



## Legislation Details (With Text)

**File #:** RLH TA 23- 122 **Version:** 2

**Type:** Resolution LH Tax Assessment Appeal **Status:** Passed

**In control:** City Council

**Final action:** 5/24/2023

**Title:** Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 1932 ASHLAND AVENUE. (File No.CG2301A3, Assessment No. 230107)

**Sponsors:** Mitra Jalali

**Indexes:** Special Tax Assessments, Ward - 4

**Code sections:**

**Attachments:** 1. 1932 Ashland Avenue. Assessment Inquiry Ticket. 3-27-2023.pdf, 2. 1932 Ashland Avenue. FW Billing Quest 1932 Ashland Ave. 3-27-2023.pdf, 3. 1932 Ashland Avenue. RE Attn Susan Stewart - 1932 Ashland Billing Discrepancy. 3-27-2023.pdf

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
5/25/2023	2	Mayor's Office	Signed	
5/24/2023	2	City Council	Adopted	Pass
4/6/2023	1	Legislative Hearings	Referred	

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**Date of LH:** 4/6/2023  
**Time of LH:** 11:00 am  
**Date of CPH:** 5/24/2023

**Postcard Returned by:** John Ervin Thomas

**Cost:** \$456.04

**Hauling Service(s) Provided:** Unpaid Garbage Bill; October 1 - December 31

**Type of Order/Fee:** Trash Hauling

**Billing Time Period:** Quarter 4 (October - December) 2022

**Invoice Date(s):** October 1 - December 31

**Garbage Hauler:** Highland Sanitation

**Returned Mail/Notice Concerns?:**

**Stated Reason for Appeal (if given):** Property owner stated that the property is a 3 unit owner-occupied multi-family dwelling unit in St Paul. However, they recently discovered they have been incorrectly been charged for four garbage carts instead of three.

**Staff Comments:** Hauler records show that there have only been three carts at the property since the start of the coordinated collection program. There are two 64-gal carts and one 96-gal cart. Therefore staff recommends reducing the assessment to \$320.43, which is the base service level cost for two 64-gal carts and one 96-gal cart.

WHEREAS, the Office of Financial Services Real Estate Section has attached to this Council File both a report of completion outlining the costs and fees associated with Collection of Delinquent Garbage Bills

for services during October to December 2022. (File No. CG2301A3, Assessment No. 230107) and the assessment roll including all properties for which these assessments are proposed for Council ratification; and

WHEREAS, the City Council's Legislative Hearing Officer has reviewed an appeal of this assessment and developed a recommendation for the City Council with respect to this assessment; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing having been conducted for the above improvement, and said assessment having been further considered by the Council and having been considered financially satisfactory; Now, Therefore, Be It

RESOLVED, that pursuant to Chapter 14 of the Saint Paul City Charter, said assessment is hereby ratified and reduced from \$456.04 to \$320.43.