#### ORDINANCE 2000-08

ORDINANCE TO SET THE TAX RATE ON VALOREM TAXES FOR THE USE AND SUPPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT TO THE CITY OF PEÑITAS FISCAL YEAR 2000-2001; PROVIDING FOR APPORTIONING EACH LEVYING FOR A SPECIFIC PURPOSE; AND PROVIDING WHEN TAXES SHALL BECOME DUE AND WHEN SAME SHALL BECOME DELIQUENT IF NOT PAID.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMAN OF THE CITY OF PEÑITAS.

# **SECTION 1:**

That there is hereby levied and shall be collected for the use and support of the Municipal Government of the City of Peñitas for the 2000-2001 fiscal year, upon all property, real personal, mixed, within the corporate limits of the City subject to taxation, a tax of \$.30 on each \$100.00 valuation of property, said tax being so levied apportioned to the specific purposes here set forth:

1. For the maintenance and support of general government (General Fund), \$.30 on each \$100.00 valuation of property.

### **SECTION 2:**

The taxes levied under this ordinance shall be due October 1, 2000 and if not paid on or before January 31, 2001, shall become delinquent.

### **SECTION 3:**

All taxes shall become a lien upon the property against which assessed, and the city assessor and collector of the City of Peñitas shall by virtue of the tax rolls fix and establish a lien by levying on such property, whether real or personal, for the payment of such taxes, penalty and interest and the interest and penalty collected by such delinquent taxes shall be apportioned to the "General Fund" of the City of Peñitas. All delinquent taxes shall bear interest from the date of delinquency at the rate prescribed by state law.

#### **SECTION 4:**

This ordinance shall take and be in full force after its passage.

# **SECTION 5:**

This ordinance shall be published in a paper having general circulation in the City of Peñitas.

# **SECTION 6:**

Should any word, phrase, sentence, paragraph or portion of this ordinance be found to be illegal, the remaining portions shall remain in full force and effect.

Passed this <u>26th</u> day of <u>September</u> 2000, at a special call meeting of the Board of Alderman of the City of Peñitas.

There being a quorum present by a  $\underline{6}$  YEAS and  $\underline{0}$  NAYS and approved by the Mayor on the date above set out.

APPROVED:

SERVANDO RAMIREZ, MAYOR

ATTEST:

EFRAN GARZA, CITY ADMINISTRATOR