

**RESOLUTION No. 2014-22**

**A Resolution to Amend Chapter A239, the Appendix to the City Code, to Establish Fees relating to Applications for Alcohol Permit Requests and for Towed Vehicles**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Ordinance no. 493, the City Council of the City of New Castle (the "City") amended Chapter 90 of the City Code relating to Alcoholic Beverages to add a new section 90-3 (D) which section establishes a licensing process to permit the use and possession of open containers of alcoholic beverages on public property; and

**WHEREAS**, section 90-3 (D) of the City Code states that Council will set fee for applications for an alcohol permit; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council has also determined to establish a fee to be assessed jointly and severally against the owner of the vehicle towed and the towing company for any vehicle towed pursuant to lawful authority in the City so as to offset the personnel and administrative expenses to the City associated with having such vehicles towed;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the City Council of the City of New Castle hereby amends Section A239-4 of Chapter A239 of the Appendix to the City Code to adopt the following fees relating to Applications for Alcohol Permit Requests and for Towed Vehicles:

1. Application fee for permit for sale of consumption of alcoholic beverages on public property pursuant to §90-3 (D) of the City Code.....\$100.00
2. Towing fee assessed jointly and severally against the owner of the towed vehicle and the towing company for any vehicle towed pursuant to lawful authority in the City.....\$65.00

**AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the above fees are to be implemented effective immediately upon adoption of these Resolutions.

**AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the City Administrator shall advise any towing company utilized by the City to tow vehicles in the City pursuant to lawful authority of their obligation to pay the aforesaid towing fee promptly upon towing the vehicle and shall be authorized to execute any contractual agreements or amendatory agreements with such towing companies to incorporate the towing fee requirement into such agreement(s).

**PASSED** this 8th day of April, 2014.

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Linda Ratchford, President of Council

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John W. Cochran, Councilperson

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Theodore H. Megginson, Councilperson

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Albert J. Vannucci, Jr., Councilperson

Attest:

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Janet E. Wurtzel, City Clerk

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