ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 108-1(L)(3) “SOLID WASTE FEES” PROVIDING FOR AN ANNUAL REGISTRATION FEE OF $25.00 FOR PRIVATE TRASHHAULER DUMPSTER SERVICE IN THE CITY OF COATESVILLE TO IDENTIFY THAT SUCH FEE IS CHARGED PER TAX PARCEL SERVICED BY PRIVATE TRASH HAULING SERVICE AND NOT “PER DUMPSTER”.

WHEREAS, the City of Coatesville is a Third Class City situated in Chester County, Pennsylvania, operating under its Home Rule Charter and the Third Class City Code (hereinafter the “City”); and

WHEREAS, the City under Solid Waste fees requires an annual registration fee for private collection, transport and disposal of solid waste at a registration fee of $25.00 “per dumpster”; and

WHEREAS, the City has found a need to clarify that those properties subject to private collection should be tied to the tax parcel number to the property upon which is located any dumpster service supplied by private collection; and

WHEREAS, this is beneficial because tying the registration fee to the tax parcel serviced by dumpster - as opposed to the actual identified “dumpster” - improves sanitary conditions, provides a more fair and uniform procedure for such registration and provides for greater accountability with respect to the obligation of such registration.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the forgoing, and its authority under the Third Class City Code and its Charter, the City of Coatesville City Council does hereby enact and amend Chapter 108-1 Fees to amend Section 108-1.I.(L)(3) by replacing the existing language and substituting the following language:

“(L)(3) Registration for private collection, transport and disposal of solid waste is $25.00 per tax parcel serviced by a dumpster supplying such service”.

Should any section, paragraph, clause or phrase of this Ordinance be declared unconstitutional or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of said Ordinance shall not be affected thereby, and shall remain in full force and effect.

This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after publication following final adoption in accordance with the City Charter and the Third-Class City Code.
ENACTED AND ORDAINED THIS 14th DAY OF December, 2015.

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Ruthann Mowday, Secretary

CERTIFICATION

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Ordinance was introduced on the 23rd day of November, 2015 and was duly enacted by the Council of the City of Coatesville, Chester County, Pennsylvania, on the 14th day of December, 2015, that the vote upon the said Ordinance has been recorded in the Minutes of the City Council and that the Ordinance has been fully recorded.

[Signature]
Michael T. Frio, City Manager