

**Grays Harbor County  
Emergency Communication Tax  
Tax Reporting Change**

**Effective April 1, 2020**, local sales and use tax within Grays Harbor County will increase one-tenth of one percent (.001). The tax will be used for emergency communication systems and facilities.

**What to collect and report:**

Businesses must collect the appropriate new total tax rate for lodging sales in Grays Harbor County.

The new rates of sales tax are:

<b>Location</b>	<b>Lodging Sales Tax Location Code</b>	<b>Combined Sales Tax Rate</b>	<b>Special Hotel/Motel Tax</b>	<b>Total Lodging Sales Tax Rate</b>
<b>Unincorp. Areas</b>	<b>1400</b>	<b>.089</b>	<b>.03</b>	<b>.119</b>
<b>Aberdeen</b>	<b>5501</b>	<b>.09</b>	<b>.03</b>	<b>.12</b>
<b>Cosmopolis</b>	<b>1402</b>	<b>.089</b>	<b>.03</b>	<b>.119</b>
<b>Elma</b>	<b>1403</b>	<b>.089</b>	<b>.03</b>	<b>.119</b>
<b>Hoquiam</b>	<b>1404</b>	<b>.089</b>	<b>.03</b>	<b>.119</b>
<b>McCleary</b>	<b>1405</b>	<b>.089</b>	<b>.03</b>	<b>.119</b>
<b>Montesano</b>	<b>1406</b>	<b>.089</b>	<b>.03</b>	<b>.119</b>
<b>Oakville</b>	<b>1407</b>	<b>.089</b>	<b>.03</b>	<b>.119</b>
<b>Westport</b>	<b>1408</b>	<b>.089</b>	<b>.03</b>	<b>.119</b>
<b>Ocean Shores</b>	<b>5509</b>	<b>.09</b>	<b>.03</b>	<b>.12</b>

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 or use tax rate** link.

If you have questions, please go to our web site at dor.wa.gov or call the Department of Revenue at 360-705-6705.