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ORDINANCE NO. 2009-07

AN ORDINANCE LEVYING AD VALOREM TAXES FOR USE AND SUPPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF THE TOWN OF BAYVIEW, TEXAS, FOR THE 2009-2010 FISCAL YEAR; AND, PROVIDING WHEN TAXES SHALL BECOME DELINQUENT IF NOT PAID.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE TOWN OF BAYVIEW, TEXAS:

SECTION I.

That there is hereby levied and there shall be collected for the use and support of the municipal government of the Town of Bayview upon all property, real, personal, and mixed, within the corporate limits of said city subject to taxation, a tax of \$0.25 on each \$100.00 valuation of property, said tax being so levied for the maintenance and support of the general government (General Fund).

SECTION II.

That taxes levied under this ordinance shall be due on or before January 31, 2010. Discounts of 3% in October, 2% in November, and 1% in December will be allowed. If taxes are not paid for the current year on or before January 31, 2010, penalty for the nonpayment and interest will begin to accrue.

SECTION III.

All taxes shall become a lien upon the property against which assessed, and the tax assessor and collector for the Town of Bayview, Texas, is hereby authorized and empowered to enforce the collection of such taxes according to the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas and ordinances of the Town of Bayview shall, by virtue of the tax rolls, fix and establish a lien by levying upon such property, whether real, personal, or mixed, for the payment of said taxes, penalty, and interest, and the interest and penalty collected from such delinquent taxes shall be apportioned to the general fund of the Town of Bayview. All delinquent taxes shall bear interest from date of delinquency at the rate as prescribed by the laws of Texas.

An additional fee of fifteen percent of the total of the tax, penalty, and interest is to be assessed on taxes which are still unpaid on July 1, 2010.

SECTION IV.

This ordinance shall become effective on the date passed at a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen at which a quorum was present. The meeting was open to the public as required and public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

Passed and Approved on this the 10th day of September, 2009.


Leon A. Deason, Mayor

ATTEST:


Janis A. Silveri, City Secretary