ORDINANCE NO. 2020-08

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ALBANY REPEALING SECTION 4-4 (“TELEPHONE, GAS AND ELECTRICITY USERS TAX”) OF CHAPTER IV (“FINANCE”) OF THE CITY OF ALBANY MUNICIPAL CODE

WHEREAS, Albany Municipal Code, Section 4-4 (“Telephone, Gas and Electricity Users Tax”) of Chapter IV (“Finance”) was originally adopted in 1958; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2010-03, codified as Albany Municipal Code, Section 4-11, Utility User's Tax, was approved as Measure O at the election of November 2, 2010. Section 4-11, is known as the “Electric, Gas, and Communication Users' Tax Law” of the City of Albany; and

WHEREAS, Section 4-11 established a modern Utility User’s Tax ordinance that was intended to replace Section 4-4, but Section 4-4 was inadvertently not repealed when Section 4-11 was adopted in 2010; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to repeal Section 4-4 to eliminate possible confusion as to the applicable Utility User’s Tax ordinance in effect within the City of Albany.

NOW THEREFORE, THE ALBANY CITY COUNCIL DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: SECTION 4-4 REPEALED. Section 4-4 (entitled “Telephone, Gas and Electricity Users Tax”) of the Albany Municipal Code, including subsections 4-4.1 to 4-4.17, is hereby repealed and reserved.
SECTION 2: PUBLICATION AND EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Ordinance shall be posted at three public places within the City of Albany
and shall become effective thirty days after the date of its posting.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Albany at its meeting on
the 20th day of July, 2020, by the following vote:

AYES: Council Members Barnes, Maass, McQuaid, Nason and Mayor Pilch
NOES:
ABSENT:
ABSTAIN:

NICK PILCH, MAYOR
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PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY, The 20th day of July, 2020, by the following votes:

AYES: Council Members Barnes, Maass, McQuaid, Nason and Mayor Pilch

NOES: none

ABSENT: none

ABSTAINED: none

RECUSED: none


Anne Hsu
CITY CLERK