## TOWN COUNCIL TOWN OF FORT BRANCH, INDIANA

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-5

## PROPOSING AN ORDINANCE TO THE GIBSON COUNTY INCOME TAX COUNCIL AND CASTING THE TOWN'S VOTES IN FAVOR OF THE ORDINANCE

WHEREAS, the Gibson County ("County") Income Tax Council ("Tax Council") has previously imposed the county economic development income tax ("CEDIT") under IC 6-3.5-7 ("CEDIT Act") in the County;

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Fort Branch ("Town Council") desires to propose an ordinance to impose the county option income tax ("COIT") at a rate of two-tenths of one percent (0.2%) on resident County taxpayers and to cast its votes in favor of the ordinance;

WHEREAS, pursuant to IC 6-3.5-6-7, before a member of the Tax Council may propose an ordinance or vote on a proposed ordinance, the member must hold a public hearing on the proposed ordinance and provide the public with notice of the time and place where the public hearing will be held in accordance with IC 5-3-1; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council has published notice in accordance with IC 5-3-1 and IC 6-3.5-6-7 and conducted a public hearing on the proposed ordinance on October 13, 2015;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF FORT BRANCH, INDIANA, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The Town Council proposes the adoption of, and casts its 8.27 votes for, the following ordinance of the Gibson County Income Tax Council, which reads as follows:

## "AN ORDINANCE OF THE GIBSON COUNTY INCOME TAX COUNCIL IMPOSING THE COUNTY OPTION INCOME TAX

## BE IT ORDAINED THE GIBSON COUNTY INCOME TAX COUNCIL:

- 1. The Gibson County Income Tax Council imposes the county option income tax on the county taxpayers of Gibson County. The county option income tax is imposed at a rate of two-tenths of one percent (0.2%) on the resident county taxpayers of the county and at a rate of five-hundredths of one percent (0.05%) on all other county taxpayers.
- 2. This ordinance shall be effective on January 1, 2016.
- 3. In accordance with IC 6-3.5-6-8(f), the Gibson County Auditor shall record all votes taken on this ordinance and not more than ten days after the vote immediately send a certified copy of the results to: (i) the commissioner of the department of state revenue; (ii) the director of the budget agency; and (iii) the

commissioner of the department of local government finance; in an electronic format approved by the director of the budget agency."

SECTION 2. The Clerk-Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to distribute a copy of this resolution containing the proposed ordinance to the Gibson County Auditor for distribution to the other members of the Gibson County Income Tax Council.

SECTION 3. This resolution shall be effective from and after passage.

Passed this 13th day of October, 2015, by a vote of \_\_\_\_\_\_ ayes and \_\_\_\_\_\_ nays.

TOWN COUNCIL OF FORT BRANCH, INDIANA

President

President

ATTEST:

Clerk-Treasurer