

RESOLUTION NO. 138-21

**A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA,
AUTHORIZING THE BUSINESS LICENSE DIVISION OF THE FINANCE
DEPARTMENT TO OFFER AN AMNESTY PROGRAM FOR THE BUSINESS
LICENSE TAX**

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Richmond (the “City”), has previously approved and directed the Business License Division of the Finance Department to implement an Amnesty Program for Business License Taxes for businesses that have failed to pay their business license tax; and

WHEREAS, the Amnesty program gives businesses that have failed to pay their Business License Tax the opportunity to bring their accounts up to date and gives businesses that have never registered their business the opportunity to comply with the Richmond Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, penalties are assessed if Business License Tax is not paid by the set deadline, and the proposed Amnesty Program would permit the Business License Division to waive these penalties for applicable tax periods in which fees are owed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Richmond that the Council hereby authorizes the implementation of the Business License Tax Amnesty program commencing on November 23, 2021, and ending on June 30, 2022.

I certify that the foregoing resolution was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Richmond at a regular meeting thereof held November 23, 2021, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers Bates, Jimenez, Martinez, McLaughlin,
Willis, Vice Mayor Johnson III, and Mayor Butt.
NOES: None.
ABSTENTIONS: None.
ABSENT: None.

PAMELA CHRISTIAN
CLERK OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND
(SEAL)

Approved:

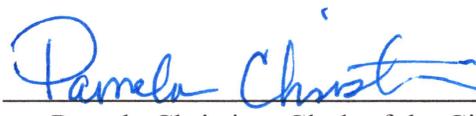
THOMAS K. BUTT
Mayor

Approved as to form:

TERESA STRICKER
City Attorney

State of California }
County of Contra Costa } : ss.
City of Richmond }

I certify that the foregoing is a true copy of **Resolution No. 138-21**, finally passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Richmond at a regular meeting held on November 23, 2021.



Pamela Christian, Clerk of the City of Richmond