

CITY OF BURIEN, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 571

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BURIEN, WASHINGTON, INCREASING THE CITY'S COMMERCIAL PARKING TAX RATE AND AMENDING CHAPTER 3.13 OF THE BURIEN MUNICIPAL CODE

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that the public interest is best served by increasing the City's commercial parking tax rate to be effective January 1, 2013;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BURIEN, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Chapter 3.13 of the Burien Municipal Code is hereby amended by amending BMC 3.13.020 to read as follows:

3.13.020 Imposed. Pursuant to RCW 82.80.030, there is levied a commercial parking tax to be imposed on the privilege of parking in commercial parking facilities within the city. The tax shall be imposed at the rate of ~~one~~three dollars (\$~~1~~3.00) per commercial parking transaction, including "short-term metered parking," irrespective of the length of time that a vehicle is parked in connection with each transaction.

Section 2. Severability. Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance, or its application to any person or circumstance, be declared unconstitutional or otherwise invalid for any reason, or should any portion of this Ordinance be pre-empted by state or federal law or regulation, such decision or pre-emption shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance or its application to other persons or circumstances.

Section 3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper of the City and shall take effect on January 1, 2013.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF
ON THE 5TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2012 AND SIGNED IN AUTHENTICATION OF
ITS PASSAGE THIS 5TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2012.

CITY OF BURIEN

/s/ Brian Bennett, Mayor

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

/s/ Monica Lusk, City Clerk

Approved as to form:

/s/ Craig D. Knutson, City Attorney

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