

AN ORDINANCE MODIFYING ORDINANCE NO. 837, CHANGING THE RATE OF THE TRANSIENT LODGING TAX (MOTEL TAX) FROM THE CURRENT FIVE (5) PERCENT TO SEVEN (7) PERCENT; DEDICATING A CERTAIN PERCENTAGE OF THE PROCEEDS FROM SAID TAX TO THE PRINEVILLE/CROOK COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF PRINEVILLE ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. SECTION 1, DEFINITIONS, is changed as follows:

The following subsection (n) is added:

(n) "CHAMBER OF COMMERCE" shall mean the Prineville/Crook County Chamber of Commerce.

(o) "Year" shall mean that period from July 1 thru June 30.

Section 2. SECTION 2, TAX IMPOSED, is changed as follows:

The amount of five (5) percent imposed as a tax under this ordinance shall be changed to seven (7) percent. In addition, the following second paragraph shall be added:

The tax proceeds collected under the provisions of this ordinance shall be divided between the City and the Chamber of Commerce, with sixty (60) percent going to the City and forty (40) percent going to the Chamber of Commerce. In no event, however, shall the division going to the Chamber of Commerce exceed \$15,000 in any one year. Of the division of the proceeds going to the Chamber of Commerce, twenty-five (25) percent will be allowed to go into the Chamber's general operating fund with the remaining seventy-five (75) percent being used for tourism. The Chamber will be allowed to carry over unspent funds from one year to the next without penalty or deduction by the City as regards the unspent funds.

Section 3. Inasmuch as it is for the health, welfare and benefit of the people of the City of Prineville for this ordinance to go into effect as soon as practicable, and emergency is hereby declared to exist and this ordinance shall go into full force and effect on July 1, 1989.

Section 4. All other provisions of Ordinance No. 837 shall remain in full force and effect.

Approved by the Council this 27th day of June, 1989.

Signed by the Mayor this 27th day of June, 1989.


Stephen P. Uffelman, Mayor


Henry Hartley, City Administrator
Recorder

TRANSIENT LODGING TAX (HOTEL/MOTEL TAX)

Be sure this form is filled in completely and correctly. Penalties and interest will be assessed for delinquencies.

For months of: _____, ____; _____, ____; _____, ____.

CALCULATION SECTION

- 1. Gross Rent.....\$ _____
- LESS Allowable deductions:
- 2. Rent (by month).....\$ _____
- 3. Rent less than \$4 per day..... _____
- 4. Uncollectibles..... _____
- 5. Total Allowable Deductions (Lines 2, 3 & 4).....\$ _____
- 6. Taxable Rents (Line 1 minus Line 5).....\$ _____
- 7. TAX: 7% of Line 6.....\$ _____
- 8. ADD: Excess Tax Collected.....\$ _____
- 9. Total of Line 7 and 8.....\$ _____
- 10. Collection Fee: 6% of Line 9.....\$ _____
- 11. TOTAL TAX DUE (Line 9 less line 10).....\$ _____
- 12. Penalty.....\$ _____
- 13. Interest.....\$ _____
- 14. Adjustment for prior shortage or overpayment.....\$ _____
- 15. TOTAL TAX, PENALTY, INTEREST (LINE 11 PLUS LINE 12, 13, & 14, or
subtract Line 14, if overpayment....\$ _____

I DECLARE UNDER PENALTY FOR MAKING A FALSE STATEMENT, THAT, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF, THE STATEMENTS HEREIN ARE TRUE AND CORRECT.

Date: _____

Business Name: _____

Signed: _____ Title: _____

CHANGE OF MAILING ADDRESS must be filed and reported immediately to the Tax Administrator.

IF BUSINESS IS DISPOSED OF OR SUSPENDED, closing return and Certificate of Authority must be filed immediately, at City Hall, and the tax due must be paid. No change of ownership can be recorded until this is done.

CHECKS, DRAFTS, POSTAL NOTES AND MONEY ORDERS in the exact amount of tax due are accepted by the Tax Administrator only as agent of the taxpayer and do not constitute payment until cleared. The Tax Administrator assumes no responsibility for loss in transit.

REMITTANCE: Avoid penalty, be sure proper remittance is enclosed.

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: City of Prineville.