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Ordinance 962

An ordinance amending Chapter 5.40 entitled "Opportunity Fund Program"

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF CLALLAM COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

Section 5.40.040. Use of proceeds, is amended to read as follows:

County Code Section 5.40.040, entitled "Use of Proceeds," be and hereby is repealed and replaced with a new Section 5.40.041 bearing the same name.

Section 5.40.041. Use of proceeds, is created to read as follows:

County Code Chapter 5.40, entitled "Opportunity Fund Program," is hereby amended by the addition of a new section 5.40.041, entitled "Use of Proceeds," which shall read in its entirety as follows:

- (1) Moneys received from this tax shall only be used by Clallam County for the following purposes:
 - (a) the financing of public facilities serving economic development purposes in accordance with Washington statutes. The public facility must be listed as an item in the officially adopted Clallam County overall capital facilities plan, or the economic development section of Clallam County's comprehensive plan, or the comprehensive plan of a city or town located within Clallam County, or
 - (b) to finance the compensation of personnel in "economic development offices" as that term is defined in state law.
- (2) For the purposes of this section, "public facilities" means bridges, roads, domestic and industrial water facilities, sanitary sewer facilities, earth stabilization, storm sewer facilities, railroad, electricity, natural gas, buildings, structures, telecommunications infrastructure, transportation infrastructure, or commercial infrastructure, and port facilities in the State of Washington.
- (3) For purposes of this section, "economic development purposes" means those purposes which facilitate the creation or retention of businesses and jobs in Clallam County. Economic development purposes may be accomplished through construction of public facilities that have direct job creation or by construction of public facilities, such as infrastructure, that create an environment for business development and job creation.
- (4) Costs for administration of the Opportunity Fund shall be charged to the fund in accordance with the County's administrative policies and cost allocation plan.

All other sections of County Code Chapter 5.40 are not amended or revised by this Ordinance and shall remain unchanged.

This Ordinance shall come into effect ten (10) days after its approval by a majority vote of the County Commission.

ADOPTED this twenty first day of July 2020
BOARD OF CLALLAM COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
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