

Business Impact Estimate Directions

The Business Impact Estimate Form, attached to these directions must be filled out at the time of drafting of any proposed ordinance, unless that proposed ordinance is on the exemption list below. The filled-out Business Impact Estimate must be posted at the time the advertisement for the proposed ordinance is published.

The following proposed ordinances are exempt and do not require a Business Impact Estimate:

1. Ordinances required for compliance with federal or state law or regulation;
2. Ordinances relating to the issuance or refinancing of debt;
3. Ordinances relating to the adoption of budgets or budget amendments, including revenue sources necessary to fund the budget;
4. Ordinances required to implement a contract or an agreement, including, but not limited to, any federal, state, local or private grant, or other financial assistance accepted by a county government;
5. Emergency Ordinances;
6. Ordinances relating to procurements; or
7. Ordinances enacted to implement the following:
 - a. Part II of chapter 163, relating to growth policy, county and municipal planning, and land development regulation, including zoning, development orders, development agreements, and development permits;
 - b. §§ 190.005 and 190.046, Fla. Stat. Community Development Districts;
 - c. § 553.73, Fla. Stat. relating to the Florida Building Code; or
 - d. § 633.202, Fla. Stat. relating to the Florida Fire Prevention Code.

Legal citation: § 125.66(3) (a) – (c), Fla. Stat. and § 166.041(4)(a)-(c), Fla. Stat.

BUSINESS IMPACT ESTIMATE FORM
Posted To Webpage February 21, 2024

This Business Impact Estimate is given as it relates to the proposed ordinance titled:

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, FLORIDA AMENDING THE TOURIST DEVELOPMENT TAX ORDINANCE; PROVIDING CERTAIN LEGISLATIVE FINDINGS; ADOPTING AN UPDATED TOURIST DEVELOPMENT PLAN; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION AND FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Part I.

Summary of the proposed ordinance and statement of public purpose¹:

- Adopts the recommended Tourist Development Plan providing for an anticipated revenue of \$180,000 in the 24 months following the levy of the tax, for the tax to be levied within the geographical boundaries of Jefferson County, and providing for the following expense allocations in order of priority:
 - o Eighty-five percent (85%) for the promotion, development, and advertisement of Jefferson County tourism in this state, nationally, and internationally
 - o Five percent (5%) for other permissible uses of the first three pennies under the statute, enumerated above.
 - o Ten percent (10%) for administration

The public purpose is to set forth the anticipated net tourist development tax revenue to be derived by the county for the 24 months following the levy of the tax; the tax district in which the enactment or renewal of the ordinance levying and imposing the tourist development tax is proposed; and a list, in the order of priority, of the proposed uses of the tax revenue by specific project or special use as the same are authorized under Section 125.0104(5), Fla. Stat.

¹ Address the public purpose to be served by the proposed ordinance, such as serving the public health, safety, morals, and welfare of the (County/Municipality).

Part II.

Estimate of the direct economic impact of the proposed ordinance on private, for-profit businesses in the (County/Municipality): *(fill out subsections a-c as applicable, if not applicable write "not applicable")*

- a. Estimate of direct compliance costs that businesses may reasonably incur if the proposed ordinances is enacted:

Businesses will not reasonably incur compliance costs if the proposed ordinance is enacted.

- b. Identification of any new charges or fee on businesses subject to the proposed ordinance, or for which businesses will be financially responsible; and

No changes or fees on businesses subject to the proposed ordinance.

- c. An estimate of the (County/Municipality's) regulatory costs, including an estimate of revenues from any new charges or fees that will be imposed on businesses to cover such costs.

No additional regulatory costs or revenue will be imposed on businesses as a result of the proposed ordinance.

Part III.

Good Faith Estimate of the Number of businesses likely to be impacted by the ordinance:

0