COUNTY OF CENTRE
ORDINANCE NO. 1 OF 2013

HOTEL ROOM TAX

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2 of 1997, enacted the adoption of a room tax to be used for the purpose of county-wide travel and tourism promotion in accordance with Act 18 of 1997, provisions of which are hereby incorporated by reference; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2 of 1997 was amended by Ordinance No. 2 of 2000 and;

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2 of 2000 is hereby amended in accordance with Act 142 of 2000, Sections 1770.2 and 1770.6, and shall be known as Ordinance No. 1 of 2002;

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 1 of 2002 is hereby amended by Ordinance 1 of 2013, Sections 7 and 9. The amendments are:

SECTION 2. DEFINITIONS.

(7) "Permanent resident." Any person who has occupied or has the right to occupy any room or rooms in a hotel/inn as a patron or otherwise for a period exceeding *thirty (30)* consecutive days.

(9) "Temporary." A period of time not exceeding *thirty (30)* consecutive days.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall be effective the 1st day of January 2014 and shall remain in effect until the expiration of the appropriate enabling legislation, or amendment thereof, or action by the Centre County Board of Commissioners.

All other sections of the Ordinance to remain the same.

A copy of Centre County Ordinance No. 2 of 1997, Ordinance No. 1 of 2000, and Ordinance 1 of 2002 may be examined in the Office of the Commissioners, Room 151, 420 Holmes Street, Bellefonte, PA or in the County Law Library in the Centre County Courthouse.

This Ordinance shall become effective January 1, 2014 and be known as Ordinance No. 1 of 2013. Ordained and enacted as an Ordinance the 19th of December 2013.

CENTRE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Steven G. Dershem, Chairman

C. Chris Exarchos

Michael Pipe

The above is a true and correct copy of the proposed ordinance as advertised for adoption on Thursday, December 19, 2013.

ATTEST:

Timothy T. Boyde, Director
Administrative Services
Date: 12-19-2014

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY

Louis Glantz, Esquire
Solicitor