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**ORDINANCE NO.**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 20180911-002 RELATING TO AUTHORIZED FEES TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM AUTHORIZED FEE FOR NON-CONSENT TOWING FEES (OTHER THAN PRIVATE PROPERTY TOWS) FOR VEHICLES LESS THAN 10,000 POUNDS.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:**

**PART 1.** City Council makes the following findings:

- (1) Pursuant to City Code section 13-6-141, one or more towing companies requested that the City Manager perform a towing fee study to determine whether the maximum fees authorized for non-consent tows represent the fair market value of the services of a towing company performing non-consent tows originating in the City.
- (2) The City Manager has presented the results of the towing fee study to the City Council and made recommendations for changes to the maximum authorized fee that may be charged by towing companies for non-consent tows, other than private property impounds, for vehicles weighing less than 10,000 pounds.
- (3) The City Manager has not made recommendations with respect to altering other non-consent towing fees.
- (4) The changes recommended by the City Manager represent the fair market value of the services of a towing company performing non-consent tows originating in the City.

**PART 2.** Exhibit “A” of Ordinance No. 20180911-002 is amended to read:

**Police – General Fund**

**Non-Consent Towing Fees (other than Private Property Tows)**

Vehicles less than 10,000 lbs.                      \$195.00 [~~\$150.00~~]

**PART 3.** This ordinance takes effect on \_\_\_\_\_.

**PASSED AND APPROVED**

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Steve Adler  
Mayor

**APPROVED:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ATTEST:** \_\_\_\_\_

Anne L. Morgan  
City Attorney

Jannette S. Goodall  
City Clerk