

ORDINANCE NO. _____

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COALINGA
AMENDING SECTION 102 TO TITLE 3A, CHAPTER 6 TO THE COALINGA MUNICIPAL CODE
TO EXTEND THE SUNSET CLAUSE OF THE ONE-PERCENT TRANSACTIONS AND USE TAX FOR
GENERAL PURPOSES**

The City Council of the City of Coalinga does ordain as follows:

SECTION I. AMENDMENT OF CODE.

Coalinga Municipal Code Title 3, Chapter 6, is hereby amended as follows:

Sec. 3-6A.102 Operative Date.

"Operative date" means the first day of the first calendar quarter commencing more than one hundred ten (110) days after the adoption of the ordinance from which this chapter is derived, April 1, 2019. The ordinance from which this chapter is derived shall expire April 1, 2039.

Sec. 3-6A.113 – Oversight.

The following measures shall be initiated by the City as mechanisms for citizen oversight of the funds collected and expended from revenues generated by this Chapter:

- (a) Annual Citizens Advisory Committee: Beginning in the first quarter of each budget year, the City shall advertise for applicants to a Citizens Advisory Committee to review community priorities and provide recommendations to the City Council regarding the proposed use of Measure J revenues during the upcoming fiscal year.
- (b) Quarterly Revenue Reports: The City will publish quarterly reports detailing Measure J revenue collections.
- (c) Annual Expenditure Report: An annual report will summarize how Measure J revenues were allocated and distributed during the previous fiscal year.

SECTION II: STATUTORY AUTHORITY FOR TAX.

This ordinance is adopted pursuant to Revenue and Taxation Code section 7285.9.

SECTION III: ELECTION REQUIRED.

This ordinance shall not become operative unless and until at least a majority of the electors voting on this measure vote to approve the imposition of the tax at the election to be held on November 3, 2026.

SECTION IV: ANNUAL AUDIT.

By no later than December 31st of each year, the City's independent auditors shall complete a financial audit report to include the revenue raised and expended by this tax.

SECTION V: EFFECTIVE DATE.

This ordinance shall take thirty (30) days after certification by the County Elections Office, if it receives approval by a majority of voters at the general election to be held on November 3, 2026.

SECTION VI: CERTIFICATION; PUBLICATION.

Upon approval by the voters, the City Clerk shall verify to the passage and adoption of this ordinance and shall cause it to be published according to law and transmitted to the California Department of Tax and Fee Administration.

The foregoing ordinance was introduced by the City Council of the City of Coalinga, California, at a regular meeting held on this ____ day of ____, 2026, and was passed and adopted by the City Council on this ____ day of ____, 2026, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

APPROVED:

ATTEST:

Nathan Vosburg, Mayor

Shannon Jensen, City Clerk