
COUNCIL ORDINANCE NO. 20731

**AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING TRANSIENT LODGING TAX AND AMENDING
SECTIONS 3.775, 3.780, AND 3.798 OF THE EUGENE CODE, 1971.**

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THE CITY OF EUGENE DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 3.775 of the Eugene Code, 1971, is amended to provide as follows:

3.775 Transient Lodging Tax – Short-Term Rental Housing Platform Fees.

A hosting platform for short-term rentals may collect a fee for booking services in connection with short-term rentals only when those short-term rentals are lawfully registered as operators with the city at the time the short-term rental is occupied.

Section 2. Section 3.780 of the Eugene Code, 1971, is amended to provide as follows:

3.780 Transient Lodging Tax – Registration of Transient Lodging Provider; Form and Contents.

Every person engaging or about to engage in business as a transient lodging provider shall provide a complete registration form to the tax administrator within 15 calendar days after commencing business. The registration form shall require the transient lodging provider to provide the name of the business, any separate business addresses, and other information to facilitate the collection of the tax as the tax administrator may require. The registration form shall be signed by the transient lodging provider. The transient lodging provider's obligation to collect the TLT is imposed once rent for transient lodging is paid, even if the transient lodging provider has not yet registered with the tax administrator.

Section 3. Subsection (4) of Section 3.798 of the Eugene Code, 1971, is amended to provide as follows:

3.798 Transient Lodging Tax – Administration.

(4) *Confidential Character of Information Obtained – Disclosure Unlawful.* The city shall maintain the confidentiality of information provided by transient lodging tax collector. Nothing in this subsection shall be construed to prevent:

(a) The disclosure to, or the examination of records and equipment by another City of Eugene official, employee, or agent for collection of taxes for the purpose of administering or enforcing any provisions of this chapter or collecting city business license fee.

- (b) Disclosure of information to the transient lodging tax collector and the transient lodging tax collector's agents.
- (c) The disclosure of general statistics regarding taxes collected or business done in the city.
- (d) Disclosures required by ORS Chapter 192.
- (e) Disclosures required by ORS Chapter 297.

Section 4. The City Recorder, at the request of, or with the consent of the City Attorney, is authorized to administratively correct any reference errors contained herein, or in other provisions of the Eugene Code, 1971, to the provisions added, amended or repealed herein.

Passed by the City Council this
24th day of November, 2025



Kally Sackler
City Recorder

Approved by the Mayor this
25 day of November, 2025



Kaci Kramer
Mayor