

JOINT BINDING RESOLUTION # 337

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING AND APPROVING IMPOSING A GENERAL PURPOSE ONE PERCENT (1%) SALES TAX UPON RETAIL SALES OF TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY, ADMISSIONS AND SERVICES IN WASHAKIE COUNTY, STATE OF WYOMING. THROUGH A JOINT EFFORT BY THE TOWN OF TEN SLEEP, WYOMING, THE CITY OF WORLAND, WYOMING AND THE COUNTY OF WASHAKIE, WYOMING.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Governing Body of the Town of Ten Sleep, the City of Worland and the County of Washakie, Wyoming:

WHEREAS, the governing bodies of the Town of Ten Sleep, the City of Worland and the County of Washakie, Wyoming believe any sales tax on retail sales of tangible personal property, admissions and services should be voted on by the residents; and

WHEREAS, Wyoming Statute Section 39-15-204(a)(i), authorizes the county to impose a 1% sales tax within the county for general revenue purposes; and

WHEREAS, the revenues of the 1% general purpose sales tax provide valuable services and benefits to all citizens of the Town of Ten Sleep, the City of Worland and Washakie County; and

WHEREAS, this resolution would support and approve 1% general purpose sales tax revenues from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2023; and

WHEREAS, should the initiative be approved by the voters, the Board of County Commissioners of Washakie County will allocate the 1% general purpose tax revenues as follows:

PROJECT NAME (Not listed in priority)	Revenue Percentage Used for Project
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Worland Senior Center

5% of Revenue Collected

To supplement local funding to ensure the continuance and stability of the center by providing needed money to match, as available, grants that provide for operations, administration and maintenance expenses as well as expansion of services.

Ten Sleep Senior Center

5% of Revenue Collected

To supplement local match funding. These funds will ensure the continuance and stability of the center by providing needed money to match, as available, grants that provide for operations, administration, and maintenance expenses as well as necessary replacement of equipment. The funds will also allow continued expansion of the center's transportation program.

Town of Ten Sleep

15% of Revenue Collected

Money that will supplement funds as collected in accordance with state law and local authorization, and/or grants, as available, to be used for improvements to streets, water, sewer and other town-owned and/or maintained infrastructure.

City of Worland

42% of revenue generated

The money requested is to be used for infrastructure projects such as, but not limited to: street, curb, gutter replacements, maintenance, repair and drainage as approved by the City Council. The funds collected and distributed may also supplement grants, assessments, and be combined with other local, state and federal funds in accordance with law and ordinance to benefit Worland and its citizens.

Worland Community Center Complex

25% of revenue generated

Operation and maintenance of existing facility, seed money for grants, as available and program development to ensure the stability of the complex.

Crisis Prevention and Response

2% of revenue generated

The revenue will be used as a match for grant (s) towards the addition of the facility and providing services to victims of crime in Washakie County.

Worland Fire Protection District #1

6% of revenue generated

One cent funding received will be used in conjunction with District funds for the replacement of Ladder 1 a 1985 Pierce 75' Aerial. The replacement will be a 100' Aerial Platform.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the question of implementing the one percent (1%) General Purpose sales tax on retail sales of tangible personal property, admissions and services, a continuation of the optional fifth-penny tax option previously used in Washakie County, under W.S. 39-15-204(a)(i) shall be placed on the ballot at the general election scheduled November 6, 2018.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in the event of approval of the proposition by the voters of Washakie County, the tax shall take effect on July 1, 2019. It will be in effect as a County- wide tax from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2023, inclusive. All funds realized from the general purpose one percent (1%) sales tax will be deposited into one account by Washakie County, City of Worland and Town of Ten Sleep and distributed by the Washakie County Treasurer.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the ballot shall set forth the following proposition:

"Shall Washakie County, State of Wyoming, be authorized to adopt and cause to be imposed a one percent (1%) general purpose sales tax, effective July 1, 2019, on retail sales of tangible personal property, admissions and services within the county as authorized by Wyoming State Statute Section 39-15-204(a)(i); the revenue will be used as general revenue in accordance with Joint Binding Resolution # 337"

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this ___ Day of _____ 2018

City of Worland

[Signature], Mayor

[Signature], Council Member

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Town of Ten Sleep

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Washakie County

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