

**CITY OF HACKENSACK
ORDINANCE NO. 23-2024**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 107 OF THE
CODE OF THE CITY OF HACKENSACK, “LICENSES
AND PERMITS” TO UPDATE DPW TREE FEES**

WHEREAS, Chapter 107 of the Code of the City of Hackensack (“City Code”), “Licenses and Permits,” sets forth in Attachment 1 an enumeration of licenses, miscellaneous services, and fees; and,

WHEREAS, currently, Attachment 1 to Chapter 107 establishes certain fees for services performed by the Department of Public Works; and,

WHEREAS, upon recommendation of the Shade Tree Advisory Committee and Department of Public works that the planting fee to be updated as well as to include the trees planted as memorials.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HACKENSACK, as follows:

Section 1:

Attachment 1 to Chapter 107 of the City Code is hereby amended to update the fee schedule for Tree Planting (DPW) as follows (additions by underline):

Tree Planting (DPW):

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| Flowering tree, non-fruit bearing, per tree | \$75 |
| Other varieties, non-fruit bearing, per tree | \$75 |
| Tree removal | \$2 |
| <u>Shade Tree, per tree</u> | <u>\$225</u> |
| <u>Memorial Tree, per tree</u> | <u>\$450</u> |

Section 2:

All other fees provided for in Attachment 1 to Chapter 107 of the City Code not specifically referenced in this Ordinance shall remain unchanged.

Section 3:

Repeal of Inconsistent Provisions. All ordinances or parts thereof in conflict or inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed, but only however, to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency, it being the legislative intent that all ordinances or part of ordinances now existing or in effect unless the same being conflict or inconsistent with any provision of this Ordinance shall remain in effect.

Section 4:

Severability. The provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable and if any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase thereof for any reason is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections, subsections, sentences, clauses and phrases of this Ordinance, but shall remain in effect; it being the legislative intent this Ordinance shall stand notwithstanding the invalidity of any part.

Section 5:

Codification. This Ordinance shall be a part of the Code of the City of Hackensack as though codified and fully set forth therein. The City Clerk shall have this ordinance codified and incorporated in the official copies of the City Code. The City Clerk and the City Attorney are authorized and directed to change any Chapter, Article and/or Section number of the City Code in the event that the codification of this Ordinance reveals that there is a conflict between the numbers and the existing City Code, and in order to avoid confusion and possible accidental repealers of existing provisions not intended to be repealed.

Section 6:

This Ordinance shall take effect upon passage, adoption, and publication in the manner prescribed by law.

Introduced: May 21, 2024
Adopted: June 11, 2024

ATTEST:

CITY OF HACKENSACK

By: _____
Deborah Karlsson, City Clerk

By: _____
John P. Labrosse, Jr., Mayor