



Thurston County Transportation Tax Effective January 1, 2011

Effective January 1, 2011, sales and use tax within the Thurston County Public Transportation Benefit Area (PTBA) will increase two-tenths of one percent (.002). The tax will be used for transportation purposes.

Businesses must collect the appropriate new rate of sales tax for retail sales and services provided within Lacey (3402), Olympia (3403), Tumwater (3406), Yelm (3407), and Thurston County Unincorporated PTBA (3434). Persons or businesses within these areas will be subject to the new rate of use tax on items purchased for their personal or business use if sales tax has not been paid.

The new rates of sales tax are:

Location	Location Code Number	Local Sales Tax Rate	State Sales Tax Rate	Total Sales Tax Rate
Unincorp. Areas	3400	.014	.065	.079
Unincorp. PTBA	3434	.022	.065	.087
Bucoda	3401	.014	.065	.079
Lacey	3402	.022	.065	.087
Olympia	3403	.022	.065	.087
Rainier	3404	.014	.065	.079
Tenino	3405	.014	.065	.079
Tumwater	3406	.022	.065	.087
Yelm	3407	.022	.065	.087

To determine the proper codes and rates of local sales tax you may access our Tax Rate Lookup Tool located at dor.wa.gov. On the home page, click on the **Find a sales tax rate (GIS)** link.

This notice is being sent to businesses that have reported local sales or use tax to any of the above location codes within the last year.

If you have questions, or if Sales Tax Collection Schedules are needed, please go to our web site at dor.wa.gov or call the Department of Revenue at 1-800-647-7706.