

RESOLUTION NO. 2332

A RESOLUTION ADJUSTING A SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES FOR VARIOUS CITY SERVICES AND INCLUDING BUSINESS LICENSE FEES.

WHEREAS, the City Council has adopted the City of Hermiston Code of Ordinances, and that Code permits the City Council of the City of Hermiston to adopt by resolution a schedule of fees and charges for various services, licenses and permits; and

WHEREAS, the City is working to update various fees across the City in a more coordinated fashion; and

WHEREAS, the City has had extensive discussions related to possible revenue increases related to the general fund operations including business license fees; and

WHEREAS, the City Council met and discussed a proposed business license fee schedule at its January 8, 2024 meeting but did not adopt the fees at that time; and

WHEREAS, a Business License Fee committee was formed with several City Councilors and representatives from the Chamber of Commerce as well as local business owners. The committee met several times through the Spring, and at their June 10, 2024 meeting a majority voted to recommend that City Council adopt the business license fee schedule as originally presented on January 8, 2024.

WHEREAS, the updated Master Fee Schedule including the new fees is attached hereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF HERMISTON RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the attached updated Master Fee Schedule, is approved and adopted.
2. That this resolution shall supersede Resolution No. 2317.
3. All fees and charges in effect as of the date of the adoption of this resolution shall remain in effect unless otherwise modified by provisions of this resolution.
4. That this resolution is effective immediately upon its passage.

PASSED by the Common Council this 8th day of July 2024.

SIGNED by the Mayor this 8th day of July 2024.

Dr. David Drotzmann, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Lilly Alarcon-Strong, CMC, CITY RECORDER