ORDINANCE NO. 2016-13 (Uncodified)

(An Ordinance of the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County)
Authorizing a Special Tax for Police Protection Services in Zone 2504
of County Service Area P-6

The Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors ORDAINS as follows:

ARTICLE I. PURPOSE AND INTENT. It is the purpose and intent of this Ordinance to authorize the levy of a tax on parcels of real property on the secured property tax roll of Contra Costa County that are within Zone 2504 of Contra Costa County Service Area No. P-6 in order to augment funding for police protection services.

This tax is a special tax within the meaning of Section 4 of Article XIIIA of the California Constitution. Because the burden of this tax falls upon property, this tax also is a property tax, but this tax is not determined according to nor in any manner based upon the value of property; this tax is levied on a parcel and use of property basis. Insofar as not inconsistent with this Ordinance or with legislation authorizing special taxes and insofar as applicable to a property tax that is not based on value, such provisions of the California Revenue and Taxation Code and of Article XIII of the California Constitution as relate to *ad valorem* property taxes are intended to apply to the collection and administration of this tax (Article IV of this Ordinance), as authorized by law.

The revenues raised by this tax are to be used solely for the purposes of obtaining, furnishing, operating, and maintaining police protection equipment or apparatus, for paying the salaries and benefits of police protection personnel, and for such other police protection service expenses as are deemed necessary.

ARTICLE II. DEFINITIONS. The following definitions shall apply throughout the Ordinance:

- 1. "Parcel" means the land and any improvements thereon, designated by an assessor's parcel map and parcel number and carried on the secured property tax roll of Contra Costa County. For the purposes of the Ordinance, "parcel" does not include any land or improvements outside the boundaries of Zone 2504 of County Service Area P-6 nor any land or improvements owned by any governmental entity.
 - 2. "Fiscal year" means the period of July 1 through the following June 30.
- 3. Contra Costa County Service Area P-6 Zone 2504 (hereinafter called "Zone") means that portion of unincorporated area of Contra Costa County located within the Zone's boundaries described and shown in Exhibits A and B attached hereto.
- 4. "Use Code" means the code number assigned by the Assessor of Contra Costa County in order to classify parcels according to use for *ad valorem* property tax purposes. A copy

of the Assessor's use code classifications chart is attached hereto as Exhibit C and incorporated herein.

- 5. "Consumer Price Index" means the Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U) for the San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose Area (1982-84=100) as published by the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. If the Consumer Price Index is discontinued or revised, such other government index or computation with which it is replaced shall be used in order to obtain substantially the same result as would be obtained if the Consumer Price Index had not been discontinued of revised.
- 6. "Constant first year dollars" shall mean an actual dollar amount which, in years subsequent to the first fiscal year the tax is levied, shall have the same purchasing power as the base amount in first fiscal year dollars as measured by the Consumer Price Index. The base amount shall be the amount of tax per parcel as specified in Article III 1A herein. The adjustment from actual to constant dollars shall be made by use of the Consumer Price Index, as specified in Section III 1B herein.

ARTICLE III. AMOUNT AND LEVEL OF TAXES

1. The tax per year on each parcel in the Zone shall not exceed the amount applicable to the parcel as specified below.

A. For First Fiscal Year:

The tax per year for the first fiscal year (July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018) shall be the Amount of Tax per Parcel for the Property Use Code Category as set forth in Exhibit D incorporated herein.

B. For Subsequent Fiscal Years:

In order to keep the tax on each parcel in constant first year dollars for each fiscal year subsequent to the first fiscal year, the tax per year shall by adjusted as set forth below to reflect any increase in the Consumer Price Index beyond the first fiscal year a tax is levied.

In July, the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County shall determine the amount of taxes to be levied upon the parcels in the Zone for the then current fiscal year as set forth below.

For each Property Use Category on Exhibit C, the tax per year on each parcel for each fiscal year subsequent to the first fiscal year shall be an amount determined as follows:

Tax Per Parcel
For Then Current
Fiscal Year

Tax Per Parcel
For Previous
Fiscal Year

Tax Per Parcel
For Previous
For April of Immediately
Preceding Fiscal Year

(Consumer Price Index
Preceding Fiscal Year)
(Consumer Price Index
For the first Fiscal Year
Of Levy)

In no event shall the tax per parcel for any fiscal year be less than the amount established for the first fiscal year.

2. The taxes levied on each parcel pursuant to this Article shall be a charge upon the parcel and shall be due and collectible as set forth in Article IV, below. A complete listing of the amount of taxes on each Zone shall be maintained by the Sheriff-Coroner of the County of Contra Costa at Martinez, California, and be available for public inspection during the remainder of the fiscal year for which such taxes are levied.

ARTICLE IV. COLLECTION AND ADMINISTRATION.

1. Taxes as Liens Against the Property.

The amount of taxes for each parcel each year shall constitute a lien on such property, in accordance with Revenue and Taxation Code section 2187, and shall have the same effect as an *ad valorem* real property tax lien until fully paid.

2. Collection.

The taxes on each parcel shall be billed on the secured roll tax bills for ad valorem property taxes and shall be due the County of Contra Costa. Insofar as feasible and insofar as not inconsistent with this Ordinance, the taxes are to be collected in the same manner in which the County collects secured roll ad valorem property taxes. Insofar as feasible and insofar as not inconsistent with the Ordinance, the times and procedure regarding exemptions, due dates, installment payments, corrections, cancellations, refunds, late payments, penalties, liens, and collection for secured roll ad valorem property taxes shall be applicable to the collection of this tax. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the foregoing, as to this tax: 1) the secured roll tax bills shall be the only notices required for this tax, and 2) the homeowner and veterans exemptions shall not be applicable because such exemptions are determined by dollar amount value.

3. Costs of Administration by the County.

The reasonable costs incurred by the County officers collecting and administering this tax shall be deducted from the collected taxes.

<u>ARTICLE V. ACCOUNTABILITY MEASURES.</u>

Account.

Upon the levy and collection of the tax authorized by this ordinance, an account shall be created into which the proceeds of the tax will be deposited. The proceeds of the tax authorized by this Ordinance shall be applied only to the specific purposes identified in this Ordinance.

2. Annual Report.

An annual report that complies with the requirements of Government Code section 50075.3 shall be filed with the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County no later than January 1 of each fiscal year in which the tax is levied.

ARTICLE V. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any article, section, subsection, sentence, phrase of clause of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this Ordinance. The voters of the Zone hereby declare that they would have adopted the remainder of the Ordinance, including each article, section, subsection, sentence phrase or clause, irrespective of the invalidity of any other article, section, subsection, sentence, phrase or clause.

ARTICLE VI. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its confirmation by two-thirds of the voters voting within Zone 2504 in an election to be held on August 23, 2016, so that taxes shall first be collected hereunder for the tax year beginning July 1, 2017. Within 15 days of passage, this Ordinance shall be published once, with the names of the Supervisors voting for and against it, in the Contra Costa Times, a newspaper of general circulation published in this County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors, County of Contra Costa, State of California, on June 21, 2016, by the following vote:

AYES: Andersen, Piepho, Mitchoff, Glover

NOES: None

ABSENT: Gioia

ABSTAIN: None

ATTEST: DAVID J. TWA, Clerk of the Board

of Supervisors and County Administrator

By: June McHuen

Deputy

Candace Andersen

Chair of the Board of Supervisors

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EXHIBIT A

The land referred to is situated in the unincorporated area of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and is described as follows:

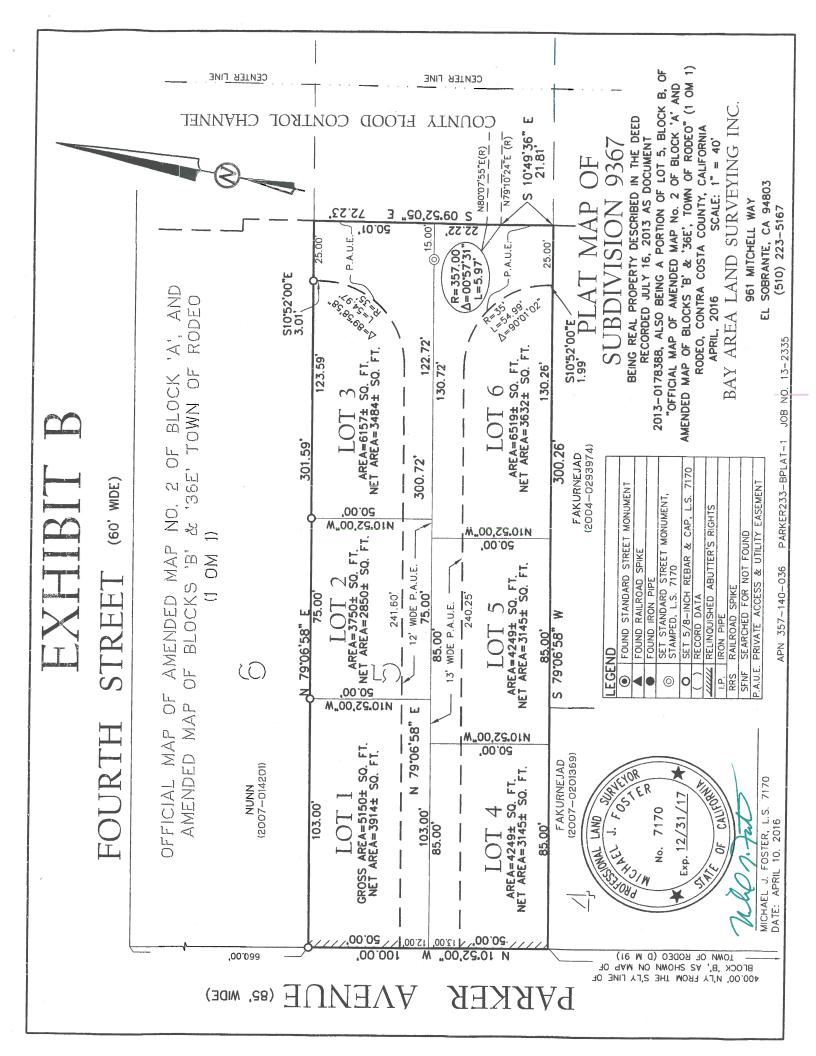
Beginning at a point on the Westerly line of Block B of the said Town of Rodeo, as delineated on the Map of said Town of Rodeo, now on file in the Office of the County Recorder of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, distant thereon 400 feet Northerly from the intersection of the Westerly line of said Block B. with the Southerly line of said Block B.; thence Northerly along the Westerly line of said Block B. 100 (One Hundred feet) to a point; thence at right angle Easterly and parallel with the Southerly line of said Block B. 410 (Four Hundred and Ten) feet to a point thence at right angle Southerly and parallel with the Westerly line of said Block B. 100 (One Hundred) feet to a point; thence at right angle Westerly and parallel with the Southerly line of said Block B 410 (Four Hundred and Ten) feet to the place of beginning.

EXCEPTING THEREFROM:

Any portion lying within that portion as granted in the Deed to Contra Costa County Flood Control and Water Conservation District, recoded October 18, 1965 in Book 4974, Page 148 of Official Records.

APN: 357-140-036





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Exhibit C Zone 2504	RESPONSIBILITY CODES		1 Residential	2 Multiple Residential	3 Commercial/ Industrial	4 Commercial/ Industrial	5 Commercial/ Industrial	<u>6</u> Land	Z Commercial/ Industrial	8 Residential (Unparcelized Condos)	(88- <u>8</u> = Floating Homes)	<u>9</u> Unassigned
		MISCELLANEOUS	1	81 Private Roads	82 Pipelines and Canals	83 State Board Assessed Parcels	Utilities, with or without bidgs (not assessed by SBE)	85 Public and Private Parking	Taxable Municipally-Owned Property (Section 11)	87 Common Area pcls in PUD's (Open Spaces, Rec.	88 Manufactured Hsng. (-4) Accessories, (-7) MH on local	Hoating Homes (-8) 89 Other: Split parcels in different tax code areas Maiting Assignment
		INSTITUTIONAL	70 Intermediate Care Facil. (Rehab, Skilled Nursing) (-7)	71 Churches	72 Schools & Colleges (public or private, with or without improvements)	73 Acute Care Hospitals, with or without imps	74 Cemeteries (-7) & Mortuaries (-3)	Fratemal and Service Organiza- tions; Group Hones: Shetters			78 Parks and Playgrounds	Government- Government with or without with or state, County, City, SFBART, EBRPD)
		LAND	60 Unassigned	Rural, Residential Churches Improved 1A up to 10A	S 3 5 5	Urban Acreage 10A up to 40A	Urban Acreage 40A and over	65 Orchards, Vineyards, Row Crops, Irrig. Past. 10A up to 40A	66 Orchards, Vineyards, Row Crops, Irrig. Past 40A & over	67 Dry Farming, Farming, Grazing & Pasturing 10A up to 40A	68 Dry Farming, Farming, Grazing & Pasturing	
		INDUSTRIAL	50 Vacant Land	51 Industrial Park (with structures)	52 Research and Development, with or without structures; flexible use	53 Light Industrial	54 Heavy Industrial (-5) Alpha	55 Mini-Warehouse (Public Storage)	56 Misc. Imps. Including T&V on Light or Heavy Industrial	Unassigned	58 Unassigned	59 Pipeline Rights-Of- Way
		COMMERCIAL	40 Boat Harbors (-4)	41 Supermarkets (not in shopping centers)	42 Shopping Centers (all pcts incl vac for future shopping center)	43 Financial Bldgs. (Ins. & Title Companies, Banks, S & L)	44 Motels, Hotels (-4) & Mobile Home Parks (-7)	45 Theaters	46 Drive-In Restaurants (Hamburger, Taco. etc)	A7 Restaurants (not drive-in; inside service only)	48 Multiple and Commercial; Miscellaneously Improved	49 Auto Agencies
		COMMERCIAL	30 Vacant Land	31 Commercial Stores (not Supermarkets)	32 Small Grocery Stores (7-11, Mom & Pop, Quick-Stop)	33 Office Buildings	34 Medical; Dental	35 Service Stations; Car Washes; Bulk Plants, Mini Lube	36 Auto Repair	Community Facilities; Recreational; Swim Pool Assn.	38 Golf Courses	Bowling Alleys
		MULTIPLE	20 Vacant	21 Duplex	7. Triplex	23 Fourplex	24 Combinations; e.g., Single <u>and</u> a Double, etc.	25 Apartments, 5-12 units, inclusive	26 Apartments, 13-24 units, inclusive	27 Apartments, 25-59 units, inclusive	28 Apartments, 60 units or more	Altached PUD's, Cluster Homes, Co-ops, Condos, Townhouses, etc. (-1,-2) Single Fam.
		RESIDENTIAL	1000	11 Single Family 1 Res on 1 Site & Duets without Common Areas	12 Single Family 1 Res on 2 or More Sites	13 Single Family 2 or More Sites on 1 or More Sites	14 Single Family On other than Single Family Land	Miscellaneous Improvements, 1 Site	Misc. Imps. On 2 or More Sites; includes trees & vines	17 Vacant, 1 Site (includes PUD sites)	18 Vacant, 2 or More Sites	19 Single Family Res, Detached, w/Common Area (normal subdiv. type PUD); Duets w/Common Area
	REJECT AND CONFIRMATION CODES		REJECT CODES 0 Normal Sale 1 Sold Part of a		4 Hidden Stamps 5 Investigate Sale	8 Assumption 9 No Exemption Change	U Unrecorded Documents	NOTE: Reject Codes 0 & 1 "Identify" sales. They do not reject them. Such sales	0	NOL	ved	

28	Apartments (60+ units)	\$800
29	Attached PUDs: Cluster Homes, Condos, Etc.	\$200
30	Vacant – Commercial	\$100
31	Commercial Stores – Not Supermarkets	\$600
32	Small Grocery Stores (7-11, etc.)	\$600
33	Office Buildings	\$400
34	Medical, Dental	\$400
35	Service Stations, Car Wash	\$400
36	Garages	\$400
37	Community Facilities (recreational, etc.)	\$800
38	Golf Courses	\$400
39	Bowling Alleys	\$400
40	Boat Harbors	\$400
41	Supermarkets (not shopping centers)	\$600
42	Shopping Centers Shopping Centers	\$800
43	Financial Buildings (Ins., Title, Banks, S&L)	\$400
44	Motels, Hotels & Mobile Home Parks	\$600
45	Theaters	\$600
46	Drive-In Theaters	\$400
47	Restaurants (not drive-in)	\$400
48	Multiple & Commercial	\$400

49	New Car Agencies	\$400
50	Vacant Land (not part of Ind. Park or P. & D.)	\$100
51	Industrial Park	\$800
52	Research & Development	\$400
53	Light Industrial	\$400
54	Heavy Industrial	\$400
55	Mini Warehouses (public storage)	\$600
56	Misc. Improvements	\$400
61	Rural, Res. Improvement 1A-10A	\$200
62	Rural, W/or w/o Structure 1A-10A	\$200
70	Convalescent Hospitals/Rest Homes	\$400
73	Hospitals	\$400
74	Cemeteries/Mortuaries	\$400
75	Fraternal & Service Organizations	\$400
76	Retirement Housing Complex	\$600
78	Parks & Playgrounds	\$800
85	Public & Private Parking	\$400
87	Common Area	\$400
88	Mobile Homes	\$200
89	Other (split parcels in different tax code areas)	\$200
99	Awaiting Assignment	\$200