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MANAGEMENT," ARTICLE III
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DISPOSAL SYSTEMS," DIVISION 1
"GENERALLY," SECTION 130-84
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TO DELETE SUBSECTION 8
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OTHER PURPOSES.

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WHEREAS, The City of Atlanta (the "City") currently collects a fee for solid waste fee on vacant properties under Chapter 130-84 that is based upon the zoning designation of the property; and

WHEREAS, unfortunately, vacant properties that do not generate solid waste are also charged set fees for solid waste; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Atlanta City Council to only impose a solid waste fee on occupied properties in the City.

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

Section 1. That Chapter 130 "Solid Waste Management", Article III Municipal Collection and Disposal Systems", Division 1 "Generally", Section 130-84 "Rates and Charges" *currently reads:*

(8) Vacant parcels: A charge based upon street frontage to cover street cleaning and rubbish collection based on the zoning class of the property; residential to be charged as in subsection (1), apartments and other multi-family dwellings to be charged as in subsection (3)d., and commercial/industrial to be charged as in subsection (6).

Shall now read:

(1) Residential rate: \$307.19 per year plus 0.94 cents per foot of paved street frontage and, to cover rubbish collection costs for unpaved frontage, 0.67 cents per foot of unpaved street frontage, up to maximum of 200 feet. In calculating the charge, paved frontage is calculated first and then unpaved frontage.

(2) Duplex or triplex rate: As above for each residence, plus \$307.19 per year for each separate living unit in excess of one.

(3) Apartments, condominiums, townhouse, public housing or any other multi-family dwelling rates: \$1.63 per foot of paved street frontage, and to cover rubbish collection costs for unpaved frontage, \$0.67 per foot of unpaved street frontage plus one of the following charges, as appropriate.

A. \$307.19 per year, for each dwelling unit where the garbage from apartments, condominiums, townhomes, public housing or any other multi-family dwellings is collected from individual containers, garbage cans or bags;

B. \$183.37 per year for each dwelling unit where the garbage from apartments, condominiums, townhomes, public housing or any other multi-family dwellings is collected from industrial containers;

(11) Special collections: Any property otherwise addressed in subsections (1) through (9) of this section, either requesting or requiring special collection equipment or methods where normal curbside collection or backyard collection of solid waste or recyclables is not feasible, shall be subject to an additional fee of \$200.00 annually.

Section 2. That all ordinances and part of ordinances that are in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are waived to the extent of the conflict.