



GARDINER CITY COUNCIL
AGENDA ITEM INFORMATION SHEET



Meeting Date	06/19/2019	Department	Finance
Agenda Item	4.3 Consideration and Resolve of FY20 Tax Due Dates, Setting the Interest Rate, & Authorizing the Tax Club Program		
Est. Cost	None		

Background Information	Council needs to approve the setting of tax due dates, the interest rate charged to delinquent accounts, and authorize the Tax Club Program.		

Requested Action	'I move to approve the tax due dates of September 16, 2019 and March 16, 2020 with a 9% interest rate on delinquent accounts, and allow residents to participate in the Property Tax Club Payment Plan for FY20. And, to also authorize the acceptance of prepayments for taxes not yet committed, with 0% interest accrued.'
City Manager and/or Finance Review	The City Manager recommends the above action.
Council Vote/ Action Taken	
Departmental Follow-Up	

<i>City Clerk Use Only</i>	1 st Reading _____	Advertised _____	EFFECTIVE DATE _____
	2 nd Reading _____	Advertised _____ w/in 15 Days	
	Final to Dept _____	Updated Book _____	Online _____



ORDER 2019-06-19-003

**An Order Authorizing FY20 Tax Collection Dates,
Interest Rates and Tax Club Program**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GARDINER, MAINE:

That **September 16, 2019** is the due date for collection of the first half of fiscal year 2020 property taxes with no penalty due, and **March 16, 2020** is the due date for collection of the second half of fiscal year 2020 property taxes with no penalty due.

That the interest will be set at 9% per annum and will accrue on outstanding balances as of September 17, 2019 and March 17, 2020.

That this order also authorizes the acceptance of payments using the Property Tax Club, and the acceptance of prepayments for taxes not yet committed, with 0% interest accrued.

Attest,

Christine M. Landes, City Manager