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Decrease Garbage Franchise
Tax Rate

ORDINANCE NO. 1596

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AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON,
AMENDING SECTION 5.48.010 OF THE REDMOND
MUNICIPAL CODE TO DECREASE THE EXISTING GARBAGE
FRANCHISE TAX RATE.

WHEREAS, the City Council has reviewed the revenue derived from the current garbage franchise tax and the effect upon rates charged to City residents for garbage collection and has determined that the rate of the franchise tax can be reduced, while still leaving sufficient revenues to fund the costs of administering and otherwise carrying out the City's recycling programs, now, therefore

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON,
HEREBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Garbage Collection Franchise Tax Rate Reduction. Section 5.48.010 of the Redmond Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

5.48.010 Garbage Collection Franchise Tax Imposed. There is levied and shall be collected upon every person engaged in or carrying on the business of garbage collection service within the City, whether under franchise or contract within the City or whether otherwise engaged in such business within the City, a franchise tax equal to 20 percent of the total gross income from such business derived from such business conducted within the City during each year.

Section 2. Effective Date. This ordinance, being the exercise of a power specifically delegated to the legislative body, is not subject to referendum, and shall take effect and be

in full force five (5) days after publication of the attached summary, which is hereby approved, provided, that the new tax rate set forth in Section 5.48.010 as amended by Section 1 above, shall apply to the total gross income of all garbage collection businesses subject to the tax received on or after January 1, 1991.

APPROVED:

Doreen Marchione
MAYOR, DOREEN MARCHIONE

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

Doris A. Schaible
CITY CLERK, DORIS SCHAIBLE

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY:

BY *[Signature]*

FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK: 11-15-90
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL: 11-20-90
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EFFECTIVE DATE: 11-30-90
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