



ORDINANCE NO. 28189

1 AN ORDINANCE relating to property tax levies; fixing the amount of the
2 Ad Valorem tax levies necessary to identify the amount of the estimated
3 revenues from property tax levies to match estimated expenditures for
4 debt service and other funding requirements.

5 WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 84.52.020 and RCW 84.52.070, the City
6 of Tacoma is requesting property taxes in the amount as described below and
7 as certified to Pierce County, and

8 WHEREAS the total levy is \$52,203,860.79, representing a 1 percent
9 increase over the highest regular levy since 1985, of \$51,686,990.88, exclusive
10 of additional revenue derived from new construction, improvements to property,
11 newly constructed wind turbines, any increase in the value of state-assessed
12 property, and any annexations that have occurred and refunds made, and

13 WHEREAS, the population of the City of Tacoma is more than 10,000;
14 Now, Therefore,

15 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF TACOMA:

16 Section 1. That the City of Tacoma hereby certifies to Pierce County
17 (“County”) the total levy amount of \$52,203,860.79, exclusive of the amount
18 derived from new construction, improvements to property, newly constructed
19 wind turbines, any increase in the value of state-assessed property, and any
20 annexations that have occurred and refunds made, to be collected in 2014.

21 Section 2. That the taxes herein provided for are levied to match the
22 estimated expenditures for debt service and other funding requirements and are
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hereby levied upon all real and personal property as shown by the assessment in the County, as finally and hereafter fixed by the County and State Board of Equalization, and as finally extended upon the books of the County Assessor showing the property within the City subject to taxation for municipal purposes and upon the amount of said real and personal property in accordance with certified assessed valuation of all taxable property within the City of Tacoma as fixed in 2013 for collection in 2014, as provided by the Pierce County Assessor.

Section 3. That the taxes collected from levies hereby fixed and made, together with the estimated revenues from sources other than Ad Valorem taxation, which will constitute the appropriations of the City for the fiscal year 2014 are hereby available for appropriation, all as itemized and classified in the Biennial Budget for the fiscal years 2013-2014, as adopted, pursuant to the laws of the state of Washington.

Passed _____

Mayor

Attest:

City Clerk

Approved as to form:

Deputy City Attorney