

CITY OF NEWPORT
ORDINANCE NO. 2139

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING
SECTION 3.05.010 (D) AND (E) OF THE NEWPORT MUNICIPAL CODE
RELATED TO THE DEFINITIONS OF TRANSIENT ROOM TAX

WHEREAS, on May 21, 2007, the Newport City Council adopted Ordinance No. 1916 that consolidated various ordinances related to transient room tax and incorporated them as Section 3.05 of the Newport Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, since 2007, there have been several modifications to Section 3.05 of the Newport Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, based on the recent proliferation of transient lodging intermediaries, and changes in state law, there is a need to refine the definitions in Section 3.05 (D) and (E).

THE CITY OF NEWPORT ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 3.05.010 (D) and (E) of the Newport Municipal Code is amended as follows:

3.05.010 D. Operator includes:

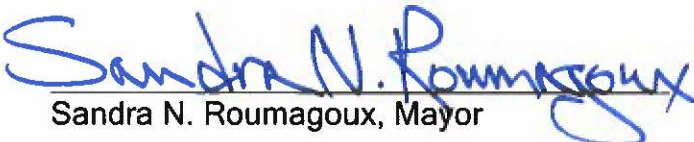
1. The owner and manager of a hotel as defined herein; and
2. A transient lodging intermediary as defined in ORS 320.300(12).

E. Person means any individual, partnership, transient lodging intermediary, joint venture, association, social club, fraternal organization, fraternity, sorority, public or private dormitory, joint stock company, corporation, estate, trust, receiver, trustee, syndicate, governmental entity or agency, or any other group or combination acting as a unit.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect 30 days from the date of adoption.

Date adopted and read by title only. September 4, 2018.

Signed by the Mayor on September 5, 2018.


Sandra N. Roumagoux, Mayor

ATTEST:



Margaret M. Hawker, City Recorder

Approved as to form:



Steven E. Rich, City Attorney