

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LEANDER, TEXAS**

**ORDINANCE NO.**

**AN ORDINANCE LEVYING AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE USE AND SUPPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF LEANDER, TEXAS, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2020; PROVIDING FOR AND APPORTIONING EACH LEVY FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES; AND PROVIDING WHEN TAXES SHALL BECOME DUE AND WHEN THE SAME SHALL BECOME DELINQUENT IF NOT PAID.**

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Leander, Texas, is deliberating the proposed municipal budget for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2019 and ending September 30, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, it is necessary that an ordinance be passed levying an ad valorem tax on all property, both real and personal, within the corporate limits of the City of Leander, Texas in accordance with such budget and the Texas Tax Code.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEANDER, TEXAS, THAT:**

**SECTION 1.** There is hereby levied and there shall be collected for the use, support and operation of the municipal government of the City of Leander and to provide an interest and sinking fund for the fiscal year, upon all property, real, personal and mixed, within the corporate limits of the City subject to taxation, a tax of \$0.541867 for each \$100.00 valuation of property, said tax being so levied and apportioned for the following specific purposes;

- (a) For the current expenses, maintenance and operation of the general government (General Fund), \$0.319867 on each \$100.00 valuation for property, and
- (b) For the interest and sinking fund, \$0.222000 on each \$100.00 valuation of property.

**SECTION 2.** THIS TAX RATE WILL RAISE MORE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS THAN LAST YEAR'S TAX RATE.

**SECTION 3.** Taxes levied under this Ordinance shall be due October 1, 2019 and if not paid on or before January 31, 2020, shall immediately become delinquent.

**SECTION 4.** Taxes shall become a lien upon the property against which assessed, and the Travis County Tax Assessor/Collector within Travis County, and the Williamson County Tax Assessor/Collector within Williamson County, respectively, as the assessor and collector of taxes for the City of Leander, are hereby authorized and empowered to enforce the collection of such taxes, according to the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas and ordinances of the City, and shall, and, by virtue of the tax rolls, fix and establish a lien by levying upon such property whether real, personal or mixed for the payment of said taxes, penalty and interest. The penalty and interest collected from such delinquent taxes shall be apportioned between the General Fund and the Interest and Sinking Fund of the City of Leander. All delinquent taxes shall bear interest from date of delinquency at the rate prescribed by state law.

**SECTION 5.** That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** First Reading this the 5<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2019.

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**PASSED AND APPROVED** Second Reading this the \_\_\_<sup>th</sup> day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2019.

CITY OF LEANDER, TEXAS

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Troy Hill, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Dara Crabtree, City Secretary

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