Annual Fee	\$212.32
2011 Annual Fee	\$212.32

2. Ratification of Fees for Recycling Collection. The City of Reading hereby ratifies, confirms, and readopts the ordinances and resolutions establishing the fees for recycling collection for the years 1991 through 2010, establishing the recycling fees per unit as follows:

(a) Annual Recycling Accounts

1991 Annual Fee	\$30.00
1992 Annual Fee	\$27.00
1993 Annual Fee	\$22.00
1994 Annual Fee	\$22.00
1995 Annual Fee	\$22.00
1996 Annual Fee	\$22.00
1997 Annual Fee	\$22.00
1998 Annual Fee	\$22.00
1999 Annual Fee	\$22.00
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2002 Annual Fee	\$22.00
2003 Annual Fee	\$22.00
2004 Annual Fee	\$30.00
2005 Annual Fee	\$30.00
2006 Annual Fee	\$30.00
2007 Annual Fee	\$60.93
2008 Annual Fee	\$60.93
2009 Annual Fee	\$60.93
2010 Annual Fee	\$85.03
2011 Annual Fee	\$85.03

3. Penalty. As adopted by the City of Reading through ordinances and resolutions setting the fees for solid waste collection and recycling collection, any unpaid solid waste or recycling fee not paid by December 31 of the year it was assessed shall incur a 10% penalty.

4. Related Action. The proper officials of the City of Reading are hereby authorized and empowered to take such additional action as they may deem necessary or appropriate to implement this Ordinance.

5. All ordinances and resolutions inconsistent with the above provisions are repealed to the extent of their inconsistency.

6. This Ordinance shall take effect ten (10) days after adoption pursuant to Home Rule Charter Sections 219 & 221.

Enacted by Council on Aug 8 2011

CITY OF READING

Council President

Attest:

City Clerk

I, LINDA A. KELLEHER, City Clerk of the City of Reading, Pa., do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original passed by the Council of the City of Reading, on the ..... day of ..... A. D. 2011. Witness my hand and seal of the said City this ..... day of ..... A. D. 2011.

CITY CLERK

Submitted to Mayor: [Signature]

Date: 8/29/11

Received by the Mayor's Office: [Signature]

Date: 8/31/11

Approved by Mayor: [Signature]

Date: 8/31/11

Vetoed by Mayor: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_