

**CITY OF LARAMIE, WYOMING
RESOLUTION 2022-24(b)**

RESOLUTION TO PLACE THE RENEWAL OF THE GENERAL PURPOSE OPTIONAL ONE PERCENT (1%) COUNTY SALES TAX (5TH PENNY) ON THE GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT TO BE HELD IN ALBANY COUNTY, WYOMING ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2022.

WHEREAS, the Wyoming Legislature has provided, pursuant to Wyo. Stat. §39-15-204(a)(i), for counties to impose an excise tax not to exceed one percent (1%) upon retail sales of tangible personal property, admissions, and services made within the county, for general revenue purposes, commonly known as the fifth cent sales tax (hereinafter referred to as “5th Penny Tax”);

WHEREAS, the proposition to continue to impose the 5th Penny Tax shall be at the expense of the county and be submitted to the electors of the county upon receipt by the Board of County Commissioners of resolutions from the governing bodies of at least fifty percent (50%) of the incorporated municipalities within the county approving the Proposition contained herein;

WHEREAS, each incorporated municipality in Albany County has passed a resolution approving the submission of the continuation of the 5th Penny Tax to the electorate;

WHEREAS, Albany County first voted in favor of the 5th Penny Tax in 1986 and has voted to renew the 5th Penny Tax every four (4) years thereafter;

WHEREAS, since the 5th Penny Tax was approved in Albany County after July 1, 1989, the same proposition shall then be submitted to the electorate or approved via resolution at every other subsequent general election until the Proposition is defeated; and

WHEREAS, if the Proposition is approved by the qualified electors, the Board of County Commissioners shall impose the 5th Penny Tax as an excise tax upon retail sales of tangible personal property, admissions and services, for general revenue purposes.

NOW THEREFORE THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF LARAMIE, WYOMING, HEREBY RESOLVES:

Section 1: The foregoing recitals are incorporated in and made a part of this resolution by this reference.

Section 2: That pursuant to Wyo. Stat. § 39-15-201 et seq., the Board of Commissioners for Albany County, Wyoming, at an election to be held in Albany County, Wyoming on Tuesday, November 8, 2022, shall place the following Proposition on the ballot:

GENERAL PURPOSE ONE PERCENT (1%) SALES AND USE TAX PROPOSITION

“Shall the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Albany, State of Wyoming be authorized to continue to impose a general purpose excise tax of 1% upon retail sales of tangible personal property, admissions and services made within the county, for general revenue purposes?”

FOR the county sales and use tax _____

AGAINST the county sales and use tax _____

Section 3. That, if passed, the 5th Penny Tax shall continue to be imposed for a four-year (4) term, and then be re-submitted to the electorate or continued via resolution at every other subsequent general election thereafter until the imposition of the 5th Penny Tax is defeated.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED this ____ day of April 2022.

CITY OF LARAMIE, WYOMING

Paul Weaver, Mayor

ATTEST:

Nancy Bartholomew, CMC
City Clerk