ORDINANCE NO. <u>2324</u> INTRODUCED BY: Humbert

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRIGHTON, COLORADO, AMENDING SECTION 3-40-170 OF THE BRIGHTON MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING LODGING TAX ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

WHEREAS, at the regular election on November 8, 2011, the voters within the City of Brighton approved the imposition of a Lodging Tax, to be effective January 1, 2012, in the amount of three-percent (3%) on short-term lodging of less than thirty (30) days; and

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted Ordinance No. 2121, amending the Brighton Municipal Code by the addition of Article 3-40, implementing the provisions of the Lodging Tax as approved by the voters; and

WHEREAS, Section 3-40-50 of the Brighton Municipal Code sets out the approved uses of the Lodging Tax for the purpose of supporting economic development endeavors, special events, cultural arts facilities, advertising and marketing, and promoting tourism and other activities which utilize public accommodations within the City; and

WHEREAS, Section 3-40-170 of the Brighton Municipal Code establishes the Lodging Tax Advisory Committee, the purpose of which is to "study, investigate and advise the City Council as to the development and promulgation of policies for the implementation, support and use of revenues from the lodging tax", consistent with the purposes set forth above, and "In particular, the Committee will advise the City Council on allocation, budgeting and appropriation of funds from the Lodging Tax Fund consistent with the provisions of Section 3-40-50 of the Code;" and

WHEREAS, the City Council considered the issue at their November 12, 2019 study session and directed staff to prepare a code update to reflect the recommendation of the Lodging tax Advisory Committee.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRIGHTON, COLORADO, AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1</u>. Section 3-40-170(d) of the Brighton Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:

- (d) Membership. The Lodging Tax Advisory Committee shall be composed of seven (7) voting members, who shall be appointed as follows:
 - (1) All members and alternates shall be recommended by the City Council and appointed by the Mayor with approval of the City Council;
 - (2) Two (2) members shall be representatives of lodging providers located within the corporate limits of the City;

(3)	Two (2) members from the Board of Directors of the Brighton Economic
	Development Corporation;

- (4) One (1) member from the City Council;
- (5) Two (2) at large members who are residents of the City members from the Brighton Cultural Arts Commission;
- (6) The City Manager, nonvoting ex officio; and
- (7) Two (2) alternates who are residents of the City.

<u>Section 2</u>. The purpose of this Ordinance is to provide for the health, safety, and welfare of the people.

INTRODUCED, PASSED ON FIRST READING, AND ORDERED PUBLISHED THIS $3^{\rm rd}$ DAY OF December, 2019.

PASSED ON SECOND AND FINAL READING AND ORDERED PUBLISHED BY TITLE ONLY THIS $17^{\rm th}$ DAY OF December, 2019.

	CITY OF BRIGHTON, COLORADO
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NATALIE HOEL, City Clerk	
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