

**Resolution #8-R-24**  
**Resolution to Require a Super Majority Vote on Wheel Tax or Wheel  
Tax Related Fee Increases**

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*Referred To:* Finance Committee

**RESOLUTION SUMMARY**

Require a super majority vote (2/3) of the Common Council on any change to the City of Appleton wheel tax or wheel tax related fees proposed by the city or part of a resolution submitted by an Alderperson or Alderpersons.

**FULL RESOLUTION**

**Whereas** tax and fee increases can have a direct financial impact on the citizens of Appleton, and;

**And Whereas** tax and fee changes can have an impact on departmental budgets, capital projects, borrowing obligations, service levels, and operations, and;

**And Whereas** certain transactions such as transfer of funds, special use permits, and some other important financial impact votes require a super majority vote of the Common Council, and;

**And Whereas** important votes on tax and fee increases should be held to the same higher threshold for approval as other finance-based matters with the potential for direct financial implications to taxpaying citizens, now;

**Therefore, Be It Resolved** the City of Appleton requires a super majority vote defined as a 2/3 vote of the members of the Common Council on all wheel tax and wheel tax related fee changes, including increases and decreases.