

**CITY OF WEST ALLIS
RESOLUTION R-2020-0544**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO ENTER INTO
AN AGREEMENT WITH AUTHORIZE.NET**

WHEREAS, changes in technology, payment options and the desire to serve our customers in the most efficient way possible necessitate including options for payment with credit and debit cards; and

WHEREAS, accepting credit/debit cards for transactions with the City is consistent with the practices of many government agencies and an expectation of many in the 21st Century; and

WHEREAS, the City of West Allis is creating a virtual city hall which provides 24/7 access to our citizens and includes the implementation of an online permitting and licensing system with online payment options; and

WHEREAS, the Finance, Treasurer, BINS, Communications departments have research options for a vendor to provide merchant account and gateway services to facilitate additional payment options and authorize.net was selected as the best option based on a number of reasons including the ease of implementation with the online permitting and licensing system (My Government Online).

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of West Allis that the City Administrator is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with Authorize.net to provide merchant account and gateway services with costs estimated between \$35,000 and \$50,000 per year and funded through the Finance Department account #100-1404-515.30-09.

SECTION 1: **ADOPTION** “R-2020-0544” of the City Of West Allis Municipal Resolutions is hereby *added* as follows:

A D O P T I O N

R-2020-0544(*Added*)

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF WEST ALLIS COUNCIL

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	AYE	NAY	ABSENT	ABSTAIN
Ald. Angelito Tenorio	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Vince Vitale	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Tracy Stefanski	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Marty Weigel	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Suzzette Grisham	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Danna Kuehn	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Thomas Lajsic	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Dan Roadt	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Rosalie Reinke	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Kevin Haass	_____	_____	_____	_____

Attest

Presiding Officer

Rebecca Grill, City Clerk, City Of
West Allis

Dan Devine, Mayor City Of West
Allis