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KATHY D. FOY, RECORDER
GRANT COUNTY, INDIANA
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ORDINANCE NO. ___/ - 2022

WHEREAS, IC 6-3.5-4-1 et seq. authorizes the County Council to impose, by ordinance, a local annual Excise Surtax on each motor vehicle subject to the annual excise tax registered in the county and,

WHEREAS, IC 6-3.5-5-1 et seq. authorizes the County Council to impose by ordinance, a local option annual Wheel Tax on each of 6 (six) classifications of motor vehicles not subject to the excise tax, registered in the County, and

WHEREAS, IC 6-3.5-4-2(e) requires that the local option Excise Surtax and local option Wheel Tax be imposed concurrently, and

WHEREAS, Grant County and the Cities and Towns in Grant County have experienced a severe short- fall in Gasoline Tax Funds needed to support the safe, all-weather operation of the road and street and bridge system in Grant County,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF GRANT COUNTY, INDIANA THAT:

(1) Beginning January 1, 2023, and until further amended by ordinance, all passenger cars, collectable vehicles, trailers of 9,000 pounds or less, trucks of 11,000 pounds or less, and motorcycles registered in Grant County, that are now subject to an excise tax shall also be subject to an annual excise surtax as follows:

Motor Vehicle Classification	Annual Excise Tax
(A) Passenger Vehicles	\$35.00
(B) Motorcycles	\$15.00
(C) Collectable Vehicles	\$25.00
(D) Trailers DGVW 9,000 lbs. or less	\$25.00
(E) Trucks DGVW 11,0000 lbs. or less	\$25.00

(2) Beginning January 1, 2023, and until further amended by ordinance, all of the following eight classes of motor vehicles, registered in Grant County, shall be subject to

an annual Wheel Tax as set out in the following schedule, to be paid with the registration of said vehicles.

Motor Vehicle Classification	Annual Wheel Tax
(A) Buses	\$40.00
(B) Recreation Vehicles	\$30.00
(C) Semi-trailers	\$40.00
(D) Semi-Tractors	\$40.00
(E) Trailers (less than 12,001 lbs.)	\$15.00
(F) Trailers (greater than 12,000 lbs.)	\$40.00
(G) Trucks (more than 11,000 lbs. and less than 36,001 lbs.)	\$40.00
(H) Trucks (greater than 36,000 lbs.)	\$40.00

As provided by IC 6-3.5-5-4, the following motor vehicles are exempt from the annual Wheel Tax:

Vehicles owned by the state, a state agency or a political subdivision.

Buses owned and operated by a religious or non-profit youth organization and used to haul persons to religious service or for the benefit of their members.

Vehicles subject to the annual excise surtax imposed under IC 6-3.5-5-4.

Beginning January 1, 2023, all of the Excise Surtax and Wheel Tax collected on motor vehicles registered in Grant County shall be distributed, as provided in IC 6-3.5-5-15, to the County, City and Town Units of Grant County by the County Auditor and shall be used only to construct, reconstruct, repair, or maintain streets, roads and bridges under their jurisdiction, or as a contribution to obtain a grant from the local road and bridge matching grant fund under IC 8-23-30.

Passed this 17th day of August 2022.

Shane Middlesworth

Mark Leming

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Frank Hix

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ATTEST:

James E. McWhirt Grant County Auditor

> I affirm, under the penalties for perjury, that I have taken reasonable care to redact each Social Security number in this document, unless required by law.

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