

BRIGHTON, UTAH
RESOLUTION NO. 2023-R-5-1

A RESOLUTION APPROVING AN ADDITIONAL .5% RESORT COMMUNITIES SALES AND USE TAX IN THE TOWN OF BRIGHTON, STATE OF UTAH, AND AUTHORIZING STAFF TO PLACE THE MATTER FOR VOTER APPROVAL DURING THE NOVEMBER 2023 MUNICIPAL GENERAL ELECTION.

WHEREAS, the Town Council has the power to establish a sales tax on retail sales where the town has a transient room capacity greater than or equal to 66% pursuant to UCA Section 59-12-402; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Brighton has a permanent census population of 432 and a transient room capacity of 816 as reported on the June 1, 2022, Utah State Tax Commission, Report of Transient Room Capacity; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Brighton enacted a resort communities sales tax of 1.1 % in 2020; and

WHEREAS, the State of Utah enables towns to increase the resort communities sales tax by an additional .5% pursuant to UCA Section 59-12-402, provided such increase is voter approved at the next regular or municipal general election; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF BRIGHTON, STATE OF UTAH that:

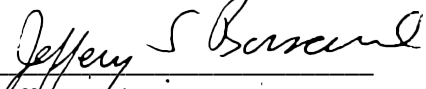
SECTION 1. APPROVAL. In addition to any other tax authorized by the laws of the State of Utah and/or of this municipality, the Town Council hereby approves an additional .5% resort communities sales and use tax on the transactions described in UCA Subsection 59-12-103(1) located within the municipality, as authorized by UCA Subsection 59-12-402(1) and as limited in UCA Subsection 59-12-402(2), for a total resort communities sales tax of one and sixth tenths percent (1 .6%).

SECTION 2. AUTHORITY TO PLACE VOTER QUESTION ON THE BALLOT. Town staff is hereby authorized to take all necessary steps to place the matter on the 2023 Municipal General Election ballot and publish voter information including pros and cons of the question.

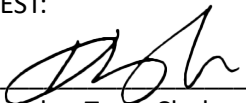
SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Resolution shall become effective immediately.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9th day of May 2023.

TOWN OF BRIGHTON

By: 
Jeff Bossard, Mayor Pro Tempore

ATTEST:



Kara John, Town Clerk

