

**City of Missoula, Montana
New Business Item**

Item: Annual Assessments for Street Maintenance District #1 - Downtown

Council Meeting

Date: July 12, 2023

Sponsor(s): Marty Rehbein

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Ward(s) Affected:

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Action Required:

Set and conduct a public hearing and consider a resolution.

Recommended Motion(s):

I move the City Council: Set a public hearing on August 7, 2023, on a resolution levying a special assessment and tax on the lots, pieces and parcels of land situated within Street Maintenance District #1 of the City of Missoula, Montana generally located in the downtown area \$141,084.38, in an amount to be determined] for the purpose of defraying the cost of flushing and removing street rubbish from streets and avenues in the district during the fiscal year 2024.

Timeline and Recommended Motions:

Committee discussion: July 12, 2023

Council sets public hearing: July 17, 2023

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Public Hearing:

August 7, 2022

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Final Consideration: August 14, 2022

Background and Alternatives Explored:

Each year, the City Council levies assessments to provide street sweeping and garbage/recycling removal services in Street Maintenance District #1. The district largely comprises the downtown area. The district is in place to provide extra street cleaning and garbage/recycling removal services over and above the services provided in the rest of the city. The Street Division sweeps maintenance district streets once a week (weather permitting). The City has a contract with the Downtown Business Improvement District to pick up trash and recycling from the bins located in the downtown area.

By law, assessments must be finalized by Monday, August 14, 2023. (7-12-4425, MCA).

Financial Implications:

This year's assessment is proposed to be \$141,084.38, a 3.94% increase from last fiscal year.

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