

AN ORDINANCE SUBMITTING TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY OF WILDWOOD, MISSOURI, FOR THEIR APPROVAL AT THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY ON THE 5TH DAY OF APRIL, 2016, A PROPOSITION TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY TO CONTINUE APPLYING AND COLLECTING THE LOCAL SALES TAX ON THE TITLING OF MOTOR VEHICLES, TRAILERS, BOATS, AND OUTBOARD MOTORS THAT WERE PURCHASED FROM A SOURCE OTHER THAN A LICENSED MISSOURI DEALER

WHEREAS, as provided for under the provisions of Section 32.087 RSMo., the City Council believes it is in the best interests of the residents of the City that it propose to the qualified voters of the City to authorize the City to continue applying and collecting the local sales tax on the titling of motor vehicles, trailers, boats, and outboard motors that were purchased from a source other than a licensed Missouri dealer; and

WHEREAS, rejection of this measure will result in a reduction of local revenue to provide for vital services for the City of Wildwood and place Missouri dealers of motor vehicles, outboard motors, boats, and trailers at a competitive disadvantage to non-Missouri dealers of motor vehicles, outboard motors, boats, and trailers; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 32.087 RSMo., the City must submit to the qualified voters of the City, the question of continuing or repealing the application of the local sales tax to the titling of motor vehicles, trailers, boats, and outboard motors that were purchased from a source other than a licensed Missouri dealer; and

WHEREAS, the City Council believes that such a Proposition should be placed on the ballot at the April 5, 2016 general municipal election.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILDWOOD, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE.

That as required by the provisions of RSMo., Section 32.087, there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the City of Wildwood, Missouri, for their approval, at the general municipal election to be held on April 5, 2016, the ballot submission, which shall contain substantially the following language:

PROPOSITION B

Shall the City of Wildwood, Missouri continue applying and collecting the local sales tax on the titling of motor vehicles, trailers, boats, and outboard motors that were purchased from a source other than a licensed Missouri dealer? Rejection of this measure will result in a reduction of local revenue to provide for vital services for the City of Wildwood, Missouri and it will place Missouri dealers of motor vehicles, outboard motors, boats, and trailers at

a competitive disadvantage to non-Missouri dealers of motor vehicles, outboard motors, boats, and trailers?

Yes ()

No ()

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS: If you are in favor of the Proposition, place an “X” in the box opposite the word “Yes”. If you are opposed to the Proposition, place an “X” the box opposite the word “No”.

SECTION TWO.

The City Clerk is hereby directed to submit a certified copy of this Ordinance to the St. Louis County Election Board, and shall notify it that the City is calling for an election within the City at the general municipal election to be held on the 5th day of April, 2016, specifying the purpose of the election, the date of the election, the legal notice to be published, and the sample ballot language as set forth in Section One of this Ordinance.

SECTION THREE.

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

This Bill was passed and approved this 11th day of January, 2016 by the City Council of the City of Wildwood, Missouri after having been read by title or in full two times prior to passage.

SECTION FOUR.

Nothing contained herein shall in any manner be deemed or construed to alter, modify, supersede, supplant or otherwise nullify any other Ordinance of the City or the requirements thereof whether or not relating to or in any manner connected with the subject matter hereof.

SECTION FIVE.

If any term, condition, or provision of this Ordinance shall, to any extent, be held to be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder hereof shall be valid in all other respects and continue to be effective and each and every remaining provision hereof shall be valid and shall be enforced to the fullest extent permitted by law, it being the intent of the City Council that it would have enacted this Ordinance without the invalid or enforceable provisions. In the event of a subsequent change in applicable law so that any provision which had been held invalid is no longer invalid, said provision shall thereupon return to full force and effect without further action by the City and shall thereafter be binding.

Presiding Officer

Timothy Woerther, Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Clerk

City Clerk



MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor Woerther and City Council Members

From: Ryan S. Thomas, City Administrator

Date: January 8, 2016

Re: Amended Bill 2141 – Out-of-State Vehicle Sales Tax Ballot Issue

Bill 2141 has been amended to change the title of the Out-of-State Vehicle Sales Tax Ballot Issue from Proposition **V** to Proposition **B**. This change is in response to a communication from the St. Louis County Municipal League, recommending the use of Proposition B by all area municipalities for consistency.

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