

ORDINANCE 3071

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ANACORTES RELATING TO LOCAL SALES AND USE TAX; AUTHORIZING MAXIMUM CAPACITY UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF RCW 82.14.540 FOR AFFORDABLE AND SUPPORTIVE HOUSING; AND ESTABLISHING IN THE CITY'S GENERAL LEDGER A FUND TO SUPPORT THE ACCOUNTING FOR THOSE RELATED REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES

WHEREAS, RCW 82.14.540 empowers the legislative authority of a city with the authority to fix and impose an additional sales and use tax as a credit against the tax already payable to the State and shall not result in a tax increase; and

WHEREAS, RCW 82.14.540 requires a resolution of intent to obtain such credit within 6 months of July 28, 2019, and likewise requires legislation to obtain said credit within 12 months of the same date, and

WHEREAS, On August 26, 2019 the Anacortes City Council adopted Resolution number 2054 declaring the Council's intent to adopt legislation to authorize the full sales and use tax credit authorized in RCW 82.14.540, and

WHEREAS, RCW 82.14.540 authorizes a city who is levying qualifying local tax to obtain from the State the full sales tax credit at the rate of .0146, and

WHEREAS, On November 4, 2019 the Anacortes City Council adopted Resolution number 2061 authorizing a voter proposition to the voters of the City of Anacortes, to authorize a 1/10th of 1% sales tax increase, otherwise known as a qualifying local tax, the proceeds of which would be used for affordable and supportive housing purposes as authorized and outlined in RCW 82.14.530, and

WHEREAS, In a special election on February 11, 2020 Anacortes voters approved the qualifying local tax by an approval rate of 55%, and

WHEREAS, RCW 82.14.540 requires an ordinance to be adopted by City Council by July 28, 2020 to authorize the full sales tax credit at the rate of .0146, and

WHEREAS, It is the intent of City Council to collect the full sales tax credit of .0146 and the qualifying local tax requirement has been met to collect said full credit, and

WHEREAS, City Council desires to establish a fund in the City's accounting system general ledger into which the funds collected through the qualifying local tax and the full sales tax credit will be deposited into, and spent out of, and said fund will be numbered and will operate consistent with the requirements provided by the BARS manual published by the Washington State Auditor's office.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ANACORTES:

Section 1: The full sales tax credit of .0146 is authorized to be collected from the State of Washington, as outlined in RCW 82.14.540.

Section 2: The Finance Director will establish a Fund in the City Accounting System to accommodate the accounting necessary for the qualifying local tax and the supportive and affordable housing tax credit.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 1st day of June, 2020.

CITY OF ANACORTES, WASHINGTON

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