ORDINANCE NO. 20240229-045

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING EXHIBIT A TO THE FISCAL YEAR 2023-2024 CITY FEE AND FINE ORDINANCE (ORDINANCE NO. 20230816-007) TO REMOVE THE NON-RESIDENT LIBRARY CARD FEE FOR RESIDENTS OF THE CITY'S LIMITED PURPOSE AND EXTRATERRITORIAL JURISDICTIONS.

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

PART 1. Council amends Exhibit A to the Fiscal Year 2023-2024 City Fee and Fine Ordinance (Ordinance No. 20230816-007) to remove the non-resident library card fee for residents of the City's limited purpose and extraterritorial jurisdictions as also shown in Attachment 1.

PART 2. This ordinance takes effect on March 11, 2024.

PASSED AND APPROVED		8 11 \ \ A	
February 29 , 2024		§ 1M	MJ Ml
			Kirk Watson
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APPROVED:	(Ill	ATTEST:	Stephani Hall Son
	Anne L. Morgan	_	Myrna Rios
	City Attorney		City Clerk

FY 2023-2024 Fee Schedule

Fee

Note

Code Violations/Legal Penalties/Restitution

Austin Public Library - General Fund

Charges and Fees

All Austin Public Library Charges and Fees shall be waived by the Library Director or their authorized designee in accordance with Library policy adopted by the Library Director, which shall permit fee or charge waivers only in the following circumstances:

- 1. Evidence, as required by Library policy, of catastrophic loss to library borrower's property caused by one of the following catastrophic natural events, and limited to those library charges and fees incurred after the date of the catastrophic event: Earthquake, Fire, Flood, Hurricane, Tomado.
- 2. Evidence, as required by Library policy, of loss due to theft, and limited to those library charges and fees incurred after the date of the loss.
- 3. Evidence, as required by Library policy, of hospitalization of library borrower, and limited to those library charges and fees incurred after the date(s) of the hospitalization.
- 4. Non-resident children who are currently enrolled in any school within Travis County and residents of the City's limited purpose and extraterritorial jurisdictions are exempt from the Non-Resident User Fee.

С	harges for Lost or Damaged Materials	\$0.00	
	Delinquent Account Fee		
	For accounts with outstanding balances \$25.00 and above	\$10.00	
	Items not returned after 28 days and presumed lost or returned damaged		/item
	Cost to the library for item plus the recovery fee for the item		
	Reserve Fee	\$1.00	/item
	For reserves not picked up after expiration of hold period		
	Non-resident User Fee		
	Non-Resident	\$120.00	/year
	Non-Resident - Virtual Library Only	\$22.00	/year
	Quarterly Non-Resident User Fee	\$30.00	/quarter

Facility Rentals

Austin Public Libraries

Central Library Facilities Rentals

Unless otherwise noted, rental rates apply to scheduled operating hours of the Central Library. Non-Profit Organizations, Educational Institutions, City Departments and Government Agencies are entitled to a 50% discount for facility rental of Event Spaces.

Rental rates may be waived or modified by the Director of Libraries in the following situations:

- 1. City meetings and/or City business.
- 2. Library sponsored programs that are free and open to the public.
- 3. Library co-sponsored events that provide a public benefit.

Event Cancellation Fee - based on days of notice in advance of event date