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City of San Elizario

ORDINANCE NO. 1403.09A.001

2014-2015 TAX LEVY ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SAN ELIZARIO, TEXAS ("CITY"), APPROVING THE 2014-2015 AD VALOREM TAX RATE AND LEVY OF 35.00 CENTS (\$0.350000) PER ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100) OF ASSESSED VALUATION OF ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY; PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES AND INTEREST INCLUDING THE ASSESSMENT OF A LIEN; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT; PUBLICATION; AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, a budget appropriating revenues generated for the use and support of the municipal government of the City of San Elizario ("City") has been approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of San Elizario ("City Council") as required by Chapter 102 of the Texas Local Government Code; and

WHEREAS, Texas Tax Code Section 26.05 requires that the City adopt a tax rate for the current tax year and shall notify the assessor for the unit of the rate adopted; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Texas Local Government Code Section 51.001, the City has general authority to adopt an ordinance or police regulation that is for the good government, peace or order of the City and is necessary or proper for carrying out a power granted by law to the City; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that it is necessary and proper for the good government, peace or order of the City to adopt an ordinance establishing an ad valorem tax rate.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of San Elizario:

I. APPROVAL OF 2014-2015 TAX RATE & LEVY

That there be and is hereby levied and shall be assessed and collected for the fiscal year 2014-2015, on all taxable property, real, personal and mixed, situated within the city limits of the City of San Elizario, Texas, and not exempt by the Constitution of the State and valid state laws, an ad valorem tax rate of 35.00

Cents (\$0.350000) on each One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) assessed value of taxable property for the purpose of defraying the current expenses and budget of the municipal government of the City maintenance and operations (“M&O”).

2. EXEMPTIONS

Property tax exemptions will not be adopted for this tax year.

3. PENALTY & INTEREST

All taxes shall become a lien upon the property against which assessed and the City and/or County Tax Assessor/Collector for and on behalf of the City of San Elizario, Texas, shall by virtue of the tax rolls, fix and establish a lien by levying upon such property, whether real or personal, for the payment of said taxes, penalty and interest, and the penalty and interest collected from such delinquent taxes shall be appropriated for the general fund of the City of San Elizario, Texas.

4. REPEALER

To the extent reasonably possible, ordinances are to be read together in harmony. However, all ordinances, or parts thereof, that are in conflict or inconsistent with any provision of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict, and the provisions of this Ordinance shall be and remain controlling as to the matters regulated, herein.

5. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

That if any section, subsection, paragraph, clause, phrase, or provision of this Ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or held unconstitutional, the same shall not affect the validity of this Ordinance as a whole or provision thereof, other than the part so decided to be invalid or unconstitutional.

6. ENGROSSMENT & ENROLLMENT

The Mayor or City Secretary of the City of San Elizario is hereby directed to engross and enroll this Ordinance by copying the caption, publication clause, penalty clause, and effective date clause in the minutes of the City Council of the City of San Elizario and by filing this Ordinance in the ordinance records of the City.

7. NOTIFICATION TO ASSESSOR

The Mayor or City Secretary of the City of San Elizario, Texas is hereby directed to notify the tax assessor for the County of the tax rate adopted.

8. PUBLICATION CLAUSE

The Mayor or City Secretary of the City of San Elizario, Texas, is hereby directed to publish in the Official newspaper of the City of San Elizario, the caption, penalty clause, and effective date clause of this Ordinance as required by Section 52.011 of the Texas Local Government Code.

9. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage and publication as provided for by law.

10. PROPER NOTICE & MEETING

It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was passed was open to the public, and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 551.

PASSED & APPROVED this, the 29th day of September, 2014, the budget for fiscal year 2014-2015, by the following City Council of San Elizario record vote:

Mayor Maya Sanchez :	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (for)	<input type="checkbox"/> (against)	<input type="checkbox"/> (abstained)	<input type="checkbox"/> (absent)
Council Person Miranda :	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (for)	<input type="checkbox"/> (against)	<input type="checkbox"/> (abstained)	<input type="checkbox"/> (absent)
Council Person Cantu :	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (for)	<input type="checkbox"/> (against)	<input type="checkbox"/> (abstained)	<input type="checkbox"/> (absent)
Council Person Najera, Jr.:	<input type="checkbox"/> (for)	<input type="checkbox"/> (against)	<input type="checkbox"/> (abstained)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (absent)
Council Person Martinez-Juarez:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (for)	<input type="checkbox"/> (against)	<input type="checkbox"/> (abstained)	<input type="checkbox"/> (absent)
Council Person Almanzar :	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (for)	<input type="checkbox"/> (against)	<input type="checkbox"/> (abstained)	<input type="checkbox"/> (absent)

CITY OF SAN ELIZARIO, TEXAS:



Maya Sanchez, Mayor