

CITY OF BUCKLEY

ORDINANCE NO. 11-25

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BUCKLEY, PIERCE COUNTY, WASHINGTON, CERTIFYING THE 2026 EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE AD VALOREM TAX LEVY UPON REAL PROPERTY.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Buckley has met and considered its budget for the calendar year 2026; and,

WHEREAS, the districts actual levy amount from the previous year was \$590,356.76; and,

WHEREAS, the population of the City of Buckley is less than 10,000;

NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BUCKLEY, PIERCE COUNTY, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

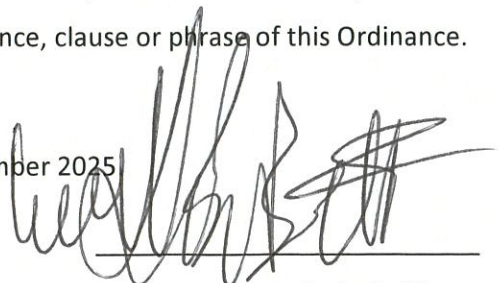
Section 1. Be it ordained by the governing body of the taxing district that an increase in the regular property tax levy is hereby authorized for the levy to be collected in the 2026 tax year.

The dollar amount of the increase over the actual levy amount from the previous year shall be \$35,465.88, which is a percentage increase of 6.00% from the previous year. This increase is exclusive of additional revenue resulting from new construction, improvements to property, newly constructed wind turbines, any increase in the value of state assessed property, any annexations that have occurred and refunds made.

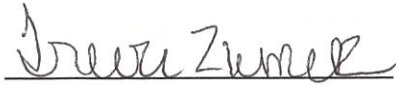
Section 2. This Ordinance shall be in full force and take effect five (5) days after its publication according to law.

Section 3. If any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance should be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance.

Introduced, passed, and approved this 18th day of November 2025


Beau Burkett, Mayor

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Treva Zumek", written over a horizontal line.

Treva Zumek, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Phil Olbrechts, City Attorney

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