



Measure C Oversight Committee Meeting Agenda

4:00 PM - April 27, 2021

Measure C Committee Members

Lee Brown
Chris Buzzard
Linda Dye
Dan Hansen
Nicki Jones

George Morris, Jr.
Chris Rehmann
Dee Riley
Sharon Simonton

Alternates

Ronald Baker

The Citizen Oversight Committee holds its meetings in the Town Council Chambers at Town Hall, located at 5555 Skyway, Paradise, California, 95969. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need a special accommodation to participate, please contact the Town Clerk's Department at 872-6291 Extension 102 at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting. Hearing assistance devices for the hearing impaired are available from the Town Clerk. Members of the public may address the Citizen Oversight Committee on any agenda item. If you wish to address the Committee on any matter on the Agenda, it is requested that you complete a request card and give it to the Committee Secretary prior to the beginning of the Oversight Board Meeting. All writings or documents which are related to any item on an open session agenda and which are distributed to a majority of the Oversight Committee will be available for public inspection at the Town Hall in the Town Clerk Department at 5555 Skyway, at the same time the subject writing or document is distributed to a majority of the subject body. Regular business hours are Monday through Thursday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The meeting will be open to the public on a limited basis. This means there will be reduced seating capacity, social distancing will be practiced and face masks are required. (please note, our limited capacity is 20 people and when that is reached, the doors will be closed) Attendees may need to rotate seating positions to allow participation from those in attendance. Public speakers will be asked to complete speaker cards and may need to wait outside until they are called to speak. Comments may be submitted via e-mail to dvolenski@townofparadise.com prior to 3:00 p.m. the day of the meeting. Observers choosing not to attend in person may view the meeting via the town's website at <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCpo2Gy0EGJwcFvDU2xnjgbw>

1. OPENING

- a. Call to Order
- b. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America
- c. Roll Call
- d. Introduction of Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee Members
- e. Oaths of Office

2. ITEMS

- a. Review Town of Paradise Resolution No. 21-12 (Adopted March 9, 2021), By-Laws for the Governance of the Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee.
- b. Committee selection of Chair, Vice-chair and Secretary.

- c. Information regarding the Town's financial background, budget process and remaining funds from Measure C Citizen Oversight Committee.
- d. Approve the final quarterly report from the Measure C Citizens Oversight Committee to the residents of Paradise for the complete 3rd quarter of the 2020/2021 fiscal year - Town Manager Kevin Phillips (This information will be provided at the meeting)
- e. Calendar of the meetings for the remainder of the 2020/2021 fiscal year and for the 2021/2022 fiscal Year.

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

4. ADJOURNMENT

STATE OF CALIFORNIA) COUNTY OF BUTTE)	SS.
I declare under penalty of perjury that I am employed by the Town of Paradise in the Town Clerk's Department and that I posted this Agenda on the bulletin Board both inside and outside of Town Hall on the following date: _____	
TOWN/ASSISTANT TOWN CLERK SIGNATURE _____	

**TOWN OF PARADISE
RESOLUTION NO. 21-12**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PARADISE
APPROVING BY-LAWS FOR THE GOVERNANCE OF THE
MEASURE V CITIZEN OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE**

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Paradise desires to set forth certain procedures relating to the conduct of the Town Council appointed Citizen Oversight Committee required by voter approval of Measure V on November 6, 2018.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Paradise as follows:

Section 1. The formation of the Citizen Oversight Committee is a requirement of Ordinance No. 545 adopted by voter approval of the Town Council ballot measure on November 4, 2014 that established a temporary 0.50 percent transaction and use tax that was extended by Ordinance No. 569 on November 6, 2018 and will automatically expire March 31, 2031.

Section 2. That the Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee shall be established for the same ten-year term as provided for the 0.50 percent transaction and use tax established by Ordinance No. 569.

Section 3. That the Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee by-laws shall be adopted as attached to this resolution as Exhibit A; and,

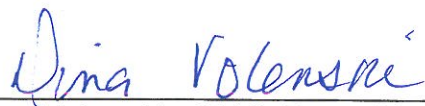
Section 4. The resolution shall become effective on the date of adoption by the Town Council.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town of Paradise Town Council on this 9th day of March, 2021 by the following vote:


AYES:	Greg Bolin, Steve "Woody" Culleton, Jody Jones, Rose Tryon and Steve Crowder, Mayor
NOES:	None
ABSENT:	None
ABSTAIN:	None

By: 
Steve Crowder, Mayor

ATTEST: *March 10, 2021*


Dina Volenski, CMC, Town Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Mark A Habib, Town Attorney

**BYLAWS OF THE MEASURE V
CITIZEN OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE**

Section 1. Name of Committee.

The official name shall be the "Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee".

Section 2. Place of Meeting.

The regular place of meetings of the Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee shall be at least quarterly at the Paradise Town Hall located at 5555 Skyway, Paradise, California, on the fourth Tuesday, at 4:00 p.m., unless otherwise cancelled or adjourned to another day or place pursuant to the Ralph M. Brown Act.

Section 3. Purpose & Powers.

The Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee shall have the duties established by Town Council Ordinance No. 545 and codified in Section 3.22.075 of the Paradise Municipal Code. Its meetings shall be held in accordance with the Ralph M. Brown Act. The committee is required to meet at least quarterly with the Town Manager and the Town Finance Director during the preparation of each fiscal year budget to make recommendations to the Town Council regarding how the proceeds from the implementation of Ordinance No. 569 will be allocated for the ensuing budget year.

Section 4. Members and Officers.

The Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee shall be a nine-member committee appointed by the Town Council. Members shall be residents and registered voters of Paradise. Substitutes are not allowed.

Section 5. Chairperson.

The Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee shall annually select one of its members to serve as Chairperson of the committee and shall preside at all meetings.

Section 6. Vice-Chairperson.

The Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee shall select one of its members to serve as Vice Chairperson who shall perform the duties of the Chairperson in the absence or incapacity of the Chairperson.

Section 7. Secretary.

The Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee shall designate a member to serve as the Secretary to the committee. The Secretary shall keep the records, shall act as secretary at meetings of the committee, shall record all votes, and shall keep a record of the proceedings of the Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee in a journal of proceedings to be kept for such purpose and shall perform all duties incident to the office. The Secretary shall maintain a record of all official proceedings of the Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee and its programs.

Section 8. Vacancies.

When a seat of the Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee becomes vacant, Town staff will inform the Town Council and schedule appointment to the vacancy at a regular or special meeting. Such appointments are to take place within 60 days of the creation of the vacancy.

Section 9. Compensation.

Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee members shall serve without compensation or reimbursement for expenses.

Section 10. Rosenberg's Rules.

Except as may be provided in the California Brown Act and these bylaws, the meeting procedures of the Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee shall be governed by the latest revised edition of Rosenberg's Rules of Order.

Section 11. Amendments.

The Bylaws may be amended by a majority vote of the Town Council.

**TOWN OF PARADISE
ORDINANCE NO. 569**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PARADISE
EXTENDING, SUBJECT TO VOTER APPROVAL, THE TOWN'S
EXISTING GENERAL TRANSACTIONS AND USE TAX FOR AN
ADDITIONAL TEN YEARS TO MARCH 31, 2031, PURSUANT TO
REVENUE & TAXATION CODE SECTIONS 7251 ET SEQ.**

The Town Council of the Town of Paradise, State of California, does **ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

WHEREAS, on November 4, 2014, a majority of the Town's voters approved Ordinance No. 545 (Measure C), codified as Paradise Municipal Code Chapter 3.22, which authorized a one-half of one percent (0.50%) general transactions and use tax for six years; and

WHEREAS, the funds generated by Ordinance No. 545 have been used by the Town Council to purchase new Police Vehicles and Fire Engines and other public safety equipment; to purchase equipment, additional open hours and training for Animal Control, and as funding for road improvement projects in the Town of Paradise; and

WHEREAS, it is proposed by the Town Council that the existing one half of one percent (0.50%) transactions and use tax be extended by Town voters beyond its current March 31, 2021 termination date to March 31, 2031.

SECTION 1. Paradise Municipal Code section 3.22.050 is hereby amended to read:

3.22.050 Transactions Rate Tax

For the privilege of selling tangible personal property at retail, a tax is hereby imposed upon all retailers in the incorporated territory of the Town of Paradise at the rate of one-half of one percent (0.50%) of the gross receipts of any retailer from the sale of all tangible personal property sold at retail in said territory until March 31, 2031.

SECTION 2. Paradise Municipal Code section 3.22.070 is hereby amended to read as follows:

3.22.070 Use Tax Rate

An excise tax is hereby imposed on the storage, use or other consumption in the Town of tangible personal property purchased from any retailer until March 31, 2031 for storage, use or other consumption in said territory at the rate of one-half of one percent (0.50%) of the sales price of such property. The sales price shall include delivery charges when such charges are subject to state sales or use tax regardless of the place to which delivery is made.

SECTION 3. TERMINATION DATE. The tax levied by this ordinance shall continue at the rate of one-half of one percent (0.50%) until March 31, 2031. The authority to levy the tax imposed by this ordinance shall expire on March 31, 2031.

SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the ordinance and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance relates to an extension of the Town's existing transactions and use tax and shall take effect and become operative only if approved by a majority of voters at the Regular Municipal Election to be held on November 6, 2018. If approved by the voters, the transactions and use tax codified under Chapter 3.22 of the Paradise Municipal Code will be extended to 11:59 p.m. on March 31, 2031. If the measure fails, this ordinance shall be rendered inoperative and void, however, the defeat of the ordinance shall not operate to extinguish or amend the existing transactions and use tax as presently constituted and approved on November 4, 2014, which will expire on March 31, 2021.

SECTION 6. CEQA. This ordinance and the contemplated levy of the transactions and use tax referenced herein is not a "project" within the meaning of the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") codified as 21000 et seq. of the California Public Resources Code because it will not result in a direct or reasonably foreseeable indirect physical change in the environment nor does it involve any commitment to any specific project, which may result in a potentially significant physical impact on the environment.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of Paradise, County of Butte, State of California, on this 8th day of May, 2018 by the following vote:

AYES: Greg Bolin, Scott Lotter, Melissa Schuster and Jody Jones, Mayor

NOES: Mike Zuccolillo

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None



Jody Jones, Mayor

ATTEST:

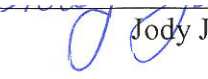
March 25, 2019

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

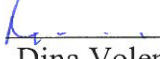

Dina Volenski, Town Clerk


Dwight L. Moore, Town Attorney

I hereby certify that this ordinance was APPROVED by the voters of the Town of Paradise, State of California, at a regular election on November 6, 2018 and by the Town Council of the Town of Paradise at a regular meeting of the Council held on December 11, 2018.



Jody Jones, Mayor

Attest: 

Dina Volenski, CMC, Town Clerk

**TOWN OF PARADISE
ORDINANCE NO. 545**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PARADISE
AMENDING AND ADDING CHAPTER 3.22 TO THE PARADISE
MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING A TRANSACTIONS AND USE TAX TO BE
ADMINISTERED BY THE STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION**

The People of the Town of Paradise, State of California do **ordain as follows**:

SECTION 1: Chapter 3.22 is hereby amended and added to the Paradise Municipal Code to read as follows:

CHAPTER 3.22
Temporary Transactions and Use Tax

Sections:

3.22.010	Title
3.22.020	Operative Date
3.22.030	Purpose
3.22.040	Contract with State
3.22.050	Transaction Tax Rate
3.22.060	Place of Sale
3.22.070	Use Tax Rate
3.22.075	Citizens Oversight Committee
3.22.080	Adoption of Provisions of State Law
3.22.090	Limitations on Adoption of State Law and Collection of Use Taxes
3.22.100	Permit Not Required
3.22.110	Exemptions and Exclusions
3.22.120	Amendments
3.22.130	Enjoining Collection Prohibited

3.22.010 Title

This ordinance shall be known as the Temporary Transactions and Use Tax Ordinance. The Town of Paradise hereinafter shall be called "Town." This ordinance shall be applicable in the incorporated territory of the Town.

3.22.020 Operative Date

"Operative Date" means the first day of the first calendar quarter commencing more than 110 days after the adoption of this ordinance, the date of such adoption being as set forth below.

3.22.030 Purpose

This ordinance is adopted to achieve the following, among other purposes, and directs that the provisions hereof be interpreted in order to accomplish those purposes:

- A. To maintain and preserve Town of Paradise public services, including police protection, fire suppression, street maintenance, animal control and other services within the Town.

B. To impose a retail transactions and use tax in accordance with the provisions of Part 1.6 (commencing with Section 7251) of Division 2 of the Revenue and Taxation Code and Section 7285.9 of Part 1.7 of Division 2 which authorizes the Town to adopt this tax ordinance which shall be operative if a majority of the electors voting on the measure vote to approve the imposition of the tax at an election called for that purpose.

C. To adopt a retail transactions and use tax ordinance that incorporates provisions identical to those of the Sales and Use Tax Law of the State of California insofar as those provisions are not inconsistent with the requirements and limitations contained in Part 1.6 of Division 2 of the Revenue and Taxation Code.

D. To adopt a retail transactions and use tax ordinance that imposes a tax and provides a measure therefor that can be administered and collected by the State Board of Equalization in a manner that adapts itself as fully as practicable to, and requires the least possible deviation from, the existing statutory and administrative procedures followed by the State Board of Equalization in administering and collecting the California State Sales and Use Taxes.

E. To adopt a retail transactions and use tax ordinance that can be administered in a manner that will be, to the greatest degree possible, consistent with the provisions of Part 1.6 of Division 2 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, minimize the cost of collecting the transactions and use taxes, and at the same time, minimize the burden of record keeping upon persons subject to taxation under the provisions of this ordinance.

3.22.040 Contract with State

Prior to the operative date, the Town shall contract with the State Board of Equalization to perform all functions incident to the administration and operation of this transactions and use tax ordinance; provided, that if the Town shall not have contracted with the State Board of Equalization prior to the operative date, it shall nevertheless so contract and in such case the operative date shall be the first day of the first calendar quarter following the execution of such contract.

3.22.050 Transactions Rate Tax

For the privilege of selling tangible personal property at retail, a tax is hereby imposed upon all retailers in the incorporated territory of the Town at the rate of one-half of one percent (0.50%) of the gross receipts of any retailer from the sale of all tangible personal property sold at retail in said territory for six (6) years from the operative date of this ordinance.

3.22.060 Place of Sale

For the purposes of this ordinance, all retail sales are consumed at the place of business of the retailer unless the tangible personal property sold is delivered by the retailer or his, her or its agent to an out-of-state destination or to a common carrier for delivery to an out-of-state destination. The gross receipts from such sales shall include delivery charges, when such charges are subject to the state sales and use tax, regardless of the place to which delivery is made. In the event a retailer has no permanent place of business in the State of California or has more than one place of business, the place or places at which the retail sales are consummated shall be determined under rules and regulations to be prescribed and adopted by the State Board of

Equalization.

3.22.070 Use Tax Rate

An excise tax is hereby imposed on the storage, use or other consumption in the Town of tangible personal property purchased from any retailer for six (6) years after the operative date of this ordinance for storage, use or other consumption in said territory at the rate of one-half of one percent (0.50%) of the sales price of the property.

3.22.075 Citizens Oversight Committee

1. The Town Council shall establish and appoint a Citizens Oversight Committee.
2. The Citizens Oversight Committee shall consist of a nine-member board of residents of the Town of Paradise to represent a cross-section of the community.
3. The purpose of the Citizens Oversight Committee shall be to meet with the Town Manager and the Town Finance Director during the preparation of each fiscal year budget until the ordinance sunsets, to make recommendations to the Town Council regarding how the proceeds from the implementation of the ordinance will be allocated for the ensuing budget year. The committee shall make recommendations to the Council to provide for local public services, including police protection, fire suppression, emergency medical services, road repair, street maintenance, animal control and other services that will improve the quality of life for residents and businesses within the Town of Paradise. The committee shall meet at least quarterly during the fiscal year to ensure that the revenue generated by the ordinance is allocated and disbursed in accordance with the Town budget. All quarterly and annual budget reports from the committee shall be published on the Town of Paradise website prior to Council adoption of the budget and will be available for public review.

3.22.080 Adoption of Provisions of State Law

Except as otherwise provided in this ordinance and except insofar as they are consistent with the provisions of Part 1.6 of Division 2 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, all of the provisions of Part 1 (commencing with Section 6001) of Division 2 of the Revenue and Taxation Code are hereby adopted and made a part of this ordinance as though fully set forth herein.

3.22.090 Limitations on Adoption of State Law and Collection of Use Taxes

In adopting the provisions of Part 1 of Division 2 of the Revenue and Taxation Code:

A. Wherever the State of California is named or referred to as the taxing agency, the name of this Town shall be substituted therefor. However, the substitution shall not be made when:

1. The word "State" is used as a part of the title of the State Controller, State Treasurer, State Board of Control, State Board of Equalization, State Treasury, or the Constitution of the State of California;
2. The result of that substitution would require action to be taken by or against this Town or any agency, officer, or employee thereof rather than by or against the State Board of Equalization, in performing the functions incident to the administration or operation of this ordinance.

3. In those sections, including, but not necessarily limited to sections referring to the exterior boundaries of the State of California, where the result of the substitution would be to:

a. Provide an exemption from this tax with respect to certain sales, storage, use or other consumption of tangible personal property which would not otherwise be exempt from this tax while such sales, storage, use or other consumption remain subject to tax by the State under the provisions of Part 1 of Division 2 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, or;

b. Impose this tax with respect to certain sales, storage, use or other consumption of tangible personal property which would not be subject to tax by the state under the provision of that code.

4. In Sections 6701, 6702 (except in the last sentence thereof), 6711, 6715, 6737, 6797 or 6828 of the Revenue and Taxation Code.

B. The word "Town" shall be substituted for the word "State" in the phrase "retailer engaged in business in this State" in Section 6203 and in the definition of that phrase in Section 6203.

3.22.100 Permit not Required

If a seller's permit has been issued to a retailer under Section 6067 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, an additional transactor's permit shall not be required by this ordinance.

3.22.110 Exemptions and Exclusions

A. There shall be excluded from the measure of the transactions tax and the use tax in the amount of any sales tax or use tax imposed by the State of California or by any Town, Town and county, or county pursuant to the Bradley-Burns Uniform Local Sales and Use Tax Law or the amount of any state-administered transactions or use tax.

B. There are exempted from the computation of the amount of transactions tax the gross receipts from:

1. Sales of tangible personal property, other than fuel or petroleum products, to operators of aircraft to be used or consumed principally outside the County in which the sale is made and directly and exclusively in the use of such aircraft as common carriers of persons or property under the authority of the laws of this State, the United States, or any foreign government.

2. Sales of property to be used outside the Town which is shipped to a point outside the Town, pursuant to the contract of sale, by delivery to such point by the retailer or his, her or its agent, or by delivery by the retailer to a carrier for shipment to a consignee at such point. For the purpose of this paragraph, delivery to a point outside the Town shall be satisfied.

a. With respect to vehicles (other than commercial vehicles) subject to registration pursuant to Chapter 1 (commencing with Section 4000) of Division 3 of the Vehicle Code, aircraft licensed in compliance with Section 21411 of the Public Utilities Code, and undocumented vessels registered under Chapter 2 of Division 3.5 (commencing with Section 9840) if the Vehicle Code by registration to an out-of-Town address and by a declaration under penalty of perjury, signed by the buyer, stating that such address is, in fact, his or her principal place of residence; and

b. With respect to commercial vehicles, by registration to a place of business out-of-Town and declaration under penalty of perjury, signed by the buyer, that the vehicle will be operated from that address.

3. The sale of tangible personal property if the seller is obligated to furnish the property for a fixed price pursuant to a contract entered into prior to the operative date of this ordinance.

4. A lease of tangible personal property which is a continuing sale of such property, for any period of time for which the lessor is obligated to lease the property for an amount fixed by the lease prior to the operative date of the ordinance.

5. For the purposes of subsections (3) and (4) of this section, the sale or lease of tangible personal property shall be deemed not to be obligated pursuant to a contract of lease for any period of time for which any party to the contract or lease has the unconditional right to terminate the contract or lease upon notice, whether or not such right is exercised.

C. There are exempted from the use tax imposed by this ordinance, the storage, use or other consumption in this Town of tangible personal property:

1. The gross receipts from the sale of which have been subject to a transactions tax under any state- administered transactions and use tax ordinance.

2. Other than fuel or petroleum products purchased by operators of aircraft and used or consumed by such operators directly and exclusively in the use of such aircraft as common carriers of persons or property for hire or compensation under a certificate of public convenience and necessity issued pursuant to the laws of this State, the United States, or any foreign government. This exemption is in addition to the exemptions provided in Sections 6366 and 6366.1 of the Revenue and taxation Code of the State of California.

3. If the purchase is obligated to purchase the property for a fixed price pursuant to a contract entered into prior to the operative date of this ordinance.

4. If the possession of, or the exercise of any right or power over, the tangible personal property arises under a lease which is a continuing purchase of such property for any period of time for which the lessee is obligated to lease the property for an amount fixed by a lease prior to the operative date of this ordinance.

5. For the purposes of subsections (3) and (4) of this section, storage, use, or other consumption, or possession of, or exercise of any right or power over, tangible personal property shall be deemed not to be obligated pursuant to a contract or lease for any period of time for which any party to the contract or lease has the unconditional right to terminate the contract or lease upon notice, whether or not such right is exercised.

6. Except as provided in subparagraph (7), a retailer engaged in business in the Town shall not be required to collect use tax from the purchaser of tangible personal property, unless the retailer ships or delivers the property into the Town or participates within the Town in making the sale of the property, including, but not limited to, soliciting or receiving the order, either directly or indirectly, at a place of business of the retailer in the Town or through any

representative, agent, canvasser, solicitor, subsidiary, or person in the Town under the authority of the retailer.

7. "A retailer engaged in business in the Town" shall also include any retailer of any of the following: vehicles subject to registration pursuant to Chapter 1 (commencing with Section 4000) of Division 3 of the Vehicle Code, aircraft licensed in compliance with Section 21411 of the Public Utilities Code, or undocumented vessels registered under Chapter 2 of Division 3.5 (commencing with Section 9840) of the Vehicle Code. That retailer shall be required to collect use tax from any purchaser who registers or licenses the vehicle, vessel, or aircraft at an address in the Town.

D. Any person subject to use tax under this ordinance may credit against that tax any transactions tax or reimbursement for transactions tax paid to a district imposing, or retailer liable for a transactions tax pursuant to Part 1.6 of Division 2 of the Revenue and Taxation Code with respect to the sale to the person of the property the storage, use or other consumption of which is subject to the use tax.

3.22.120 Amendments

All amendments subsequent to the effective date of this ordinance to Part 1 of Division 2 of the Revenue and Taxation Code relating to sales and use taxes and which are not consistent with Part 1.6 and Part 1.7 of Division 2 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, and all amendments to Part 1.6 and Part 1.7 of Division 2 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, shall automatically become a part of this ordinance, provided however, that no such amendment shall operate so as to affect the rate of tax imposed by this ordinance.

3.22.130 Enjoining Collection Forbidden

No injunction or writ of mandate or other legal or equitable process shall issue in any suit, action or proceeding in any court against the State or the Town, or against any officer of the State or the Town, to prevent or enjoin the collection under this ordinance, or Part 1.6 of Division 2 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, of any tax or any amount of tax required to be collected."

SECTION 2. SEVERABILITY. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, portion of the application thereof to any person or circumstance of this ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision of such ordinance and shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.

SECTION 3. CEQA COMPLIANCE. The Town Council finds and determines that the enactment of this Ordinance is not a "project" as that term is used in the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA;" Cal. Pub. Resources Code Section 21000 et seq.) or the State CEQA Guidelines (Cal.Code of Regs., Title 14, Section 15000 et seq.). Therefore, no environmental assessment is required or necessary.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance relates to the levying and collecting of the Town transactions and use taxes and shall take effect immediately upon its approval by the voters of the Town.

SECTION 5. TERMINATION DATE. The tax levied by this ordinance shall continue at the rate of 0.50% from April 1, 2015 until March 31, 2021. The authority to levy the tax imposed by this ordinance shall expire six (6) years from the operative date of this ordinance.

SECTION 6. DECLARATION. The proceeds of the taxes imposed by this ordinance may be used for any lawful purpose of the Town, as authorized by ordinance, resolution or action of the Town Council. These taxes are not special taxes within the meaning of Section 1(d) of Article XIII C of the California Constitution, but are general taxes imposed for general government purposes.

SECTION 7. EXECUTION. The Mayor and Town Clerk are authorized to subscribe this ordinance where indicated below to evidence its approval by the voters of the Town.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of Paradise, County of Butte, State of California, on this 8th day of July, 2014 by the following vote:

AYES: Steve "Woody" Culleton, Jody Jones,
John J. Rawlings and Scott Lotter, Mayor

NOES: None

ABSENT: Greg Bolin

NOT VOTING: None

ATTEST:

July 8, 2014

By:

Joanna Gutierrez, Town Clerk

Scott Lotter, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By:

Dwight L. Moore, Town Attorney

I hereby certify that this ordinance was APPROVED by the voters of the Town of Paradise, State of California, at a regular election on November 4, 2014 and by the Town Council of the Town of Paradise at a regular meeting of the Council held on December 9, 2014.

[Redacted Signature]

Scott Lotter, Mayor

Attest:

[Redacted Signature]

Joanna Gutierrez, Town Clerk



**MEASURE V CITIZEN OVERSIGHT
PROPOSED COMMITTEE CALENDAR
2021/2022**

April 27, 2021	Introduction & Discussion Meeting
May 25, 2021	Review Measure V 2021/2022 Proposed Budget
July 27, 2021	Regular Quarterly Meeting
October 26, 2021	Regular Quarterly Meeting
January 25, 2022	Regular Quarterly Meeting
March 22, 2022	Measure V 2022/2023 Budget Discussions
April 26, 2022	Regular Quarterly Meeting Budget Discussions
May 24, 2022	Review Measure V 2022/2023 Proposed Budget
July 26, 2022	Regular Quarterly Meeting