

CITY OF WILKES-BARRE
PENNSYLVANIA



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

CITY COUNCIL

DECEMBER 7, 2021

6:00 P.M. Cathy Payne, City Clerk

1. An Ordinance amending Section 29.240.3 of Article VIII of Chapter 29 of the Wilkes-Barre City Code of Ordinances entitled "Designated Zone".
(Downtown Resident Meter Parking Permit Program) (First Reading)

ORDINANCES FOR SECOND AND FINAL READING

FILE OF COUNCIL NO. 13 OF 2021 – AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF WILKES-BARRE, PENNSYLVANIA ADOPTING THE MAYOR'S PROPOSED GENERAL FUND BUDGET.

6:10 P.M. Mayor George C. Brown (See Attached)

WILKES-BARRE CITY COUNCIL
WORK SESSION – DECEMBER 7, 2021
MAYOR’S AGENDA

ORDINANCES:

Amending Section 12-27 of Article II of Chapter 12 of the Wilkes-Barre City Code of Ordinances Entitled “Garbage and Refuse.” (Fee for recyclable newsprint, commingled recyclable aluminum cans and recyclable ferrous containers.

Amending Chapter 30 of the Wilkes-Barre City Code of Ordinances Entitled “Utilities.” (Annual rental and maintenance fee for persons within the city).

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PENNSYLVANIA



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DECEMBER 7, 2021

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

ORDINANCES

MINUTES

PRESENTATIONS BY COUNCIL MEMBERS

PUBLIC DISCUSSION

ADJOURNMENT

CITY COUNCIL
DECEMBER 7, 2021

ORDINANCES

FILE OF COUNCIL NO. 13 OF 2021 – AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF WILKES-BARRE, PENNSYLVANIA ADOPTING THE MAYOR'S PROPOSED GENERAL FUND BUDGET. (SECOND AND FINAL READING)

FILE OF COUNCIL NO. 14 OF 2021 – AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 29.240.3 OF ARTICLE VIII OF CHAPTER 29 OF THE WILKES-BARRE CITY CODE OF ORDINANCES ENTITLED "DESIGNATED ZONE". (FIRST READING)

FILE OF COUNCIL NO. 15 OF 2021 – AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 2-27 OF ARTICLE II OF CHAPTER 12 OF THE WILKES-BARRE CITY CODE OF ORDINANCES ENTITLED "GARBAGE AND REFUSE." (Fee for recyclable newsprint, commingled recyclable aluminum cans and recyclable ferrous containers) (FIRST READING)

FILE OF COUNCIL NO. 16 OF 2021 – AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 30 OF THE WILKES-BARRE CITY CODE OF ORDINANCES ENTITLED "UTILITIES." (Sewers - Annual rental and maintenance fee for persons within the city). (FIRST READING)

MINUTES

Of the Wyoming Valley Sanitary Authority of October 19, 2021.

Of the Regular Session of City Council of November 9, 2021.

Of the Wilkes-Barre Traffic Committee Meeting of November 18, 2021.

Of the Regular Session of City Council of November 23, 2021.

FILE OF COUNCIL

Presented in Council on November 23, 2021

No. ____ of 2021

AN ORDINANCE

OF THE CITY OF WILKES-BARRE, PENNSYLVANIA ADOPTING THE
MAYOR'S PROPOSED GENERAL FUND BUDGET.

Now, Therefore, It Is Hereby Ordered and Enacted by the City Council of the City of Wilkes-Barre That the Mayor's Proposed General Fund Budget For 2022 is Hereby Adopted as follows:

- Section 1. The Mayor's proposed budget for calendar year 2022 is hereby adopted without changes. A copy of the proposed budget is available for review at the Office of the City Clerk during normal business hours or on the City's website.
- Section 2. The provisions of this ordinance are severable. If any part of this ordinance is declared to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, the validity of the remaining provisions shall be unaffected thereby. It is the intention of the Council of the City of Wilkes-Barre that this ordinance would have been adopted had such unconstitutional, illegal or invalid part not been included.
- Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed. All ordinances not specifically amended hereby remain in full force and effect.
- Section 4. Passed finally by the Council of the City of Wilkes-Barre on _____, 2021.
- Section 5. This ordinance shall become effective on January 1, 2022.

Attest:

Cathy Payne, City Clerk

FILE OF COUNCIL

Presented to City Council on December 9, 2021

No. _____ of 2021

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 29.240.3 OF ARTICLE VIII OF
CHAPTER 29 OF THE WILKES-BARRE CITY CODE OF ORDINANCES
ENTITLED "DESIGNATED ZONE."**

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILKES-BARRE THAT SECTION 29.240.3 OF ARTICLE VIII OF CHAPTER 29 ENTITLED "DESIGNATED ZONE" IS HEREBY AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

CHAPTER 29. TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLES

**ARTICLE VIII. DOWNTOWN RESIDENTS METER PARKING PERMIT
PROGRAM**

Section 29-240.3 Designated zone.

Residential parking permits within the downtown metered zone will hereby be permitted for domiciled residents in the designated zone bounded and described as follows:

West South Street from Barnum Place to West River Street.

West River Street to West Ross Street.

West Ross Street to South Main Street.

South Franklin Street from West South Street to West Ross Street.

South River Street from West South Street to West Ross Street.

North Franklin Street from West Market Street to West Union Street.

SEVERABILITY.

The provisions of this ordinance are severable. If any part of this ordinance is declared to be unconstitutional, illegal, or invalid, the validity of the

remaining provisions shall be unaffected thereby. It is the intention of the Council of the City of Wilkes-Barre that this ordinance would have been adopted had such unconstitutional, illegal, or invalid part not been included.

REPEALER.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed. All ordinances not specifically amended hereby remain in full force and effect.

Passed finally by the Council of the City of Wilkes-Barre on _____
_____, 2021.

This ordinance shall become effective ten (10) days after final passage by the Council of the City of Wilkes-Barre.

Attest:

Cathy Payne, City Clerk

FILE OF COUNCIL

Presented in City Council on December 7, 2021

No. _____ of 2021

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 12-27 OF ARTICLE II. OF
CHAPTER 12 OF THE WILKES-BARRE CITY CODE OF ORDINANCES
ENTITLED "GARBAGE AND REFUSE."**

WHEREAS, it is the desire and intention of the City Council to pass legislation within the City of Wilkes-Barre by amending Section 12-27 of Article II. of Chapter 12 of the Wilkes-Barre Code of Ordinances.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILKES-BARRE THAT SECTION 12-27 OF ARTICLE II. OF CHAPTER 12 ENTITLED "GARBAGE AND REFUSE" IS HEREBY AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

CHAPTER 12. GARBAGE AND REFUSE

ARTICLE II. LITTER AND DISPOSAL

**Sec. 12-27. Fee for recyclable newsprint, commingled recyclable
aluminum cans and recyclable ferrous containers.**

The annual fee for collection of recyclable newsprint, commingled recyclable aluminum cans and recyclable ferrous containers shall be Fifty Dollars (\$50.00).

SEVERABILITY.

The provisions of this ordinance are severable. If any part of this ordinance is declared to be unconstitutional, illegal, or invalid, the validity of the remaining provisions shall be unaffected thereby. It is the intention of the Council of the City of Wilkes-Barre that this ordinance would have been adopted had such unconstitutional, illegal, or invalid part not been included.

REPEALER.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed. All ordinances not specifically amended hereby remain in full force and effect.

Passed finally by the Council of the City of Wilkes-Barre on _____
_____, 2021.

This ordinance shall become effective ten (10) days after final passage by the
Council of the City of Wilkes-Barre.

Attest:

Cathy Payne, City Clerk

FILE OF COUNCIL

Presented in City Council on December 7, 2021

No. _____ of 2021

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 30 OF THE WILKES-BARRE
CITY CODE OF ORDINANCES ENTITLED "UTILITIES."**

WHEREAS, it is the desire and intention of the City Council to pass legislation within the City of Wilkes-Barre by amending Chapter 30 of the Wilkes-Barre Code of Ordinances.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILKES-BARRE THAT CHAPTER 30 ENTITLED "UTILITIES" IS HEREBY AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

CHAPTER 30. UTILITIES

ARTICLE II. SEWERS

Sec. 30-19. Annual rental and maintenance fee for persons within city.

(b) *Residential and small, unmetered commercial establishments.* The annual sewer rental and maintenance fee for all residential properties, whether or metered, and small unmetered commercial establishments which are located within the legal boundaries of the city shall be computed on a flat rate basis at the following rates:

<u>Classification</u>	<u>Annual Rent</u>
Average domestic home	\$50.00
First unit in multiple unit dwelling	\$50.00
Each additional unit in Multiple unit dwelling	\$50.00
Small commercial establishments	\$50.00

Flat rate customers will be given the option at the time of annual billing of paying the annual rent in full, less a discount of three (3) percent if payment is received no later than thirty (30) days from the mailing date. From thirty (30)

days through sixty (60) days of mailing bills shall be paid at face value. Bills paid after sixty (60) of mailing shall be subject to six (6) percent penalty plus interest at a rate of one (1) percent per month. Not to exceed a maximum of twelve (12) percent and all other fees and costs relative to collection of the aforementioned shall be paid by the customer.

SEVERABILITY.

The provisions of this ordinance are severable. If any part of this ordinance is declared to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, the validity of the remaining provisions shall be unaffected thereby. It is the intention of the Council of the City of Wilkes-Barre that this ordinance would have been adopted had such unconstitutional, illegal or invalid part not been included.

REPEALER.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed. All ordinances not specifically amended hereby remain in full force and effect.

Passes finally by the Council of the City of Wilkes-Barre on _____

_____.

This ordinance shall become effective ten (10) days after final passage by the Council of the City of Wilkes-Barre.

Attest:

Cathy Payne, City Clerk