

**Columbus Consolidated Government
Council Meeting Agenda Item**

TO:	Mayor and Councilors
AGENDA SUBJECT:	Federal and State Mandated Fees for Fiscal Year 2027
INITIATED BY:	Finance Department

It is requested that Council approve payment for various federal and state mandated fees during Fiscal Year 2027.

Examples of the various mandated fees, include, but not limited to the following: Air Emission Fees, State Alternative Fuel and Highway Impact Fees, Solid Waste Disposal Fees, Georgia Department of Labor, Worker's Compensation Annual Assessment, EMT & Paramedic License Fees, Ambulance Service License Fees, State Bar Dues, Juvenile Court Appointed Attorneys/Guardian Ad Litem, etc.

These fees are paid each year and are mandated by the Federal or State Government. This resolution will ensure the payments are made in a timely manner during FY27.

Funds are budgeted each fiscal year for the mandated fees in various City Department budgets.

A RESOLUTION

NO. _____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PAYMENT FOR VARIOUS FEDERAL AND STATE MANDATED FEES DURING FISCAL YEAR 2027.

WHEREAS, examples of the various mandated fees, include, but not limited to the following: Air Emission Fees, State Alternative Fuel and Highway Impact Fees, Solid Waste Disposal Fees, Georgia Department of Labor, Worker's Compensation Annual Assessment, EMT & Paramedic License Fees, Ambulance Service License Fees, State Bar Dues, Juvenile Court Appointed Attorneys/Guardian Ad Litem, etc.; and,

WHEREAS, these fees are paid each year and are mandated by the Federal or State Government. This resolution will ensure the payments are made in a timely manner during FY27.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF COLUMBUS, GEORGIA, HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

That the City Manager and/or his designee is hereby authorized to render payment for various federal and state mandated fees during fiscal year 2027. Funds are budgeted each fiscal year for the mandated fees in various City Department budgets.

Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia, held the ____ day of _____, 2026 and adopted at said meeting by the affirmative vote of _____ members of said Council.

Councilor Allen	voting _____
Councilor Barnes	voting _____
Councilor Chambers	voting _____
Councilor Cogle	voting _____
Councilor Cook	voting _____
Councilor Crabb	voting _____
Councilor Davis	voting _____
Councilor Garrett	voting _____
Councilor Huff	voting _____
Councilor Tucker	voting _____

Lindsey G. McLemore, Clerk of Council

B.H. "Skip" Henderson III, Mayor