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*Kathleen Salena Boyd*  
Oakland City Attorney's Office

## OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

Ordinance No. 13317 C.M.S.

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**ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A FISCAL YEAR 2015-16 INCREASE TO A SPECIAL TAX IMPOSED FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, AND PURSUANT TO THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES RETENTION ACT OF 1997 (MEASURE M)**

**WHEREAS**, in 1997 the voters of Oakland approved Measure M, a special tax to fund emergency medical services; and

**WHEREAS**, Measure M imposed a special tax on all parcels in the City of Oakland, except where the parcels are otherwise exempt from taxation by Section 3 of the Ordinance; and

**WHEREAS**, Measure M provided that beginning in Fiscal Year 1998-99 and each fiscal year thereafter, the Oakland City Council may increase the tax only upon a finding that the cost of living in the immediate San Francisco Bay Area, as shown by the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for all items, has increased since the 1997 index year; and

**WHEREAS**, Measure M provided that any tax rate adjustment imposed by the City Council pursuant to the ordinance shall not exceed five percent of the tax rate imposed during the immediately preceding fiscal year; and

**WHEREAS**, a public hearing on this ordinance to increase the Measure M special parcel tax was held on June 2, 2015 at 5:30 p.m. in City Hall, One Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, Oakland, California; now, therefore,

**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OAKLAND DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

1. The City Council of the City of Oakland hereby determines that the preceding recitals are true and correct and hereby adopts and incorporates them into this Ordinance.

2. The Oakland City Council hereby finds that the Consumer Price Index for all items in the San Francisco Bay Area was 245.02 for calendar year 2013 and 251.99 for calendar year 2014.

3. The cost-of-living in the immediate San Francisco Bay Area as shown by the Consumer Price Index, has increased 2.8 percent from calendar year 2013 to calendar year 2014.

4. The Measure M special tax rate upward adjustment shall be 2.8 percent, effective July 1, 2015.

5. The following rate structure will be imposed on parcels within the City of Oakland effective July 1, 2015 for FY 2015-16:

PROPOSED MEASURE M TAX INCREASES BY PARCEL TYPE			
PARCEL TYPE	CURRENT PARCEL RATE	PROPOSED INCREASE	FY 2015-16 PARCEL RATE
Single Family Residential Parcels	\$13.27	\$0.37	\$13.64
Multiple Residential (2 to 4 units)	\$26.52	\$0.74	\$27.26
Multiple Residential (5 or more units)	\$66.32	\$1.86	\$68.18
Commercial	\$26.52	\$0.74	\$27.26
Industrial	\$53.04	\$1.49	\$54.53
Rural	\$13.27	\$0.37	\$13.64
Institutional	\$13.27	\$0.37	\$13.64

6. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately on final adoption if it receives six or more affirmative votes; otherwise, it shall become effective upon the seventh day after final adoption.

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IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, \_\_\_\_\_

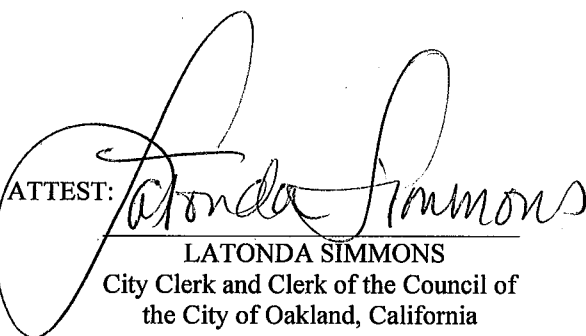
**PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:**

AYES- BROOKS, CAMPBELL WASHINGTON, GALLO, GUILLEN, KALB, KAPLAN, REID, and PRESIDENT GIBSON MCELHANEY - 8

NOES- 0

ABSENT- 0

ABSTENTION- 0

ATTEST:   
 LATONDA SIMMONS  
 City Clerk and Clerk of the Council of  
 the City of Oakland, California

Introduction Date

JUN 02 2015

Date of Attestation: July 1, 2015

## NOTICE AND DIGEST

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#### Notice of Publication

This Ordinance was introduced at the City Council meeting, Tuesday evening **June 2, 2015**, and passed to print **6 Ayes, 2 Absent - Gibson-McElhane, Kaplan**. Final adoption has been scheduled for the City Council meeting Monday evening **June 22, 2015, 5:00 p.m.**, at One Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, Council Chambers, 3rd floor, Oakland, California.

Three full copies are available for use and examination by the public in the Office of the City Clerk at One Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, 1st floor, Oakland, California.

LATONDA SIMMONS, City Clerk  
OT #5508257; Jun. 19, 2015