



**City of Grass Valley
City Council
Agenda Action Sheet**

Title: Annual Approval of the Consumer Price Index (CPI) Adjustment to the Special Emergency Medical and Fire Response Tax.

CEQA: Not a Project

Recommendation: That Council 1) Approve a rate increase to the Special Emergency Medical and Fire Response Tax of 3.4% based on the December 2023 CPI. 2) Adopt Resolution 2024-59 requesting that the Nevada County Auditor place the adjusted Measure A special tax for 2024/2025 on the tax rolls.

Prepared by: Mark Buttron- Fire Chief

Council Meeting Date: 07/16/2024

Date Prepared: 07/23/2024

Agenda: Consent

Background Information: In June of 1997 the voters of the City of Grass Valley approved the Special Emergency Medical and Fire Response Tax (Measure A) to fund three additional firefighters. The voter approval contained a provision allowing for an annual inflation adjustment to the special tax based upon the CPI-All U.S. Cities for the prior calendar year, not to exceed 5%. That adjustment is necessary in order to maintain ongoing funding for the three firefighters. The CPI for the year ending December 2023 was 3.4%.

The 2024/2025 Special Emergency Medical and Fire Response Tax with the December 2023 CPI applied are as follows:

Council Goals/Objectives: Exceptional Public Safety consistent with the City of Grass Valley Strategic Plan

Fiscal Year 2024/2025

Classification	FY 23/24	December 2023	FY 24/25	Adjust Per	
	Existing	CPI Increase 3.4%	New Fee	Nevada County Auditor	Adjusted Fee
Single Family Residential (per parcel)	\$50.64	\$1.72	\$52.36		\$52.36
Multi-Famil (per unit-duplex or larger)	\$24.62	\$0.84	\$25.46		\$25.46
Mobile Home Park (per unit)	\$35.00	\$1.19	\$36.19	(\$0.01)	\$36.18
Commercial/Industrial (per business)	\$54.28	\$1.85	\$56.13	(\$0.01)	\$56.12
Any Other Improved Parcel	\$53.54	\$1.82	\$55.36		\$55.36
Any Unimproved Buildabel Parcel	\$17.78	\$0.60	\$18.38		\$18.38

Fiscal Impact: N/A

Funds Available: N/A

Account #: N/A

Reviewed by: City Manager

Attachments: Resolution 2024-59