

**TOWN OF ST. JOHN, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA  
BOARD OF SAFETY**

**RESOLUTION NO.: 2022-06-21**

**A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE TOWING GUIDELINES FOR THE TOWN OF ST. JOHN AND INCREASING THE “NOT TO EXCEED” AMOUNT ASSESSED FOR TOWING SERVICES**

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Safety of the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana (hereinafter “Board of Safety”), has reviewed the fees currently being assessed for towing services provided by towing agencies for the Town Police Department; and

**WHEREAS**, Town Ordinance 886, as codified as Town Code Sec. 13-253, provides that the Board of Safety, as having authority for policymaking and management oversight of the operation, management and control of the St. John Police Department, may evaluate the fees being assessed for towing services and make findings and recommendations to the Town Council regarding the same.

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Safety has determined, upon recommendation of the Chief of Police and a review of the fees charged by other municipalities in Lake County, that it is necessary and advisable to increase the fees for towing services provided by towing agencies for the Town Police Department.

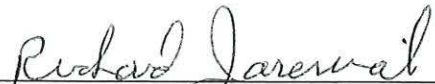
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SAFETY OF THE TOWN OF ST. JOHN, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA, AS FOLLOWS:**

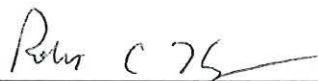
**SECTION ONE:** That the Board of Safety hereby finds and recommends to the Town Council of the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana, that the “not to exceed” amount for the “light duty rate” (10,000 lbs. gross vehicle weight) for police directed towing services shall be increased from \$125.00 to \$185.00, effective immediately.

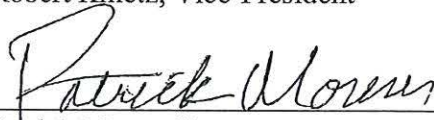
**SECTION TWO:** This Resolution and the findings and recommendations herein shall be forwarded to the Town Council take effect, and the proposed increase in the “not to exceed” fee for the “light duty rate” shall be in full force and effect, immediately upon approval of said findings and recommendation by the Town Council of the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana.

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FOLLOWS]


ALL OF WHICH IS PASSED AND RESOLVED THIS 15<sup>th</sup> DAY OF JUNE, 2022, BY  
THE BOARD OF SAFETY OF THE TOWN OF ST. JOHN, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA.

  
Richard Janowiak, President

  
Robert Kmetz, Vice-President

  
Patrick Moran, Secretary

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Steve DeJong, Member

  
Raymond Paradiso, Member