

RESOLUTION NO. 2010-812

A RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CAMP VERDE, ARIZONA, ORDERING AND CALLING AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 2, 2010, IN AND FOR THE TOWN OF CAMP VERDE, ARIZONA, TO SUBMIT TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS THEREOF THE QUESTION TO AUTHORIZE TWO PROPOSED INCREASES IN THE GENERAL TRANSACTION PRIVILEGE TAX OF THE TOWN OF CAMP VERDE: A ONE PERCENT (1%) INCREASE, EXCLUDING THE CATEGORIES OF CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTING, CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS, HOTEL (BED TAX), AND RENTAL TAXES ON REAL PROPERTY REFERRED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL AND A 50 MILL (1/2 CENT) INCREASE AS PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE.

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the Town of Camp Verde, Arizona (hereinafter referred to as the "Town"), hereby find and determine that the financial needs of the Town can be best met by in increase in the general transaction privilege tax levied by the Town; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 42-6006, Arizona Revised Statutes, the Common Council of the Town may order an election to seek electorate approval of such transaction privilege tax increase.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN:

1. That an election of the qualified electors of the Town be called for the purposes described herein and the same is hereby ordered and called to be held on November 2, 2010 (hereinafter referred to as the "Election"), at which there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the Town: (a) the question of authorizing a one percent (1%) increase in the general transaction privilege tax, excluding the categories of construction contracting, construction contractors, hotel (bed tax), and rental taxes on real property levied by the Town, and (b) the question posed by initiative as set forth on **Exhibit A**.

2. That the Election shall be called and notice thereof given by mailing an informational pamphlet (hereinafter referred to as the "Informational Pamphlet") and a sample of the ballot for the Election (the "Official Ballot") to the residence of each household which includes a registered voter within the Town not less than thirty-five (35) days before the date of the Election. The Official Ballot for the Election shall be in substantially the form hereto attached and marked as the **Exhibit B**.

3. That the Clerk of the Town is hereby authorized and directed to cause the Informational Pamphlet to be so prepared and so mailed according to law and the provisions of this Resolution under the circumstances described herein in the form she deems acceptable.

4. That the Clerk of the Town is hereby authorized and directed to submit, within thirty (30) days after the date of the Election, a copy of the Informational Pamphlet to the Arizona Department of Revenue and the results of the Election.

5. That the polling places and the time the polls will be opened and closed shall be as provided in the Informational Pamphlet. The Common Council of the Town hereby

(i) establish the election precincts indicated herein which shall have the same boundaries as the County election precincts as provided in Section 16-411, Arizona Revised Statutes; (ii) designate each polling place in each precinct indicated therein; (iii) approve the consolidation of any precincts indicated as such therein and by such indication deem such consolidation as necessary for purposes of the Election and (iv) with respect to any polling place for a precinct designated within an adjacent precinct as indicated therein, find that no suitable polling place is available within such precinct.

6. That absentee/early voting shall be permitted in accordance with the provisions of Title 16, Chapter 4, Article 8, Arizona Revised Statutes, as amended, and that absentee/early voting information may be obtained as described in the Informational Pamphlet.

7. That the Clerk of the Town is hereby authorized and directed to have printed and delivered to the election officers at said polling places, to be by them furnished to the qualified electors of the Town offering to vote at the Election, the appropriate version of the Official Ballot.

8. That in order to comply with the Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended, the following items pertaining to the Election shall be translated into Spanish and mailed, distributed, posted, published and recorded in each instance where mailing, distributing, posting, publication and recording of such proceedings are required, to-wit: Informational Pamphlet, Official Ballot, absentee/early voting materials and instructions at the polling places.

9. That the Election shall be held, conducted and canvassed in conformity with the provisions of the general election laws of the State of Arizona, except as otherwise provided by law, and only such persons shall be permitted to vote at the Election who are qualified electors of the Town.

10. That the Election may be conducted using either electromechanical or electronic vote recording and ballot counting equipment or paper ballots, as shall be determined to be in the best interests of the Town by the Clerk of the Town.

11. That the Clerk of the Town is authorized and directed, if necessary, to enter into a contract with the County Recorder of Yavapai County, Arizona (hereinafter referred to as the "**County**"), to obtain precinct registers for the Election and, if necessary, to enter into an agreement with the Elections Department of the County to conduct the Election for the Town.

12. That all expenditures as may be necessary to order, notice, hold and administer the Election are hereby authorized, which expenditures shall be paid from current operating funds of the Town.


13. That the Clerk of the Town is hereby further authorized to take all other necessary action to facilitate the Election.

14. That the returns from the Election shall be canvassed and the results thereof certified by the Common Council of the Town within twenty (20) days after the date of the Election, as provided by law.

15. That the Common Council of the Town shall file and record in the office of the County Recorder of the County a certificate disclosing with respect to the Election the purpose of the Election, the total number of votes cast and the total number of votes for and against authorizing the one percent (1%) increase in the Town's general transaction privilege tax and

the total number of votes for and against authorizing the 50 mill (1/2 cent) increase in the Town's general transaction privilege tax as proposed by initiative.

PASSED AND ADOPTED AT A REGULAR SESSION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CAMP VERDE, ARIZONA ON June 23, 2010.



Bob Burnside, Mayor

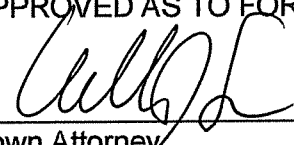
Date: 6-30-10_____

ATTEST:



Deborah, Barber, Town Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Town Attorney

EXHIBIT A

1. A 50 mill (1/2 cent) general sales tax be levied in all taxable categories as provided by law.
2. All revenues evenly applied to:
 - A. The Construction and Furnishing of a New Library.
 - B. The construction of Eastern park entrance, ball fields, infrastructure adequate for the park facilities for water, sewer, electrical, ball fields, concession stand, and multi-room storage building for civic organizations.
3. This sales tax shall be repealed incrementally by 25 mills (1/4 cent) when any financial obligation for each project/s is completed.