



VILLAGE OF SALADO
RESOLUTION

Resolution No. R-2015-112

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE VILLAGE OF SALADO, TEXAS SUPPORTING THE COLLECTION OF A BELL COUNTY HOTEL OCCUPANCY TAX FOR THE BENEFIT AND SUPPORT OF THE BELL COUNTY EXPOSITION CENTER; AND PROVIDING AN OPEN MEETINGS CLAUSE.

Whereas, Bell County has requested a resolution of support from the Village of Salado regarding its efforts to gain legislative approval for a hotel occupancy tax that could be used to benefit the Bell County Exposition Center (“the Expo Center”); the Expo Center is an asset to all of Bell County and provides a variety of cultural, artistic and sports programming throughout the year;

Whereas, Salado residents frequent the Expo Center and access the services, facilities and events offered - the Expo Center benefits the Salado economy by attracting more than 400,000 visitors per year, thousands of whom contribute to our economy directly through sales tax and local hotel occupancy tax;

Whereas, the Board of Aldermen supports the approval of a Bell County Hotel Occupancy Tax and believes it would enhance facilities and programming at the Bell County Exposition Center and benefit residents of Salado; and

Whereas, the Board of Aldermen has considered the matter and deems it in the public interest to authorize this action.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ALDERMEN OF THE VILLAGE OF SALADO, TEXAS THAT:

Part 1: The Board of Aldermen of the Village of Salado supports the collection of a Bell County Hotel Occupancy Tax for the benefit and support of the Bell County Exposition Center.

Part 2: It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Resolution is passed was open to the public as required and that public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act.

PASSED & APPROVED this, the 5th day of March 2015, by a vote of 4 (ayes) to 1 (nays) to 0 (abstentions) of the Board of Aldermen of Salado, Texas.

VILLAGE OF SALADO:

by: 
Skip Blancett, Mayor

ATTEST:


Douglas A. Hansen, Village Secretary