

ORDINANCE 2025-08

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MADEIRA BEACH, FLORIDA, ADOPTING A REVISED APPENDIX A. – FEES AND COLLECTION PROCEDURES MANUAL OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF CITY OF MADEIRA BEACH, FLORIDA, TO ADD A DECLARED DISASTER SANITATION FEE; REPEALING ORDINANCE 2024-22; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICT, CODIFICATION AND SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Madeira Beach adopted Ordinance 2024-22 providing for the amendment of Fees and Collection Procedures Manual; and

WHEREAS, on September 24, 2024, the Governor of the State of Florida entered an Executive Order declaring a State of Emergency for 64 counties in the State of Florida, including Pinellas County, due to the dangers presented by Hurricane Helene; and

WHEREAS, on October 5, 2024, the Governor of the State of Florida also entered Executive Order declaring a State of Emergency for 35 counties in the State of Florida, including Pinellas County, due to the dangers presented by Hurricane Milton; and

WHEREAS, Hurricanes Helene and Milton posed serious threats to the lives and property of residents of Madeira Beach, Florida and a State of Local Emergency was declared for all territory within the legal boundaries of Madeira Beach, Florida; and

WHEREAS, both Hurricanes Helene and Milton caused extensive damage to public utilities, public buildings, public communications systems, public streets and roads, public drainage systems, commercial and residential buildings and areas; and

WHEREAS, City Staff has reviewed the current provisions of the Fees and Collection Procedures Manual for the City of Madeira Beach and wishes to revise same to provide each single family or multi-family dwelling unit, upon qualification by meeting certain criteria, relief from the normal trash, recycling and garbage fees; and

WHEREAS, City staff wishes to repeal Ordinance 2024-22; and

WHEREAS, the recommendations of staff have been found meritorious by the Board of Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners has received input from the public at two public hearings.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF MADEIRA BEACH, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City of Madeira Beach’s revised Fees and Collection Procedures Manual attached hereto as Exhibit A is hereby adopted.

Section 2. Ordinance 2024-22 is hereby repealed.

Section 3. Pursuant to Florida Statutes §166.041(4), this Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF MADEIRA BEACH, FLORIDA, THIS _____ day of _____, 2025.

Anne-Marie Brooks, Mayor

ATTEST:

Clara VanBlargan, MMC, MSM, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Thomas J. Trask, City Attorney

PASSED ON FIRST READING: _____

PUBLISHED: _____

PASSED ON SECOND READING: _____