



RESOLUTION 19-236

Resolution Authorizing Extension of Grace Period for Payment of Third Quarter, 2019 Property Taxes

WHEREAS, tax bills for Princeton have been delayed due to the delay of the tax rate; and,

WHEREAS, Title 54 provides for an interest penalty for the failure to pay third quarter taxes by August 1; and,

WHEREAS, it would be unfair to assess penalties against taxpayers whose failure to pay taxes is due solely to a delay for which they are not responsible.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of Princeton that the rate of interest to be charged for the late payment of third quarter 2019 taxes from the period August 1 through August 22, 2019 only shall be 0.0%; except that said rate shall not apply to those persons and entities who are delinquent on payment of the first or second quarter 2019 and prior years' property taxes; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that after August 22, 2019, the rate of interest to be charged for the payment of third quarter taxes will be the current authorized rate (8% of the first \$1,500.00 of delinquency and 18% on the excess over \$1,500.00) from the due date of August 1, 2019 until the date the actual payment is received in the Tax office; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the taxpayers of Princeton be notified of this extension by placement of a notice on their tax bills; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the following: Tammie Tisdale, Tax Collector; Robert Morrison, Auditor; and Trishka Waterbury Cecil, Princeton Attorney.

Table with 9 columns: Councilperson, Absent, Present, 1st, 2nd, Yea, Nay, Abstain, Disqualified. Rows include Mr. Cohen, Ms. Crumiller, Ms. Fraga, Ms. Niedergang, Mr. Quinn, Mr. Williamson, and Mayor Lempert.

I, Delores A. Williams, Municipal Clerk of Princeton, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Mayor and Council of Princeton at a meeting held July 22, 2019.

Handwritten signature of Delores A. Williams
Delores A. Williams, Municipal Clerk

ATTACHMENTS:

- memo 2019 extension of Grace period (DOC)



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**MEMORANDUM:**

To: Liz Lempert, Mayor  
Jenny Crumiller, Council President  
Leticia Fraga, Councilwoman  
Eve Niedergang, Councilwoman  
Dwayne Williamson, Councilman  
David Cohen, Councilman  
Timothy Quinn, Councilman

To: Marc Dashield, Princeton Administrator  
Sandra Webb, Chief Financial Officer

From: Tammie Tisdale, CTC

Date: July 22, 2019

Re: Extension of Grace period for the 3<sup>rd</sup> qtr. 2019

This resolution authorizes an extension of the 3<sup>rd</sup> qtr. 2019 Tax and Sewer grace period to August 22, 2019 due to the delay in receiving a Tax rate.