

CITY OF WHITE SALMON

ORDINANCE NO. 2012-05-889

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF WHITE SALMON, WASHINGTON REVISING THE TAX ON GAMBLING FOR BINGO AND RAFFLES, AND REPEALING WSMC 3.12.020(A) and (B)

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of White Salmon, Washington adopted an ordinance codified as WSMC 3.12.020(A) and (B) levying a tax of ten percent of the proceeds of bingo and raffles; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of White Salmon, Washington desires to make changes to the ordinance by adopting an ordinance that reduces city tax on bingo and raffles to the state-permitted maximum of five percent; and

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of White Salmon do ordain as follows:


Section 1. White Salmon Municipal Code Sections 3.12.020(A) and (B) are hereby repealed in their entirety.

Section 2. White Salmon Municipal Code 3.12.020(A) and (B) as follows is hereby adopted (added=underlined; deleted=~~strikethrough~~):

- A. Bingo, in the amount of the gross receipts therefrom, less the amount of money paid in cash, and paid for merchandise, actually awarded as prizes during the taxable period, multiplied by the rate of ~~ten~~ five percent;
- B. Raffles, in the amount of the gross receipts therefrom, less the amount of money paid in cash, and paid for merchandise, actually awarded as prizes during the taxable period, multiplied by the rate of ~~ten~~ five percent;

Section 3. This ordinance shall be effective five days after the date of first publication, as provided by law.


Passed by the City Council of the city of White Salmon, Washington and approved by the Mayor on this 16th day of May 2012.


David Poucher, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Leana Johnson, Clerk Treasurer


Kenneth B. Woodrich, City Attorney