

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF DESERT HOT SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA, AMENDING SECTION 3.16.030 "RATE" OF TITLE 3 "REVENUE AND FINANCE" OF THE DESERT HOT SPRINGS MUNICIPAL CODE INCREASING THE CITY SALES, TRANSACTION AND USE TAX BY ONE PERCENT

THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF DESERT HOT SPRINGS ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. AMENDMENT

That Section 3.16.030 "Rate" of Chapter 3.16 "Sales and Use Tax" or Title 3 "Revenue and Finance" of the Desert Hot Springs Municipal Code is hereby amended by the People of Desert Hot Springs as follows:

3.16.030 Rate.

~~The rate of sales tax and use tax imposed by this chapter shall be the maximum rate set forth in paragraph (b) of Section 8 of Ordinance No. 438 of the County, as amended. (Prior code § 35.012)~~ **The rate of the tax imposed by this chapter shall be one percent on and after the operative date of Ordinance No. _____, as approved by the voters of the City of Desert Hot Springs.**

Section 2. APPROPRIATIONS LIMIT

That pursuant to Article XIIB of the California Constitution, the appropriation limit for the City of Desert Hot Springs is increased to the maximum extent over the maximum period of time allowed under the law consistent with the revenues generated by this tax.

Section 3. SEVERABILITY

That should any provision, section, paragraph, sentence or word of this ordinance be rendered or declared invalid by any final court action in a court of competent jurisdiction or by reason of any preemptive legislation, the remaining provisions, sections, paragraphs, sentences or words of this ordinance as hereby adopted shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 4. REPEAL OF CONFLICTING PROVISIONS

That all the provisions of the Municipal Code as heretofore adopted by the City of Desert Hot Springs that are in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 5. AMENDING OF BAIL SCHEDULE

That the City Attorney's Office is hereby directed to determine whether this ordinance necessitates amendment of the City's Bail Schedule and to cause such necessary amendments to be made and filed with the local branches of the Superior Court of the County of Riverside.

Section 6. CERTIFICATION

That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and shall cause the same to be published according to law.

Section 7. EFFECTIVE DATE

That this ordinance shall take effect ten (10) days following the City Council's certification of the results of the November 4, 2014 election.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the People of the City of Desert Hot Springs at a special election held on November 4, 2014.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Jerryl Soriano, City Clerk

Adam Sanchez, Sr., Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Steven B. Quintanilla, City Attorney