

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE LOCAL SALES TAX CHANGE

Cowlitz County Mental Health Tax Effective April 1, 2024

Effective April 1, 2024, local sales and use tax within Cowlitz County will **decrease** one-tenth of one percent (.001) due to the expiration of Mental Health Tax.

Businesses must collect the appropriate new rate of sales tax for retail sales and services provided within Cowlitz County. Persons or businesses within Cowlitz County 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 | Local Sales Tax Rate | State Sales Tax Rate | Total Sales Tax Rate |
|-----------------|---------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Unincorp. Areas | 0800 | .012 | .065 | .077 |
| Castle Rock | 0801 | .014 | .065 | .079 |
| Kalama | 0802 | .015 | .065 | .080 |
| Kelso | 0803 | .016 | .065 | .081 |
| Longview | 0804 | .016 | .065 | .081 |
| Woodland | 0805 | .014 | .065 | .079 |

To determine the proper codes and rates of local sales tax you may access our Tax Rate Lookup Tool located at dor.wa.gov/TaxRateLookup.

This notice is being sent to businesses that have reported local sales or use tax to any of the above locations 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 360-705-6705.

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