ORDINANCE # 475

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 4, ITEM A, OF ORDINANCE #402 RELATING TO THE COST OF BUSINESS LICENSES.

WHEREAS: The Town Council of the Town of Yacolt is in regular session this 18th day of January, 2011; and,

WHEREAS: All members of the Town Council have had notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting:

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Town Council of Yacolt, Washington:

SECTION 1 - Amendment: Section 4, Item A, of Ordinance #402 of the Town of Yacolt, enacted October 16, 2000, is hereby amended to read as follows:

No person shall engage in any retail business activity in the Town without having first obtained and being the holder of a valid and subsisting license to do so, to be known as a business license, issued under the provisions of this Ordinance as hereinafter provided, without paying the license fee or tax imposed by this Ordinance in the amount of thirty five dollars (\$35.00) which sum shall accompany the application for the license. Such business license shall expire one year from the date it is issued, and a new business license shall be required for each ensuing year. Business licenses shall be renewed on or before the anniversary of the original licensing date. Applications for the license shall be made to and issued by the Clerk/Treasurer of the Town.

SECTION 2 - Savings Clause: All terms of Ordinance #402 shall remain in full force and effect until the effective date of this Ordinance. As of and following the effective date of this Ordinance #475, the remaining terms of Ordinance #402 shall remain in full force and effect as amended hereby.

SECTION 3 - Severability: If any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining portion of this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 4 - Effective Date: This Ordinance shall take effect on the 1st day of February, 2011, upon adoption and publication according to law.

PASSED by the Town Council of the Town of Yacolt, Washington, at a regular meeting thereof this 18th day of January, 2011.

TOWN OF YACOLT Joe Warren, Mayor Attest: lerk/Treasurer Cindy Marbu

Approved as to Form:

David W. Ridenour, Town Attorney

Ayes:	2	
Nays:	1	
Absent:	Ò	
Abstain:	٥	

TOWN CLERK'S CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance is a true and correct copy of Ordinance #475 of the Town of Yacolt, Washington, entitled "An Ordinance Amending Section 4, Item A, of Ordinance #402 Relating to the Cost of Business Licenses", as approved according to law by the Town Council on the date therein mentioned. The Ordinance has been published or posted according to law.

Attest:

Cindy Marbut, Town Clerk/Treasurer

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