

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION BY CITY CODE, THAT WILL GO INTO EFFECT ON JANUARY 1, 2022 AND DIRECTED TO THE CITY'S CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND TO PAY FOR THE COSTS OF BACKLOGGED CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO: NEIGHBORHOOD STREET MAINTENANCE AND RECONSTRUCTION; STREET CONGESTION AND IMPROVED CAPACITY PROJECTS; RIGHT-OF-WAY AND MEDIAN MAINTENANCE AND IMPROVEMENTS; STREET AND BRIDGE SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS; SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS; BUILDING REPLACEMENT AND MAINTENANCE, INCLUDING SPECIFIC PROJECTS SUCH AS:

- MAJOR STREET MAINTENANCE AND RECONSTRUCTION IN NEIGHBORHOODS AND SIGNIFICANT CORRIDORS;
- MINERAL & SANTA FE INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS;
- DOWNTOWN STREETScape AND PARKING IMPROVEMENTS;
- PUBLIC WORKS FACILITY REPLACEMENT; AND
- MAINTENANCE AND IMPROVEMENTS TO CITY-OWNED FACILITIES AT THE LITTLETON MUSEUM, BEMIS LIBRARY, THE MUNICIPAL COURTHOUSE AND OTHERS

AND THE CITY SHALL ANNUALLY REPORT THE PROGRESS OF SUCH PROJECTS AND THE EXPENDITURES OF SUCH REVENUES TO THE CITIZENS WITH REVIEW BY A BOARD OR COMMISSION AS APPOINTED BY CITY COUNCIL, AND SHALL THE REVENUES GENERATED BY SUCH SALES AND USE TAX INCREASE AND ANY EARNINGS FROM THE INVESTMENT OF SUCH REVENUES BE COLLECTED AND SPENT BY THE CITY AS A VOTER-APPROVED REVENUE CHANGE PURSUANT TO ARTICLE X, SECTION 20 OF THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION OR ANY OTHER LAW?

_____ YES

_____ NO

Section 2: Subject to voter approval of the ballot issue set forth in Section 1. Littleton City Code Title 3: Business Regulations, Chapter 9 Retail Sales and Use Tax will be updated to reflect that:

“ON ALL APPLICABLE RETAIL SALES AND USE TAX ITEMS SUBJECT TO TAXATION PURSUANT TO THE LITTLETON CITY'S CODE THE AMOUNT OF SALES AND USE TAX TO BE COLLECTED SHALL BE THREE AND A ½ PERCENT (\$0.035).“

3-9-3-5: AMOUNT OF TAX:

~~There is imposed upon all sales of commodities and services as specified in section 3-9-3-1 of this chapter, taxes in accordance with the following schedule:~~

~~As passed by a vote of the people on November 4, 2003, and effective as of January 1, 2004, in place of the existing one cent (\$0.01) tax for each one dollar (\$1.00) of selling price, there is imposed upon the sale, use, storage or consumption of food and food products which are to be consumed off the premises of the vendor, unless prepared by the vendor at the place of sale for~~

~~immediate consumption by the purchaser, a one-half cent (\$0.005) tax for each one dollar (\$1.00) of selling price. The tax in each such transaction shall be rounded down to the lower whole cent. The one-half cent (\$0.005) tax remaining in 2004 on such products is also repealed on January 1, 2005. No such tax in any amount shall exist thereafter on such products.~~

Notwithstanding anything in this section to the contrary, the sale of food as defined in subsections 3-9-3-2(A)17 and (A)18 of this chapter shall be exempt from taxation.

Section 3: Severability. If any part, section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections of this ordinance. The City Council hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance, including each part, section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase hereof, irrespective of the fact that one or more parts, sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases may be declared invalid.

Section 4: Repealer. All ordinances or resolutions, or parts thereof, in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed, provided that this repealer shall not repeal the repealer clauses of such ordinance nor revive any ordinance thereby.

INTRODUCED AS A BILL at a regularly scheduled meeting of the City Council of the City of Littleton on the 17th day of August, 2021, passed on first reading by a vote of 7 FOR and 0 AGAINST; and ordered published by posting at Littleton Center, Bemis Library, the Municipal Courthouse and on the City of Littleton Website.

PUBLIC HEARING on the Ordinance to take place on the 26th day of August, 2021, in the Council Chamber, Littleton Center, 2255 West Berry Avenue, Littleton, Colorado, at the hour of 6:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as it may be heard.

PASSED on second and final reading, following public hearing, by a vote of _____ FOR and _____ AGAINST on the 26th day of August, 2021 and ordered published by posting at Littleton Center, Bemis Library, the Municipal Courthouse and on the City of Littleton Website.

ATTEST:

Colleen L. Norton

Jerry Valdes



CITY CLERK

MAYOR

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Reid Betzing
CITY ATTORNEY

