

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

This ballot measure is to extend the current Retail Transaction and Use Tax in the incorporated and unincorporated areas of Fresno County at the rate of one-tenth of one percent (0.10%), which expires on March 31, 2025. The State Board of Equalization will continue to administer this sales tax if approved by at least two-thirds of the electors voting on the measure.

This ordinance will generate approximately fifteen million dollars annually (\$15,000,000) with the growth of this revenue generally following the economic trends within the local community. The total estimated proceeds for the 15-year period extension will be approximately two hundred twenty-five million dollars (\$225,000,000).

The revenue from the Fresno County Zoo Authority Transactions and Use Tax Ordinance will be used exclusively for zoos, zoological facilities, and related zoological purposes within Fresno County. This tax will terminate on the later date of March 31, 2040, or 15 years after the first day of the first calendar quarter following the execution of the State Board of Equalization contract in accordance with the provisions of the Transactions and Use Tax Ordinance.

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