

ORDINANCE NO. 78A

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 48A
(LODGER'S TAX)

Whereas, The Board of Trustees of the Town of Stratton enacted Ordinance No. 48A, Lodger's Tax on the 10th day of August, 1989; and

Whereas, The Board of Trustees desires to amend Ordinance No. 48A to provide for quarterly remittance of tax under certain circumstances and other changes;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF STRATTON, COLORADO:

Section 1. Ordinance No. 48A of the Town of Stratton, Colorado is hereby amended as follows:

(a). Section 3. Collections of tax. (A) is hereby amended to read as follows:

Every vendor providing accommodations taxable by this Chapter shall collect the tax from each customer and shall remit such tax and make a return to the Town on or before the twentieth (20th) day of each month, on account of accommodations provided in the preceding month. Said return shall contain such information and be in such form as the Town may prescribe, *except that in the event that such tax collections accumulations shall be less than \$100.00 the vendor shall remit such tax and make a return to the Town on a quarterly basis on or before the twentieth (20th) day of the fourth month following such tax collection.*

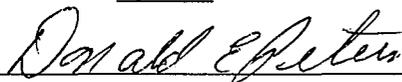
(b). Section 4. Enforcement. (B) is hereby amended to read as follows:

A penalty in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the tax due or the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00), whichever is greater, shall be imposed upon the vendor and become due in the event the tax is not remitted by the twentieth (20th) of the month, as required by this Chapter, and *eighteen percent (18%) per annum* interest shall accrue each month on the unpaid balance.

Section 2. The Board of Trustees finds and determines that this ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety and, therefore, an emergency exists and that this ordinance shall become effective five days after publication thereof.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED THIS 15TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1995.

(SEAL)



Mayor

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ATTEST:

Paulette Thompson
Town Clerk

STATE OF COLORADO)
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County of Kit Carson) ss.
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Town of Stratton)

CLERK'S CERTIFICATE

That I, PAULETTE THOMPSON, the official Town Clerk of the Town of Stratton, do by these presents say that the foregoing Ordinance No. 78A was passed by a three-fourths majority of the members of the Board of Trustees and adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Stratton on the 16th day of NOVEMBER, A.D., 19 95, and that the above entitled Ordinance is a true, correct and full copy of the Ordinance as shown in the records of the Town of Stratton, Stratton, Colorado.

Dated this 20th day of NOVEMBER, 19 95.

Paulette Thompson
Town Clerk

STATE OF COLORADO)
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County of Kit Carson) ss.
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Town of Stratton)

CLERK'S CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

I, PAULETTE THOMPSON, the official Town Clerk of the Town of Stratton, do by these presents say that the foregoing Ordinance No. 78A and Clerk's Certificate attached thereto was published in the Stratton Spotlight, a weekly newspaper of general circulation in Stratton, Kit Carson County, Colorado, on NOVEMBER 21, 1995, and "Proof of Publication" is filed therewith.

Paulette Thompson
Town Clerk

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