

Resolution 2018-018

RESOLUTION TO PLACE THE RENEWAL OF THE GENERAL PURPOSE OPTIONAL ONE PERCENT (1%) COUNTY SALES TAX (5TH PENNY) ON THE GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT TO BE HELD IN ALBANY COUNTY, WYOMING ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2018.

WHEREAS, the Wyoming Legislature has provided, pursuant to Wyo. Stat. §39-15-204(a) (i), for counties to impose an excise tax not to exceed one percent (1%) upon retail sales of tangible personal property, admissions, and services made within the county, the purpose of which is for general operations, commonly known as the fifth cent sales tax (hereinafter referred to as "Tax");

WHEREAS, W.S. Title 39 Chapters 15 and 16 allow for an general purpose excise tax of up to 1% if approved by the electorate;

WHEREAS, the proposition to impose an excise tax shall be at the expense of the county and be submitted to the electors of the county upon the receipt by the Board of County Commissioners of a resolution approving the proposition from the governing bodies of at least two-thirds (2/3) of the incorporated municipalities within the county;

WHEREAS, each incorporated municipality in Albany County has passed a resolution, the purpose of which is for infrastructure projects related to streets, roads, bridges, water and sewer utilities;

WHEREAS, if the tax proposed is approved after July 1, 1989, the same proposition shall be submitted at every other subsequent general election until the proposition is defeated.

WHEREAS, the County first voted in favor of the Tax in 1986 and voted to renew the Tax every four (4) years thereafter; and

WHEREAS, if the proposition is approved by the qualified electors, the Board of County Commissioners shall impose an excise tax upon retail sales of tangible personal property, admissions and services;

NOW THEREFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ALBANY COUNTY, WYOMING, RESOLVES

Section 1: That the foregoing recitals are incorporated in and made a part of this resolution by this reference.

Section 2: That the Board of Commissioners for Albany County, Wyoming, pursuant to Wyo. Stat. § 39-15-201 et seq., places on the ballot at an election to be held in Albany County, Wyoming on Tuesday, November 6, 2018 which shall be proposed as follows:

GENERAL PURPOSE ONE PERCENT (1%) SALES AND USE TAX PROPOSITION


“Shall the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Albany, State of Wyoming, be authorized to impose a general purpose excise tax of 1% upon retail sales of tangible personal property, admissions and services made within the county, the purpose of which is for infrastructure projects related to streets, roads, bridges, water and sewer utilities. If passed, the tax would be in place for a four year (4) term and resubmitted to voters at the next General Election.”

FOR THE COUNTY SALES AND USE TAX _____
AGAINST THE COUNTY SALES AND USE TAX _____

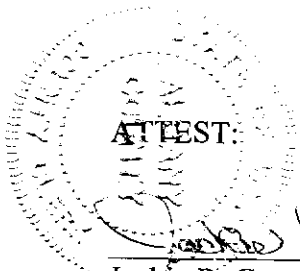
Section 3. That the proposed tax be initially imposed for a four-year (4) term and if passed, be re-submitted to the electors at every other subsequent general election thereafter until the proposition is defeated.

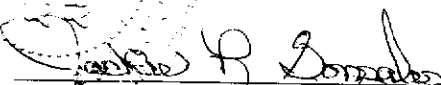
PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED THIS 17th day of July, 2018.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF ALBANY COUNTY, WYOMING



Tim Chesnut, Chairperson





Jackie R. Gonzales,
Albany County Clerk