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## OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

Resolution No. 85747 C.M.S.

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**A RESOLUTION FIXING THE RATE OF PROPERTY TAX AND LEVYING A TAX ON REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY IN THE CITY OF OAKLAND FOR FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2015-2016 FOR VOTER APPROVED MEASURE M (THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES RETENTION ACT), MEASURE N (THE 1997 PARAMEDIC SERVICES ACT), MEASURE Q (THE LIBRARY SERVICES AND RETENTION ACT), AND MEASURE Z (THE PUBLIC SAFETY AND SERVICES ACT OF 2014).**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Oakland must annually set the property tax levy rates and inform the County of Alameda of these rates by August 31<sup>st</sup> for inclusion on that year's property tax bill for Measures M, N, Q, and Z; and

**WHEREAS**, the passage of this resolution will provide additional documentation needed for the City to levy and collect the FY 2015-2016 revenues included in the FY 2015-2017 Adopted Policy Budget related to Measures M, N, Q, and Z; and

**WHEREAS**, in 1997 the voters of Oakland approved Measure M, a special tax to fund emergency medical services to impose 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 provided that beginning in Fiscal Year 1998-1999 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**, in 1997 Oakland voters approved Measure N, a special tax to fund paramedic emergency services to impose 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 provided that beginning in fiscal year 2000-2001 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 CPI for all items, has increased since the 1997 index year; and

**WHEREAS**, the voters of Oakland in 2004 approved Measure Q, the Library Services Retention and Enhancement Act of 2004, which extended the original Measure O Library Services Retention and Enhancement of 1994, through June 30, 2024 imposing

this special tax on all parcels in the City of Oakland, except where the parcels are otherwise exempt from taxation by Section 6 of the Ordinance, allowing the City Council to increase the tax annually upon a finding that the cost of living in the immediate San Francisco Bay Area, as shown on the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for all items, has increased since the 1994 index year; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Oakland voters passed Measure Z, the 2014 Oakland Public Safety and Services Violence Prevention Act ("Measure Z"), in November 2014, approving a series of taxes to support violence intervention objectives, including programs and services that provide support for at-risk youth and young adults to interrupt the cycle of violence and recidivism, and for youth and young adults at highest risk of violence as guided by data analysis; and

**WHEREAS**, in 2014 the voters of Oakland approved Measure Z, a special tax to fund violence prevention and public safety services to impose the same special tax from the Violence Prevention and Public Safety Act of 2004 (Measure Y) on all parcels in the City of Oakland, except where the parcels are otherwise exempt from taxation by Part 3 Section 4 of the Ordinance, and provides that beginning in Fiscal Year 2015-2016 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 2014-15 index year; and now therefore be it

**RESOLVED:** That the following rates shall be levied for FY 2015-2016 for Measures M, N, Q, and Z as noted and through the authorizing legislation noted below:

<b>Measure</b>	<b>Rate(s)</b>	<b>Authorizing Legislation</b>
Measure M	Single Family	Ordinance No. 13317 C.M.S.
	Multiple Residential (2 to 4 units)	
	Multiple Residential (5 or more units)	
	Commercial	
	Industrial	
	Rural	
	Institutional	
Measure N	Single Family	Ordinance No. 13318 C.M.S.
	Multiple Residential (2 to 4 units)	
	Multiple Residential (5 or more units)	
	Commercial	
	Industrial	
	Rural	
	Institutional	
Measure Q	Single Family	Ordinance No. 13316 C.M.S.
	Multiple Residential	
	Non-Residential	

Measure Z	Single Family	\$99.77	Ordinance No. 13237 C.M.S. (under Measure Y) and Ordinance No. 85149 C.M.S. (Measure Z authorization)
	Multiple Residential	\$68.15	
	Non-Residential	\$51.09	

; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

**AUG 18 2015**

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, \_\_\_\_\_, 2015

**PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:**

AYES- BROOKS, CAMPBELL WASHINGTON, GALLO, GUILLEN, KALB, KAPLAN, REID, AND  
PRESIDENT GIBSON MCELHANEY  
NOES-

ABSENT-

ABSTENTION-

APPROVED DURING CITY COUNCIL RECESS  
PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 82580  
C.M.S., DATED 03-02-2010

ATTEST:

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