

**BOROUGH OF COLUMBIA, LANCASTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

**ORDINANCE NO. 907**

INTRODUCED BY COUNCIL –December 13, 2018

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**AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF COLUMBIA, LANCASTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA AMENDING THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF COLUMBIA, LANCASTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, FIXING THE TAX RATES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY OF THE ORDINANCE; AND PROVIDING THAT THE ORDINANCE SHALL TAKE EFFECT AS PROVIDED BY PENNSYLVANIA LAW.**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED AND ENACTED** by the Borough Council of the Borough of Columbia, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, as follows:

**SECTION 1.**

That a tax be and the same is hereby levied on all real property within the said Borough subject to taxation for Borough purposes for the fiscal year 2019 as follows:

**The rate for general Borough purposes shall be the sum of 8.0 Mills on each dollar of assessed valuation, which amounts to \$.80 of tax on each \$100.00 of assessed value.**

**SECTION 2.**

- (a) All taxpayers subject to the payment of tax levied hereunder shall be entitled to a discount of two (2%) percent from the amount of such tax upon making payment of the whole amount thereof and within (2) months after the date of the tax notice.
- (b) All taxpayers who shall fail to make payment of any such tax charged against them for four (4) months after the date of the tax notice shall be charged a penalty of (10%) percent, which penalty shall be added to the taxes by the tax collector and be collected by her.

**SECTION 3.**

That all Ordinances or Resolution, or parts of Ordinances or Resolutions, insofar as they are inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 4.**

In the event any provision, section, sentence, clause or part of this Ordinance shall be held to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect or impair any of the remaining provisions, sections, sentences, clauses or parts of this Ordinance; it being the intent of the Borough of Columbia that the remainder of the Ordinance shall be and shall remain in full force and effect.

**SECTION 5.**

This Ordinance shall become effective as provided by the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

**DULY ORDAINED AND ENACTED** this 13<sup>th</sup> day of December 2018, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Columbia, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, in lawful session duly assembled.

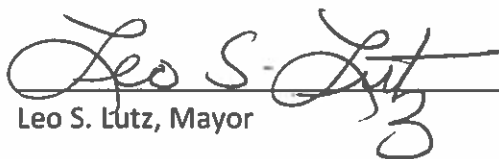
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Kelly Murphy  
President of Borough Council

**ATTEST:**

  
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Rebecca S. Denlinger  
Secretary/Treasurer

**Examined and approved this 13th day of December 2018**

  
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Leo S. Lutz, Mayor

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