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# REQUEST FOR ACTION: ORDINANCE

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AGENDA FOR: ☒ MAYOR ☒ COUNCIL AUTHORITY: ☐ DATE: January 25, 2016  
Tulsa City Clerk's Office: 596-7513 or 596-7514

**FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:**

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ORDINANCE # 23422

SUBJECT: sales tax ordinance

ORDINANCE TYPE: AMENDING TULSA REVISED ORDINANCES

BA or CT #: \_\_\_\_\_

AMENDMENT OF ORD#: \_\_\_\_\_

TRO TITLE: 43

TRO SUBTITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

PLANNING DISTRICT: \_\_\_\_\_

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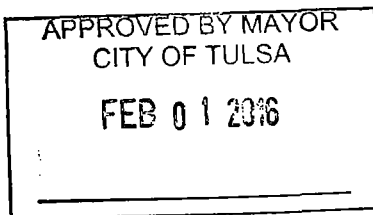
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PROP/NON-PROP: \_\_\_\_\_

COUNCIL DISTRICT: \_\_\_\_\_

## SUMMARY:

Amending Title 43 TRO, creating new section, Section 100.3, levying temporary Economic Development Sales Tax.



Approved By  
City Council On  
JAN 28 2016

## BUDGET:

## FINANCE DIRECTOR APPROVAL:

FUNDING SOURCE: N/A

## REQUEST FOR ACTION:

All department items requiring Council approval must be submitted through the Mayor's Office.

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DEPARTMENT HEAD APPROVAL: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY ATTORNEY APPROVAL: \_\_\_\_\_

BOARD APPROVAL: \_\_\_\_\_

MAYORAL APPROVAL: \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE RECEIVED: \_\_\_\_\_

COMMITTEE: \_\_\_\_\_

COMMITTEE DATE(S): \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST AGENDA DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

HEARING DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

SECOND AGENDA DATE: 1-28-16

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

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ORDINANCE NO. 23422

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TULSA REVISED ORDINANCES TITLE 43, "CITY OF TULSA SALES TAX CODE", THE SALES TAX ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF TULSA, OKLAHOMA; ENACTING A NEW SECTION, SECTION 100.3, "LIMITED-PURPOSE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TEMPORARY SALES TAX LEVIED", SETTING A TEMPORARY SALES TAX LEVY OF THREE HUNDRED FIVE THOUSANDTHS OF ONE PERCENT (.305%) BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2017, INCREASING TO EIGHT HUNDRED FIVE THOUSANDTHS OF ONE PERCENT (.805%) ON JULY 1, 2021, THEN DECREASING TO THREE HUNDRED FIVE THOUSANDTHS OF ONE PERCENT (.305%) ON JULY 1, 2025 AND EXPIRING ON DECEMBER 31, 2031; DECLARING THAT THE LIMITED PURPOSE OF THIS SALES TAX IS TO PROVIDE REVENUE FOR THE SUPPORT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FUNCTIONS OF THE CITY OF TULSA, INCLUDING ARKANSAS RIVER DEVELOPMENT, AND PAYING DEBT SERVICE ON INDEBTEDNESS ISSUED FOR SUCH PURPOSES; DESCRIBING THE PROJECTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR WHICH THE LIMITED-PURPOSE TAX WOULD BE MADE; STATING THAT ALL REVENUE FROM THE SAID SALES TAX SHALL BE EXPENDED ONLY FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AS LISTED IN DETAIL IN TITLE 43-K OF TULSA REVISED ORDINANCES, "2017 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TEMPORARY SALES TAX POLICY"; PROVIDING THAT IF ON APRIL 5, 2016 THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF TULSA DO NOT PASS AND APPROVE SAID SALES TAX, THE AMENDMENTS STATED HEREIN SHALL BE NULL AND VOID AND OF NO FURTHER EFFECT; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HERewith; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF TULSA, OKLAHOMA:

Section 1. That a new section, Section 100.3 of Title 43 Tulsa Revised Ordinances is hereby enacted to read as follows:

**"Section 100.3 – Limited Purpose Economic Development Temporary Sales Tax Levied.**

*Text operative on and after January 1, 2017*

There is hereby levied, pursuant to Title 68 Oklahoma Statutes 2701, a limited-purpose temporary excise tax, also known as a sales tax, of three hundred five thousandths of one percent (.305%) beginning January 1, 2017, increasing to eight hundred five thousandths of one percent (.805%) on July 1, 2021, then decreasing to three hundred five thousandths of one percent (.305%) on July 1, 2025 and continuing until December 31, 2031, on which date it shall expire, for the purpose of acquiring, constructing, equipping, furnishing, operating and maintaining economic development projects in the City of Tulsa, including Arkansas River development. The said sales tax shall be in addition to the currently existing permanent sales tax of two percent (2%) and the temporary sales tax of one and one-tenth percent (1.1%), set forth in Section 100 of this Title and approved by the voters on November 12, 2013. The said tax shall be a limited-purpose tax; any and all revenue derived from it shall be deposited into a limited-purpose fund created by the City of Tulsa. All revenue derived from the said tax shall be expended by the governing body of the City of Tulsa for the purpose of encouraging economic development projects in the City, including Arkansas River development, and for paying debt service on indebtedness issued for such purposes, as set forth in detail in Title 43-K of Tulsa Revised Ordinances, "2017 Limited-Purpose Economic Development Temporary Sales Tax Policy". No revenue derived from said tax shall ever be used for any purpose other than economic development."

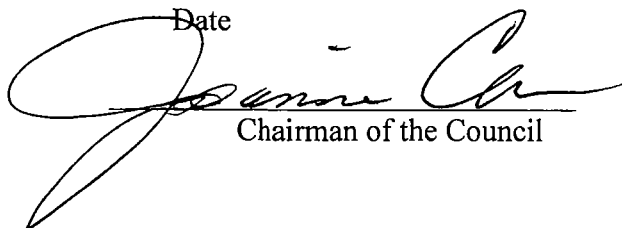
Section 2. That if on April 5, 2016 the voters of the City of Tulsa do not pass and approve said sales tax, the amendments stated herein shall be null and void and of no further effect.

Section 3. REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are now expressly repealed.

Section 4. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE. If any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance or any part thereof is for any reason found to be invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remainder of this ordinance or any part thereof.

Section 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. That an emergency is now declared to exist for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, by reason whereof this ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage, approval and publication.

ADOPTED by the Council: \_\_\_\_\_  
JAN 28 2016

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Date  
  
Chairman of the Council

ADOPTED as an emergency measure:

JAN 28 2016

Date

Chairman of the Council

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

Received by the Mayor: \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_.

Dewey F. Bartlett, Jr., Mayor

By \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary

APPROVED by the Mayor of the City of Tulsa, Oklahoma:

FEB 01 2016

Date

at \_\_\_\_\_.

Time



ATTEST:

Michael P. Ford

City Clerk

Dewey F. Bartlett, Jr.

Mayor

APPROVED:

Daniel E. Meilin

City Attorney

MDS