

THE CITY OF NEWPORT

**RESOLUTION
OF THE
COUNCIL
No. 2024-08**

WHEREAS, the City of Newport is given authority by Rhode Island General Law 45-2-35.1 to charge a landing fee of \$3.00 per passenger and a boarding fee of \$3.00 per passenger from every cruise ship landing and embarking from a dock in Newport; AND

WHEREAS, the fees have not increased since 2014; AND

WHEREAS, the City of Newport would like to increase the fees up to \$10.00 per passenger and up to \$10.00 per passenger for boarding; NOW THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED: the Newport City Council requests the Rhode Island General Assembly to amend RI General Law 45-2-35.1 to allow the City to increase the cruise ships fees up to \$10.00 per passenger and up to \$10.00 per passenger for boarding.

IN COUNCIL
READ AND PASSED
FEBRUARY 14, 2024



Laura C. Swistak, CMC
City Clerk