## **RESOLUTION NO. 19-**

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HERCULES APPROVING REPUBLIC SERVICES' REQUESTED BASE YEAR RATE ADJUSTMENT OF +5.41% EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2019 PER THE RECOMMENDED ORDER ISSUED BY THE PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR

**WHEREAS**, under the terms of the 5<sup>th</sup> Amendment to the Franchise Agreement with Republic Services, 2019 is designated as a base year for rate review and adjustment; and

**WHEREAS**, as stipulated by Municipal Code Chapter 5-2A "Adjustment of Refuse Collection Rates" the Public Works Director has reviewed the 6.35% rate adjustment request submitted by Republic, completed the necessary studies, conducted a public hearing, and subsequently issued the recommended order based on consultant R3's rate study to increase Republic's rates 5.34% effective January 1, 2019; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Manager forwarded the recommended order to City Council with the recommendation to approve the 5.34% increase; and

**WHEREAS**, Republic Services has submitted a revised base year rate adjustment request for a 5.41% final increase consistent with the consultant's recommendation and which subsequently incorporated rate review cost recovery, with the proposed rates shown below.

## Rate Tables

	2018 Collection Rate	Base Year Rate Adj 5.41%	2019 Collection Rate	City Waste Program	2019 Post-Collec Charge	2019 Monthly TOTAL
35- gallon	25.69	1.39	27.08	2.08	9.47	38.63
65- gallon	44.31	2.40	46.71	3.79	17.61	68.11
95- gallon	63.04	3.41	66.45	5.60	26.42	98.47
20- gallon	24.78	1.34	26.12	1.40	5.40	32.92
Sr. 35- gal	23.69	1.39	25.08	2.03	9.47	36.58

2019 Commercial Service Rates *								
Bin	Times per Week							
Size	1	2	3	4	5			
1								
Yard	280.98	492.72	704.62	916.37	1,128.27			
2								
Yard	466.01	852.57	1,239.11	1,625.67	2,012.07			
3								
Yard	639.86	1,191.01	1,741.80	2,292.57	2,843.36			
4								
Yard	807.78	1,518.19	2,228.46	2,938.72	3,648.95			
5								
Yard	972.51	1,839.99	2,707.30	3,574.77	4,442.09			
6								
Yard	1,135.50	2,159.05	3,182.95	4,206.66	5,230.57			
7								
Yard	1,297.36	2,477.51	3,657.80	4,837.93	6,018.07			

<sup>\*</sup>Includes \$41.95 per yard/per month/per pick-up per week (IRRF Surcharge)

**WHEREAS**, on this day the City Council considered the information, evidence, and public testimony presented to them.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Hercules that the City Council hereby approves Republic Services' requested base year rate adjustment of +5.41% effective January 1, 2019 per the recommended order issued by the Public Works Director.

The foregoing Resolution was duly and regularly adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Hercules held on the eighth day of January, 2019 by the following vote of the Council:

AYES:	
NOES:	
ABSENT:	
ATTEST:	Dan Romero, Mayor
Lori Martin, MMC Administrative Services Director/City Clerk	