

1 [Adjusting the Access Line Tax - Consumer Price Index of 2021]

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3 **Resolution concurring with the Controller's establishment of the Consumer Price Index**  
4 **for 2021, and adjusting the Access Line Tax by the same rate.**

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6 WHEREAS, The Electorate of the City and County of San Francisco passed  
7 Proposition O in November 2008, establishing an Access Line Tax to be imposed upon  
8 every person who subscribes to telephone communication services within the City and  
9 County of San Francisco (Business and Tax Regulations Code, Section 782); and,

10 WHEREAS, Sections 782 (b) and 784 state, in part, that the cap and rates  
11 established by this subsection shall be adjusted annually in accordance with the increase in  
12 the Consumer Price Index; All Urban Consumers for the San Francisco/ Oakland/San Jose  
13 Area for all items as reported by the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics, or any  
14 successor to that index, as of December 31st of each year; and,

15 WHEREAS, Sections 782 and 784 also require that this increase be approved,  
16 annually, by the Board of Supervisors and the Mayor; and,

17 WHEREAS, The Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers for the San  
18 Francisco/Oakland/Hayward Area for All Items as reported by the United States Bureau of  
19 Labor Statistics increased from 297.0 in December 2019 to 302.9 in December 2020, an  
20 increase of 2.00%; and,

21 WHEREAS, The monthly rates are currently set at \$3.73 per Access Line, \$28.02 per  
22 Trunk Line, and \$504.40 per High Capacity Line and the Annual Cap is \$74,745.76; and,

23 WHEREAS, The new monthly rates will be \$3.80 per Access Line, \$28.58 per Trunk  
24 Line, and \$514.49 per High Capacity Line and the new Annual Cap will be \$76,240.89; and,

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1           WHEREAS, The Controller’s certification of the Consumer Price Index rate is on file  
2 with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 210668, which is hereby declared to  
3 be part of this Resolution as if set forth fully herein; now, therefore, be it

4           RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby approves the adjustment of the  
5 Access Line Tax by the 2021 Consumer Price Index.

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**City and County of San Francisco**  
**Tails**  
**Resolution**

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**File Number:** 210668

**Date Passed:** July 20, 2021

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June 21, 2021 Budget and Appropriations Committee - RECOMMENDED

July 13, 2021 Board of Supervisors - CONTINUED

Ayes: 11 - Chan, Haney, Mandelman, Mar, Melgar, Peskin, Preston, Ronen, Safai, Stefani and Walton

July 20, 2021 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Chan, Haney, Mandelman, Mar, Melgar, Peskin, Ronen, Safai, Stefani and Walton

Noes: 1 - Preston

File No. 210668

I hereby certify that the foregoing  
Resolution was **ADOPTED** on 7/20/2021 by  
the Board of Supervisors of the City and  
County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo  
Clerk of the Board

London N. Breed  
Mayor

7/30/2021

Date Approved