CITY OF NEW PRAGUE, MINNESOTA

RESOLUTION NO. 23-12-18-04

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PUBLICATION BY TITLE AND SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE 346 RELATED TO REFUSE COLLECTION

WHEREAS, the City of New Prague (the "City") is a municipal corporation organized and operating under a home rule charter and the laws of Minnesota; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of New Prague adopted "Ordinance 346 – An Ordinance Amending Chapter 53 of the New Prague City Code Regarding Refuse Collection"; and

WHEREAS, Section 3.14 of the City Charter authorizes summary publication of lengthy ordinances where the City Council determines, upon an affirmative 4/5 vote of its members, that the title and summary of such ordinance shall clearly inform the public of the intent and effect of the ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the verbatim text of the ordinance is four pages in length, is cumbersome, and the expense of publication of the complete text is not justified; and

WHEREAS, the following summary clearly informs the public of the intent and effect of the ordinance.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of New Prague, Minnesota, that the following summary is hereby approved for official publication:

SUMMARY PUBLICATION ORDINANCE NO. 346

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 53 OF THE NEW PRAGUE CITY CODE REGARDING REFUSE COLLECTION

On December 18, 2023, the New Prague City Council adopted an ordinance designated as Ordinance No. 346, the title of which is stated above. The purpose of the ordinance is to amend certain regulations within chapter 53 of the New Prague City Code related to commercial and residential refuse disposal and collection. The ordinance includes updated provisions related to the city's licensing of haulers and supplements the existing code language to include additional licensing requirements. The ordinance also clarifies the city's longstanding limitation on the number of residential hauling licenses available and establishes licensing fees and other requirements for all licensed haulers. A full copy of the ordinance is available for public inspection in the office of the City Administrator during normal business hours.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of New Prague, Minnesota

that the City Administrator is directed to keep a copy of the ordinance in the Administrator's office at City Hall for public inspection and to post a full copy of this resolution and the ordinance in a public place in the City for a period of two weeks.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of New Prague, Minnesota that only the title and summary of the ordinance be published; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of New Prague, Minnesota that the text of the summary is hereby approved.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of New Prague, Minnesota that the Mayor, City staff and City attorney are hereby authorized and directed to take any and all additional steps and actions necessary or convenient in order to accomplish the intent of this Resolution.

ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the New Prague City Council this 18th day of December, 2023.

ATTEST:

Duane J. Jirik, Mayor

Joshua M. Tetzlaff, City Administrator