

ORDINANCE NO. 97-130

**A ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE
BEAR VALLEY COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT
ADOPTING A SPECIAL TAX FOR POLICE
PROTECTION SERVICES FOR FISCAL
YEAR 1997-98**

WHEREAS, one of the purposes of the Bear Valley Community Services District is to provide police protection services to the residents of the entire District; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors submitted for voter approval pursuant to Proposition 218 and Government Code Section 53978 a ballot measure to authorize a Special Tax in the maximum amount not to exceed \$80 per parcel for police protection services; and

WHEREAS, on May 6, 1997, a special election was conducted approving the Special Tax, with 1,573 voting in favor, and 194 voting against the Special Tax for police protection services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE BEAR VALLEY COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Purpose

The Board of Directors hereby elects to levy a Special Tax in the amount of Sixty-Five Dollars (\$65.00) upon each parcel of land within the District and to use the funds collected as a result of such levy for the following purposes:

To pay the salaries and benefits for police and dispatch personnel.

Section 2. Adoption of Special Tax

The Board hereby adopts a Special Tax of Sixty-five Dollars (\$65.00) per parcel for Police Protection Services for fiscal year 1997-98 to be imposed on the parcels identified by Assessor's parcel number in the attached Exhibit A.

Section 3. Collection on Tax Rolls

The special tax shall be collected in the same manner, by the same persons and at the same time as, together with, and not separately from, general taxes levied and collected by the County of Kern.

Section 4. Savings Clause

If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of the Ordinance. The Board of Directors hereby declares that it would have adopted the ordinance, and each section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion thereof, irrespective of the fact that anyone or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses, phrases or portions are declared invalid or unconstitutional.

Section 5. Effective Date

This Ordinance is effective July 1, 1997.


I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was duly and regularly passed and adopted by the Board of Directors of the Bear Valley Community Services District at its meeting on Saturday, June 14, 1997, by the following vote:

AYES: PRINCE, MCCLOSKEY, AUNGST, MILLER

NOES: NONE


ABSENT: SAMUELS

ABSTAIN: NONE



WILLIAM MILLER, President
Bear Valley Community Services District

ATTEST:



Roblee Thiesse, Secretary to the
Board of Directors