

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHULA VISTA AMENDING THE CITY-INITIATED TOW AND STORAGE RATE SCHEDULE

WHEREAS, on December 3, 2019, City Council approved the tow and storage rates for 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department is requesting Council approval to update this rate schedule for 2021; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department recommends to amend the City initiated tow and storage rates, based on the most recent California Highway Patrol Southern San Diego Region tow rates; and

WHEREAS, the chart below shows the proposed schedule of all charges and fees that the tow companies will be authorized to collect from consumers for tow and impound services rendered on behalf of the City; and

**Chula Vista City-Initiated Tow and Storage Rates  
(effective January 1, 2021)**

<b>Service</b>	<b>Rate</b>
<b>Basic Tow</b>	<b>\$227.00</b>
<b>Medium Tow</b>	<b>\$261.00</b>
<b>Heavy Tow</b>	<b>\$300.00</b>
<b>Mileage</b>	<b>None</b>
<b>Dolly Charge</b>	<b>None</b>
<b>Labor Rate per hour (if exceeding one hour of service)</b>	<b>\$65.00</b>
<b>Basic Storage Rate (per 24-hour period)</b>	<b>\$61.00</b>
<b>Medium Storage Rate (per 24-hour period)</b>	<b>\$66.00</b>
<b>Heavy Storage Rate (per 24-hour period)</b>	<b>\$75.00</b>
<b>Evening Release (after 5:00 pm &amp; Holidays)</b>	<b>\$65.00</b>

WHEREAS, the tow and storage rate schedule for 2021 is identical to the California Highway Patrol Southern San Diego Region tow rates. The CHP manages one of the largest government entity-initiated tow program in the state, and its rates are viewed as representative and reliable benchmarks; and

WHEREAS, the City intends to revise the City-initiated tow and storage rates every year using the same methodology.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Chula Vista, that it amends the City-initiated tow and storage rate schedule.

Presented by

Approved as to form by

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Roxana Kennedy  
Chief of Police

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Glen R. Googins  
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