ORDINANCE NO. 413 (09-10-25)

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TAYLOR MILL, IN KENTON COUNTY KENTUCKY, IMPOSING A SOLID WASTE COLLECTION FEE ON ALL SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL LOTS AND STRUCTURES IN THE CITY AND THE OWNERS THEREOF FOR THE PERIOD JULY 1, 2025 TO JUNE 30, 2026.

WHEREAS, the occupation and use of single-family residential structures in the City of Taylor Mill (City) generates and produces substantial amounts of solid waste; and

WHEREAS, the public health, safety, and welfare require a system for the periodic collection, removal, and disposition of such solid waste and the equitable division of the cost thereof; and

WHEREAS, the KRS Chapter 224 requires the City to implement a plan for the collection and disposal of solid waste; and

WHEREAS, it would be more efficient and cost-effective for the City to contract with a collector of solid waste for the collection, removal, and disposition of solid waste from single-family structures in the City rather than the City providing that service through its own forces or the owners or occupants of such single-family residential structures contracting individually and separately for such services;

WHEREAS, for the joint benefit of the City and the owners and occupants of single-family residential structures in the City, the City has contracted with Rumpke of Kentucky, Inc. for the weekly collection, removal, and disposal of solid waste from all of the single-family residential structures in the City;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF TAYLOR MILL, IN KENTON COUNTY KENTUCKY, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1.0 — Solid Waste Collection, Removal and Disposal System

Pursuant to the requirements of KRS Chapter 224, the City of Taylor Mill shall provide for the collection, removal, and disposal of solid waste from residential structures in the City through a contract with a private collector; and the cost and expense thereof shall be paid from the General Fund.

Section 2.0 — Single Family Residential Waste Collection Fee

For the purpose of providing the funds necessary for the payment of the costs and expenses incurred by the City in the provision of the collection, removal, and disposal of solid waste from the single-family residential structures in the City, there is hereby established, imposed, levied and assessed on each parcel of real estate in the City upon which there is constructed a single-family structure and the owners thereof, jointly and severally, an annual solid waste collection fee in the amount of Two Hundred Forty-five Dollars (\$245.00) for each fiscal year, which shall be due and payable simultaneously with the 2025 ad valorem taxes of the City.

Section 3.0 — <u>Provisions Severable</u>

The provisions of this ordinance are severable, and the invalidity of any provision of this ordinance shall not affect the validity of any other provision thereof, and such other provisions shall remain in full force and effect as long as they remain valid in the absence of those provisions determined to be invalid.

Section 4.0 — Conflicting Ordinances Repealed

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 5.0 — Effective Date

This ordinance shall be effective upon its passage and according to the law.

Section 6.0 - Publication

That this ordinance shall become effective upon its passage and shall be published under KRS 83A.060(9) and other applicable law. This ordinance may be published by summary.

Passed by City Commission on September 10, 2025.

CITY OF TAYLOR MILL, KENTUCKY

By: Mayor Don Ball

ATTEST:

Kristy Webb, City Clerk

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