CODE ORDINANCE Sponsored by: Assemblymember Kowalke

Introduced: 05/02/17
Public Hearing: 05/16/17
Adopted: 05/16/17

Ratified by the voters: 10/03/17

MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ORDINANCE SERIAL NO. 17-074

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY AUTHORIZING THE BOROUGH TO ENACT A SALES TAX NOT TO EXCEED 3 PERCENT OF SALES, SERVICES, AND RENTALS WITHIN SERVICE AREA NO. 36: TALKEETNA SEWER AND WATER SERVICE AREA AND SUBMITTING THE QUESTION TO THE QUALIFIED SERVICE AREA VOTERS AT THE OCTOBER 3, 2017 REGULAR BOROUGH ELECTION.

WHEREAS, the intent and rationale for this ordinance is found in the Informational Memorandum accompanying this ordinance and the discussions of the Assembly at meetings in which it was considered.

BE IT ENACTED:

Section 1. <u>Classification</u>. Section 2 of this ordinance is of a continuing and permanent nature and shall become part of Borough code. Sections 1, 3, and 4 are non-code provisions

Section 2. Adoption of section. MSB 5.25.060(D), is hereby adopted as follows:

5.25.060(E) The Borough may exercise the power to levy, collect, and enforce a sales tax not to exceed 3 percent on sales, services, and rentals within the service area.

Section 3. Submission to voters. The Borough will submit the following proposition to the qualified service area voters within

Service Area No. 36: Talkeetna Sewer and Water Service Area at the regular Borough election on October 3, 2017. The proposition must receive an affirmative vote from a majority of the qualified voters voting on the question to be approved.

PROPOSITION	NO.	
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Three Percent (3%) Service Area Sales Tax For Talkeetna Sewer And Water Service Area

Shall the Matanuska-Susitna Borough exercise the power to levy, collect, and enforce a sales tax not to exceed three percent (3%) on sales, services, and rentals within Service Area No. 36: Talkeetna Sewer and Water Service Area?

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take	effect	on	January	1,	2018,	only	if	the	pro	oposi	tion	in	Sec	ction

3 is approved by a majority of the qualified voters who vote on

No

Yes____

the proposition at the regular Borough election on October 3, 2017. The remaining sections of this ordinance take effect immediately.

ADOPTED by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly this 16 day of May, 2017.

VERN HALTER, Borough Mayor

ATTEST:

LONNIE R. MCKECHNIE, CMC, Borough Clerk

(SEAL)

PASSED UNANIMOUSLY: Sykes, Beck, McKee, Mayfield, Doty, and Kowalke