

RESOLUTION NO. 20210126.1

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF PANAMA CITY,
FLORIDA, REQUESTING THE SUPERVISOR OF
ELECTIONS PLACE A QUESTION ON THE GENERAL
ELECTION BALLOT FOR TAX EXEMPTIONS.**

WHEREAS, the City of Panama City Commission (the "Commission") requests that the Supervisor of Elections place one (1) question on the General Election Ballot, as required by Chapter 196, Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, Section 196.1995(7) provides that the tax exemption authority granted to the City may be renewed every 10-years; and

WHEREAS, Section 196.1995(2) and (3), Florida Statutes, states that the ballot question shall be in substantially the form as set forth in the statute;

NOW, BE IT RESOLVED by the City of Panama City Commission that:

1. The Commission requests that the Supervisor of Elections place one (1) question on the General Election Ballot, as required by Chapter 196, Florida Statutes, which asks the voters of Panama City the following questions:

Shall the City Commission of this city be authorized to grant, pursuant to Section 3, Article VII of the State Constitution, property tax exemptions to new businesses and expansions of existing businesses that are expected to create new, full-time jobs in the city?

- Yes --- For authority to grant exemptions
- No --- Against authority to grant exemptions

2. The Commission finds the language is the same form as used in Section 196.1995(2) Florida Statutes.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the City Commission of the City of Panama City, Florida, this 26th day of January, 2021.

ATTEST:


Brandy Waldron, Interim City Clerk-Treasurer

CITY OF PANAMA CITY

By: 
Greg Brudnicki, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CORRECTNESS:


Nevin J. Zimmerman, City Attorney
Burke Blue P.A.