

BEFORE THE BOARD OF STEVENS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

IN THE MATTER OF ENHANCED 911
EXCISE TAXES

Ordinance No. 2013-02

REPEALING ORDINANCE 03-2010 and ORDINANCE 2-1994 and ANY OTHER RESOLUTION(S) TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE IMPOSITION, COLLECTION AND PAYMENT OF ENHANCED 911 EXCISE TAXES

WHEREAS, the Board finds that legislature enacted and the governor signed House Bill 1971 which makes effective changes to RCW 82.14B and authorizes counties to make changes to the collection of the enhanced 911 excise tax for the benefit and protection of all users of the enhanced 911 system for emergency communications services in Stevens County; and

WHEREAS, the Board finds Ordinance 03-2010 and Ordinance 2-1994 and any other resolutions should be repealed rather than amended to consolidate all matters pertaining to the imposition and collection of enhanced 911 excise taxes in one document;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED AND ORDERED:

- (a) There is levied an excise tax in the amount of seventy cents per month on the use of each switched access line, seventy cents per month on each radio access line, seventy cents per month on each interconnected voice over internet protocol service line used by subscribers within Stevens County, and seventy cents per prepaid wireless telecommunications service retail transaction conducted by consumers, occurring within Stevens County.
- (b) The amount of such tax shall be uniform for each such switched access, radio access, interconnected voice over internet protocol service line, or retail transaction.
- (c) The full amount of such tax shall be imposed on any subscriber having the use of the switched access, radio access, or interconnected voice over internet protocol service lines within Stevens County at the time of billing by a local exchange company, radio communications service company or interconnected voice over internet protocol service line provider, or upon any consumer conducting a retail transaction for prepaid wireless telecommunications service within Stevens County at the time of purchase from a seller.

All other terms and conditions of House Bill 1971 and RCW Chapter 82.14B shall be complied with by the county, providers, consumers and retailers doing business in Stevens County.

Ordinance 03-2010 and Ordinance 2-1994 and any other resolutions pertaining to Enhanced 911 excise taxes are hereby repealed to the extent they are inconsistent with this ordinance, House Bill 1971 and RCW Chapter 82.14B.

Stevens County recognizes and affirms its intent to comply with all provisions of House Bill 1971 and its effective amendments to RCW 82.14B and any and all other state laws and requirements.

Passed by the Board of Stevens County Commissioners meeting in regular session at Colville, Washington, by the following vote, then signed by its membership and attested to by its Clerk in authorization of such passage the 23rd day of December, 2013.

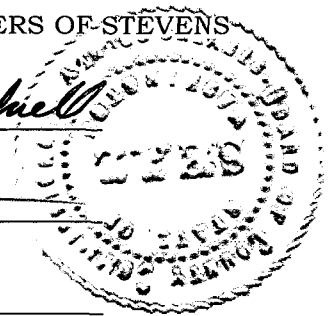
3 YEA; 0 NAY; 0 ABSTAIN; and 0 ABSENT

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