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2 | **ORDINANCE NO. 16-\_\_\_\_**  
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4 **AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY**  
5 **OF BOYNTON BEACH, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 13**  
6 **OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, SECTION 13-4,**  
7 **“CLASSIFICATION AND FEE SCHEDULE” TO PROVIDE FOR**  
8 **A FIVE PERCENT (5%) INCREASE IN BUSINESS TAX FEES;**  
9 **PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS, SEVERABILITY,**  
10 **CODIFICATION AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**  
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12 **WHEREAS**, the City’s Business Tax Receipt fees were last modified on July 2, 2013,  
13 via Ordinance 13-022; and

14 **WHEREAS**, the City Commission for the City of Boynton Beach desires to increase  
15 the business tax receipt fees for all business operating within the City of Boynton Beach; and

16 **WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 205.0535(4), Florida Statutes, the City Commission  
17 is authorized to increase the business tax receipt fees up to 5% every other year; and

18 **WHEREAS**, the City Commission finds it is in the best interest of the health, safety,  
19 and welfare of the public to increase the business tax receipt fees for businesses in the City of  
20 Boynton Beach.

21 **NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF**  
22 **THE CITY OF BOYNTON BEACH, THAT:**

23 **Section 1.** The foregoing "Whereas" clauses are true and correct and incorporated  
24 herein by this reference.  
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26 **Section 2.** That Chapter 13, "Licenses," Article I, "Business Tax Receipt," Section  
27 13-4, entitled “Classification and fee schedule” of the City of Boynton Beach Code of  
28 Ordinances, be, and the same is hereby amended in its entirety to read as follows:  
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30 **Sec. 13-4 Classification and fee schedule.**

31 See Exhibit “A” attached hereto

32 **Section 3.** Each and every other provision of Chapter 13, of the Code of Ordinances  
33 of the City of Boynton Beach not herein specifically amended shall remain in full force and  
34 effect as previously enacted.

35 **Section 4.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the  
36 same are hereby repealed, provided that no portion of the City of Boynton Beach Noise  
37 Control Ordinance shall be repealed.

38 **Section 5.** Should any section or provision of this ordinance or portion hereof, any  
39 paragraph, sentence or word be declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid,  
40 such decision shall not affect the remainder of this ordinance.

41 **Section 6.** Authority is hereby granted to codify said ordinance.

42 **Section 7.** This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon passage.

43 **FIRST READING** this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016.

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45 **SECOND, FINAL READING AND PASSAGE** this \_\_\_\_ day of  
46 \_\_\_\_\_, 2016.

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48 CITY OF BOYNTON BEACH, FLORIDA

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ATTEST:  
  
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Judith A. Pyle, CMC  
Interim City Clerk

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