

ORDINANCE NO. 2015-O-7

AN ORDINANCE OF THE VILLAGE OF VOLENTE, TEXAS LEVYING AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE USE AND SUPPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2015 AND TERMINATING SEPTEMBER 30, 2015; PROVIDING FOR AND APPORTIONING EACH LEVY FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES; AND PROVIDING WHEN TAXES SHALL BECOME DUE AND WHEN SAME SHALL BECOME DELINQUENT IF NOT PAID.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the Village of Volente, Texas, approved the municipal budget for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2015 and ending September 30, 2016; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that an ordinance be passed levying ad valorem tax on all property, both real and personal, within the corporate limits of the Village of Volente, Texas in accordance with such budget and the Texas Tax Code;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF VOLENTE, TEXAS:

Section 1. That there be and is hereby levied and shall be assessed and collected for the use and support of the municipal government of the Village of Volente for the fiscal year 2015-2016, upon all property, real, personal, and mixed, within the corporate limits of said Village of Volente subject to taxation, a tax of \$0.10 on each \$100.00 valuation of property, said tax being so levied and apportioned to the specific purposes here set forth:

1. For the maintenance and support of general government (General Fund), \$0.10 on each \$100.00 valuation of property at 100% valuation.
2. For the principal and interest on debt service (Interest and Sinking Fund) \$0.00 on each \$100.00 valuation property at 100% valuation.

Section 2. That taxes levied under this ordinance shall be due October 1, 2015 and if not paid on or before January 1, 2016 shall immediately become delinquent.

Section 3. All taxes shall become a lien upon the property against which assessed and the City Tax Assessor/Collector for the Village of Volente, 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 Village of Volente and shall, by virtue of the tax rolls, fix and establish a lien by levying upon such property, whether real or personal, for the payment of said taxes, penalty and interest, and, the interest and penalty collected from such delinquent taxes from date of delinquency at the rate as prescribed by state law.

Section 4. The necessity for making and approving a budget for the fiscal year, as required by the laws of the State of Texas, requires that this Ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage, as the law in such case provides.

**PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF
VOLENTE THIS 15TH DATE OF SEPTEMBER, 2015 AT A REGULAR COUNCIL
MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF VOLENTE, THERE
BEING A QUORUM PRESENT, BY 4 AYES AND 1 NAYS TO 0
ABSENTATIONS.**

VILLAGE OF VOLENTE, TEXAS

Ken Beck, Mayor

ATTEST:

Julia Vicars, City Secretary