

## **RESOLUTION NO. 2462**

### **A RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO TROUTDALE MUNICIPAL CODE SECTION 3.08.020 (B) DIRECTING THE DISBURSEMENT OF THE NINETY-FIVE ONE HUNDREDTHS OF ONE PERCENT OF THE TRANSIENT LODGING TAX DEDICATED FOR TOURISM PROMOTION.**

#### **THE TROUTDALE CITY COUNCIL FINDS AS FOLLOWS:**

1. That the City Council recognizes the value in tourism promotion, paying for tourism-related facilities, or being able to finance or refinance debt for tourism-related facilities.
2. That the City has dedicated 0.95% of the Transient Lodging Tax to promote certain events in Troutdale and to promote tourism.
3. That the City appreciates its long partnership with the West Columbia Gorge Chamber of Commerce in the use the tax to promote tourism in Troutdale and promote events in the City, yet during the last 20 years the number and nature of City events has changed, and the tourism promotion environment has also changed.
4. That, via Ordinance No. 853, the City determined that it is best for the promotion of tourism that the City have flexibility in how it uses the 0.95% of the Transient Lodging Tax for tourism promotion.
5. That Troutdale Municipal Code Section 3.08.020 (B) requires the City to designate the distribution of the 0.95% of the Transient Lodging Tax to promote tourism in Troutdale.

#### **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TROUTDALE:**

Section 1. The City hereby designates the distribution of the 0.95% of the Transient Lodging Tax for the promotion of tourism in Troutdale, to the West Columbia Gorge Chamber of Commerce.

Section 2. This designation of the distribution of the 0.95% of the Transient Lodging Tax to promote tourism in Troutdale, shall be effective for the calendar quarter beginning July 1, 2019.

Section 3. This designation of the distribution of the 0.95% of the Transient Lodging Tax to promote tourism in Troutdale shall continue for subsequent calendar quarters, unless and until, the designation is changed by Resolution, pursuant to Troutdale Municipal Code Section 3.08.020 (B).

Section 4. The Finance Director is authorized and directed to disburse funds and implement all such actions as necessary to fulfill the intent of this resolution, and Troutdale Municipal Code, and is further directed to implement all such actions necessary to ensure budgetary compliance.

Section 5. Upon adoption, this Resolution shall be effective as of July 1, 2019.

**YEAS: 5**  
**NAYS: 0**  
**ABSTAINED: 0**



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**Casey Ryan, Mayor**  
**Date: June 26, 2019**



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**Sarah Skroch, City Recorder**  
**Adopted: June 25, 2019**