The Rise of Local Add-On Sales (Transactions and Use) Taxes in California

The Transactions and Use Tax Law was adopted in 1969 authorizing the adoption of local "transactions and use tax" add-ons to the combined state and local sales tax rate. Over the years the law was amended to provide specific authorizations for various particular cities, counties, special districts and countywide authorities. Prior to 2003, the most common transactions and use tax measures were those for a specific countywide need, most commonly transportation. But since a 2003 change in the law, add-on taxes by cities and some counties for general purposes have become more frequent.

"Transactions and Use Tax" Versus "Sales and Use Tax"¹

Under California law, transactions and use taxes may be approved locally and added to the combined state and local sales and use tax rate. The base statewide sales and use tax, currently at 7.25 percent, includes portions that go to the state general fund, to several specific state funds including some for local allocation and use, and to the cities and counties essentially based on the location of the purchase.²

Transactions and Use Taxes generally apply to merchandise that is <u>delivered</u> in a jurisdiction which imposes such a tax. In practice the tax application and allocation for most retail sales will not differ from the sales and use tax. But there are some differences. Importantly, in the case of a sale or lease of a vehicle, vessel, or aircraft, a transactions and use tax is charged and allocated base on the location in which the property will be registered.

So if the city Jane lives in has a transactions and use tax, she will pay that tax if she purchases a car, even if she makes the purchase in a neighboring county that has no transactions and use tax. If Jane purchases a book in that neighboring county, she would not pay any transactions and use tax, but if she buys the book in her city she would pay her city's tax.

City and County Transactions and Use Taxes.

In 2003, Governor Gray Davis signed SB566 (Scott)³ which gave every county and every city the ability to seek voter approval of a local transactions and use tax increase under the following conditions:

- ^a the transactions and use tax may be imposed at a rate of 0.125 percent or a multiple thereof,⁴
- the ordinance proposing the tax must be approved by a two-thirds vote of all members of the governing body,
- ^a if for general purposes, the tax must be approved by a majority vote of the voters in the city or county,
- if for specific purposes, the tax must be approved by a two-thirds vote of the voters in the city or county, and
- the maximum combined rate of transactions and use taxes in any location may not exceed 2 percent except in the counties of Los Angeles, Alameda and Contra Costa where the maximum may not exceed 2.5 percent.⁵

Prior to SB566, with the exception that counties could form special agencies to seek taxes for transportation improvements, a city or county had to seek special legislation in order to adopt a transactions and use tax measure. More than twenty local agencies had received such special authorization.

There are currently 176 cities and 32 counties (including San Francisco City/County) with voter approved transactions and use tax rates. Although most are general purpose, majority approval rates, 27 cities have special purpose, two-thirds approval rates. Greenfield in Monterey County has the highest combination of city rates, 1.75 percent, including a 1 percent general purpose rate originally approved in 2012 and a 0.75 percent additional rate approved in November 2015.

Table 1 Cities with Transactions and Use Taxes

Effective as of 1 April 2017

| 176 Cities with Approved Transactions and Use Taxes | | | | | | | |
|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Rate | 0.25% | 0.50% | 0.75% | 1.00% | 1.25% | 1.50% | 1.75% |
| General/Special | 13 | 84 | 18 | 53 | 2 | 5 | 1 |

Table 2 Special (Earmarked) Transactions and Use Taxes in Cities

| Effective as of 1 April 2017 | 33 Ap | proved Ra | ites in 27 | 7 Cities | |
|------------------------------|-------|-----------|------------|----------|-------|
| Rate | 0.25% | 0.375% | 0.50% | 0.75% | 1.00% |
| Police &/or Fire / EMS | 4 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 1 |
| Streets/Roads/Transit | | | 7 | | 2 |
| Hospital/Medical | | | 1 | | |
| Parks/Recreation/OpenSpace | | | 1 | | |
| Libraries | 2 | | | | |
| Community Center | | | 1 | | |
| Sewers | | | 1 | | |
| Wastewater Treatement | 1 | | | | |
| Total | 7 | 1 | 20 | 2 | 3 |

Table 3

Countywide Transactions and Use Taxes effective as of 1 April 2017

| Rate | 0.10% | 0.125% | 0.25% | 0.375% | 0.50% | 1.00% |
|-------------------|-------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|
| General | | 1 | | | 3 | |
| Transportation | | | 1 | 1 | 20 | 2* |
| Transit | | 2 | 2 | | 7 | |
| Libraries | | 5 | 2 | | | |
| Hospital/Medical | | | | | 2 | |
| OpenSpace | | | 1 | | 1 | |
| Fire / EMS | | | | | 1 | |
| Fairgrounds | | | 1 | | | |
| School Facilities | | | 1 | | | |
| Zoo | 1 | | | | | |
| Total | 1 | 8 | 8 | 1 | 34 | 2 |

ctive as of 1 April 2017

*Los Angeles and Alameda Counties each have two 0.5% rates for transportation.

In addition to the city rates, there are 57 countywide county or special district rates in 32 counties. Humboldt ($\frac{1}{2}$ percent), Inyo ($\frac{1}{2}$ percent), Santa Clara ($\frac{1}{8}$ percent), and San Mateo ($\frac{1}{2}$ percent) have general purpose rates. All others are special taxes for specific purposes. Thirty-five of the county rates are for transportation or transit, seven for libraries and two for hospitals. Sonoma ($\frac{1}{4}$ percent) and Marin ($\frac{1}{2}$ percent) each have rates for open space and agricultural land preservation. Amador County has a $\frac{1}{2}$ percent rate for fire protection and emergency medical services. San Francisco has a $\frac{1}{4}$ percent rate for school and community college facilities. Fresno County has a specially authorized $\frac{1}{10}$ percent rate for its zoo.

| Table 4 | | |
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| (| Combined Countywide Transactions and Use Tax Rates | |
| | Effective April 1 2017 Not including city rates | |

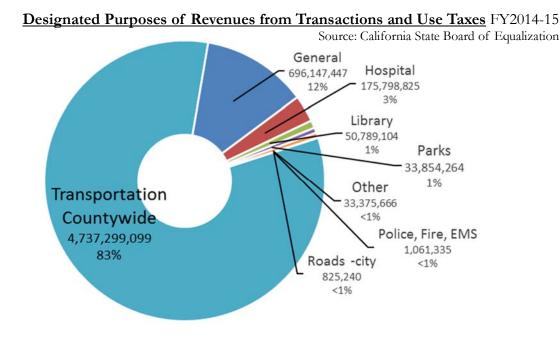
| | пестис Арі | 11,2011 | . NOU III | ciuuniy c | ity rates. | | | | | |
|-----------------|------------|---------|-----------|-----------|------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Rate | 0.125% | 0.25% | 0.50% | 0.625% | 0.725% | 0.875% | 1.00% | 1.25% | 1.50% | 2.00% |
| General/Special | 2 | 2 | 17 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 1 |

In Alameda County, four different tax rate approvals combine for a total 2.00 percent composite rate countywide, added to the state sales and use tax rate. In 17 of the 32 counties with transactions and use tax rates, the combined total is ¹/₂ percent.

Altogether, transactions and use tax rates have been approved by 208 different cities and counties. Among the 482 cities and 58 counties in California, there are just 47 cities and 26 county unincorporated areas that are at the base 7.25 percent sales and use tax rate without any applicable additional transactions and use tax.

Revenues from Transactions and Use Taxes

Although city transactions and use taxes are becoming more common, the substantial majority of transactions and use tax revenues are collected from countywide measures, especially for transportation including streets, roads and transit. In FY2014-15 83 percent of revenues collected from transactions and use taxes in California was for transportation purposes. Although over 90% of city imposed transactions and use taxes are for general purposes, city and county general revenues comprised just 12 percent of total transactions and use tax collections.



Election Success of Transactions and Use Taxes

From 1995 through November 2016, 537 proposals for local transactions and use taxes have been submitted to the voters. General taxes (general purposes, majority voter approval) have become more common in recent years.

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Since 2008, 74 percent (212 of 286) of proposals were general purpose majority vote. From 1995 through 2008, just 45 percent (112 of 251) were general purpose.

Prior to the passage of SB566 in 2003, a local agency needed special legislation to propose a transactions and use tax. Most legislation authorized only two-thirds vote special taxes. But general tax proposals are now more common.

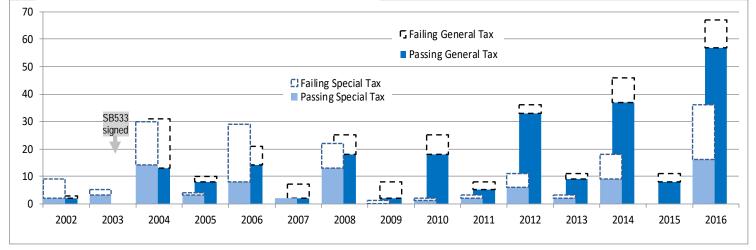
| Table 5 | | | | | | | Tran | sac | tion | s & l | Jse | Тах | Меа | isure | es | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------|---------|------|--------------|------|------|--------|------|------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|---------|-------|------------|--------|------|-------|-------|-------|------|--------|---------|
| | | | | | | | | | Α | pprove | d/Prop | osed | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | Total |
| General | 1/1 | 1/1 | 0/0 | 0/5 | 0/2 | 2/5 | 0/1 | 2/3 | | 13/31 | 8/10 | 14/21 | 2/7 | 18/25 | 2/8 | 18/25 | 5/8 | 33/36 | 9/11 | 37/46 | 8/11 | 57/67 | 230/324 |
| Special | 0/1 | 0/6 | 0/2 | 6/18 | 2/3 | 3/8 | 0/0 | 2/9 | 3/5 | 14/30 | 3/4 | 8/29 | 2/2 | 13/22 | 0/1 | 1/2 | 2/3 | 6/11 | 2/3 | 9/18 | 0/0 | 16/36 | 92/213 |
| | 1/2 | 1/7 | 0/2 | 6/23 | 2/5 | 5/13 | 0/1 | 4/12 | 3/5 | 27/61 | 11/14 | 22/50 | 4/9 | 31/47 | 2/9 | 19/27 | 7/11 | 39/47 | 11/14 | 46/64 | 8/11 | 73/103 | 322/537 |
| City | 0/1 | 0/3 | 0/0 | 2/6 | 1/1 | 3/3 | 0/0 | 2/3 | 2/2 | 16/37 | 10/13 | 16/28 | 4/9 | 24/36 | 2/9 | 19/25 | 6/10 | 32/36 | 11/14 | 4/55 | 8/10 | 64/73 | 226/374 |
| County/Special Distr | 1/1 | 1/4 | 0/2 | 4/17 | 1/4 | 2/10 | 0/1 | 2/9 | 1/3 | 11/24 | 1/1 | 6/22 | 0/0 | 7/11 | 0/0 | 0/2 | 1/1 | 7/11 | 0/0 | 5/9 | 0/1 | 9/30 | 59/163 |
| | 1/2 | 1/7 | 0/2 | 6/23 | 2/5 | 5/13 | 0/1 | 4/12 | 3/5 | 27/61 | 11/14 | 22/50 | 4/9 | 31/47 | 2/9 | 19/27 | 7/11 | 39/47 | 11/14 | 9/64 | 8/11 | 73/103 | 285/537 |
| Special Tax Uses | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Police & Fire | | | 0/1 | 1/3 | 1/1 | | | | | 3/10 | 2/2 | 1/6 | 2/2 | 4/7 | 0/1 | 0/1 | 0/1 | 0/1 | 2/2 | 2/5 | | 3/7 | 21/50 |
| Hospital/Medical | ******* | 0/1 | ************ | 0/1 | | ****** | | | ••••••••• | 1/2 | 1/1 | ****** | ******* | 0/1 | ********** | ****** | | | | 1/1 | | | 4/8 |
| Streets/Roads | 0/1 | 0/1 | | 1/2 | | | | | 2/3 | 0/1 | 0/1 | 1/4 | | 2/2 | | | | 1/2 | 0/1 | 1/2 | | 4/4 | 12/24 |
| Transportation-Count | ywide | | | 0/3 | | 2/4 | | 1/6 | 1/2 | 7/10 | | 5/15 | | 5/7 | | | | 0/2 | | 1/1 | | 6/14 | 28/64 |
| Libraries | | 0/2 | | 3/7 | 1/2 | 0/1 | | 1/1 | | 1/4 | | 0/1 | | 1/2 | | | 2/2 | 3/3 | | 0/1 | | 3/4 | 15/30 |
| Other | | 0/2 | 0/1 | 1/2 | | 0/2 | | 0/2 | | 2/3 | | 1/3 | | 1/3 | | 1/1 | | 2/3 | | 4/8 | | 0/7 | 12/37 |
| | 0/1 | 0/6 | 0/2 | 6/18 | 2/3 | 3/8 | | 2/9 | 3/5 | 14/30 | 3/4 | 8/29 | 2/2 | 13/22 | 0/1 | 1/2 | 2/3 | 6/11 | 2/3 | 9/18 | | 16/36 | 92/213 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

San Francisco is counted as a county.

Among the special taxes, the most common proposed specific use is countywide transportation followed closely by local public safety (police/fire/EMS). Other uses have included streets/roads, libraries, medical services, solid waste collection and disposal, zoo, flood control, jail/corrections, and parks and recreation.

Prior to 2004, most proposals were for countywide programs, but since then city proposals are more common. Just 19 of the 70 proposals prior to 2004 were by cities. Since then, 76 percent (355 of 467) have been from cities.

Chart 6



Local Transactions and Use Tax Measures

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Generally, city majority vote general purpose transactions and use taxes have shown a greater rate of success than countywide measures or city two-thirds vote special transactions and use taxes. Seventy-six percent (224/295) of the proposed city general measures passed. Counties have a much tougher time of it though. Only six general purpose measures by counties have passed out of 29 proposed since 1995. After obtaining special legislation, Inyo County's voters in 1988 approved the first county general purpose transactions and use tax at ¹/₂ percent. It remains in effect. San Mateo County (1/4 cent) and Santa Clara County (1/8 cent) each passed general purpose measures in November 2012. Humboldt county voters approved a ¹/₂ percent general tax in April 2014. But since then county general taxes have failed in Napa, San Francisco, Siskiyou, Sonoma and Solano.

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The success record of city special taxes is not as successful as general taxes. Half of the special purpose twothirds vote sales tax proposals by cities have been successful (40 of 79). This stronger result for general taxes can be seen among other types of local tax measures as well (hotel taxes, utility user taxes, etc.).

Since the passage SB566 in 2003, the transactions and use tax, particularly when structured as a majority vote tax for general purposes, has become popular and successful revenue raising tool for cities. This trend shows no sign of abating.

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For More Information:

- Current tax rates for cities and counties. California State Board of Equalization. <u>http://www.boe.ca.gov/cgi-bin/rates.cgi</u>
- " Transactions and Use Tax rates and effective dates. Calif. BOE. http://www.boe.ca.gov/sutax/pdf/districtratelist.pdf

On the Sales & Use Tax in California: <u>http://www.californiacityfinance.com/#SALESTAX</u>

On local tax measures and election results: <u>http://www.californiacityfinance.com/#VOTES</u>

¹ For more detail on rules for the collection and allocation of transactions and use taxes see California State Board of Equalization Publication #44, "Tax Tips for District Taxes" at <u>http://www.boe.ca.gov/pdf/pub44.pdf</u> and Publication #105 "District Taxes and Delivered Sales" at <u>http://www.boe.ca.gov/pdf/pub105.pdf</u>

² The components of the statewide sales and use tax and their allocation are discussed in some detail in the Board of Equalization's Publication #28: "Tax Information for City and County Officials" <u>http://www.boe.ca.gov/pdf/pub28.pdf</u> and other resources at <u>http://www.californiacityfinance.com/#SALESTAX</u>.

³ Chapter 709, Statutes of 2003.

⁴ AB1126 (Calderon), statutes of 2012 reduced the minimum increment from 0.25 percent to 0.125 percent.

⁵ For example, a countywide transportation tax of 1 percent, together with a 1 percent tax of a city in that county total 2 percent.

| <u>APPENDIX ONE</u> | | |
|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| Transactions & U | se Taxes Currently | <u>in Effect</u> |

| City | <u>County</u> | <u>Rate</u> | Effective | End Purpose |
|------------------------|--|----------------|----------------------|--|
| Albany | Alameda County | 0.50% | 4/1/2013 | 3/31/2021 General |
| Hayward | Alameda County | 0.50% | 10/1/2014 | 9/30/2035 General |
| Newark | Alameda County | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2042 General |
| San Leandro | Alameda County | 0.50% | 4/1/2015 | 3/31/2046 General |
| Union City | Alameda County | 0.50% | 4/1/2011 | General |
| County of Alameda | Alameda County | 0.50% | 7/1/2004 | |
| obuility of Marineua | Mameda Obanty | 0.50% | 4/1/2002 | 3/31/2034 Hospital Transportation |
| | | | | 2/21/2016 Transportation |
| | | 0.50% | 4/1/2015 | Transportation 3/31/2046 Transportation BART-Transit |
| County of Amador | Amador County | 0.50% 0.50% | 4/1/1970 4/1/2009 | Firo_FMS |
| Paradise | Amador County | 0.50% | 4/1/2007 | Fire-EMS |
| Wiliams | Butte County | 0.50% | 4/1/2013 | 3/31/2022 General General |
| | Colusa County | | 4/1/2007 | |
| Antioch Concord | Contra Costa County | 0.50% 0.50% | 4/1/2014 | 3/31/2022 General |
| El Cerrito | Contra Costa County Contra Costa County | 0.50% | 7/1/2008 | General Roads |
| | Contra Costa County | 1.00% | 4/1/2005 | 3/31/2028 General |
| Hercules | Contra Costa County | 0.50% | 10/1/2012 | General |
| Martinez | Contra Costa County | 0.50% | 4/1/2012 | 3/31/2032 Roads |
| | | 1.00% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2032 Roads |
| Moraga Orinda | Contra Costa County | 0.50% | 4/1/2013 | 3/31/2023 General |
| Pinole | Contra Costa County | 0.50% | 4/1/2013 | |
| FILUE | Contra Costa County | 0.50% | 4/1/2007 | General General |
| Ditteburg | Contra Casta County | | 10/1/2012 | 6/30/2035 General |
| Pittsburg | Contra Costa County | 0.50% | | 3/31/2037 General |
| Pleasant Hill | Contra Costa County | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | · · · |
| Richmond | Contra Costa County | 1.00% | 4/1/2015 | General |
| San Pablo | Contra Costa County | 0.50% | 10/1/2012 | 9/30/2018 General |
| | | 0.25% | 10/1/2014 | Fire-EMS |
| County of Contra Costa | Contra Costa County | 0.50% | 4/1/1989 | Transportation |
| | | 0.50% | 4/1/1970 | BART-Transit |
| County of Del Norte | Del Norte County | 0.25% | 4/1/2015 | 3/31/2023 Fairgrounds |
| Placerville | El Dorado County | 0.25% | 4/1/1999 | Police |
| | | 0.25% | 4/1/2011 | 3/31/2041 Wastewater |
| | | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2037 Roads |
| South Lake Tahoe | El Dorado County | 0.50% | 4/1/2005 | General |
| Huron | Fresno County | 1.00% | 4/1/2003 | Police, fire |
| Reedley | Fresno County | 0.50% | 7/1/2008 | Police, fire |
| Sanger | Fresno County | 0.75% | 7/1/2008 | 6/30/2028 Police, fire |
| Selma | Fresno County | 0.50% | 4/1/2008 | Police, fire |
| County of Fresno | Fresno County | 0.125% | 4/1/1999 | Library |
| obuility of Fresho | | 0.50% | 7/1/1987 | Transportation |
| | | 0.10% | 4/1/2005 | Zoo |
| Orland | Glenn County | 0.50% | 4/1/2000 | General |
| Arcata | Humboldt County | 0.30% | 4/1/2009 | General |
| Eureka | Humboldt County | 0.75% | 4/1/2009 | General |
| | | 0.25% 0.50% | 4/1/2009 | General |
| Fortuna | Humboldt County | 0.75% | 4/1/2011 | 3/31/2025 General |
| | Humboldt County | | | 3/31/2021 General |
| Rio Dell Trinidad | | 1.00% 0.75% | 4/1/2015 | |
| | Humboldt County | 0.75% 0.50% | 4/1/2009 4/1/2015 | 3/31/2021 General 3/31/2021 General |
| County of Humboldt | Humboldt County | 0.0070 | 4/1/2013 | |

| <u>City</u> | <u>County</u> | <u>Rate</u> | Effective | End Purpose |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|
| Calexico | Imperial County Imperial County Imperial County | 0.50% | 10/1/2010 | 9/30/2030 General |
| El Centro | Imperial County | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | General |
| County of Imperial County of Inyo | Imperial County | 0.50% 0.50% 1.00% 1.00% 1.00% | 4/1/2017 4/1/1990 10/1/1988 4/1/2009 4/1/2008 4/1/2017 4/1/2017 7/1/1995 4/1/2017 | Transportation |
| County of Inyo | Inyo County | 0.50% | 10/1/1988 | General |
| Arvin | Kern County | 1.00% | 4/1/2009 | General |
| Delano | Kern County | 1.00% | 4/1/2008 | 3/31/2028 General 3/31/2025 General |
| Ridgecrest | Kern County | 1.00% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2025 General |
| Wasco | Kern County Kern County | 1.00% 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | General |
| Clearlake | Lake County | 0.50% | 7/1/1995 | Police, fire |
| | | 1.00% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2037 Roads |
| Lakeport | Lake County | 0.50% | 4/1/2005 | General |
| | | 1.00% | 4/1/2017 | General |
| Avalon | Los Angeles County | 0.50% | 10/1/2000 | Medical |
| Commerce | Los Angeles County | 0.50% | 4/1/2013 | General |
| Compton | Los Angeles County | 1.00% | 10/1/2016 | General |
| Culver City | Los Angeles County | 0.50% | 4/1/2013 | 3/31/2023 General |
| Downey | Los Angeles County | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2037 General |
| Downey El Monte | Los Angeles County | 0.50% | 4/1/2009 | 3/31/2019 General |
| Inglewood | Los Angeles County | 0.50% | 4/1/2007 | General |
| La Mirada | Los Angeles County | 1.00% | 4/1/2013 | 3/31/2018 General |
| Long Beach | Los Angeles County | 1.00% | 1/1/2017 | 12/31/2027* General |
| Lynwood | Los Angeles County | 1.00% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2027 General |
| Pico Rivera | Los Angeles County | 1.00% | 4/1/2009 | General |
| San Fernando | Los Angeles County | 1.00% 0.50% | 4/1/2009 10/1/2013 | General |
| Santa Monica | Los Angeles County | 0.50% | 4/1/2011 | 3/31/2017 General |
| | 0 | 1.00% | 4/1/2017 | Conorol |
| South El Monte | Los Angeles County | 0.50% | 4/1/2011 | 3/31/2016 General |
| South Gate | Los Angeles County | 1.00% | 10/1/2008 | General |
| County of Los Angeles | Los Angeles County | 0.50% | 4/1/1991 | Transportation |
| | Je se s | 0.50% | 7/1/1982 | Transportation |
| | | 0.50% | 7/1/2009 | Transit |
| | | 0 50% | 7/1/2017 | Transit Transportation General Transportation 3/31/2021 General |
| Madera | Madera County | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | General |
| County of Madera | Madera County Madera County | 0.50% | 4/7/2007 | Transportation |
| Corte Madera | Marin County | 0.50% | 4/1/2014 | 3/31/2021 General |
| Fairfax | Marin County | 0.75% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2027 General |
| Larkspur | Marin County | 0.50% | 4/1/2014 | 3/31/2020 General |
| Novato | Marin County | 0.25% | 4/1/2011 | General |
| San Rafael | Marin County | 0.75% | 4/1/2014 | 3/31/2035 General |
| San Anselmo | Marin County | 0.50% | 4/1/2014 | 3/31/2024 General |
| Sausalito | Marin County | 0.75% | 4/1/2014 | 3/31/2025 General |
| County of Marin | Marin County | 0.50% | 4/1/2013 | Open Space |
| | | 0.50% | 4/1/2005 | Transportation |
| | | 0.25% | 4/1/2009 | Transit |
| County of Mariposa | Mariposa County | 0.50% | 4/1/2005 | Hospital |
| Fort Bragg | Mendocino County | 0.50% | 1/1/2005 | Roads |
| | 2 | 0 50% | 7/1/2000 | CommunityCente |
| Point Arena | Mendocino County Mendocino County | 0.50% | 4/1/2004 | Roads |
| | | 0.0070 | 4/1/2017 | |
| Ukiah | Mendocino Countv | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | General |
| Ukiah Willits | Mendocino County Mendocino County | 0.50% 0.50% 0.125% | 4/1/2017 | General Roads |

| <u>City</u> | <u>County</u> | <u>Rate</u> | Effective | <u>End</u> <u>Purpose</u> |
|--|---|--|--|---|
| Atwater | Merced County | 0.50% | 7/1/2013 | 6/30/2024 General |
| Gustine | Merced County | 0.50% | 4/1/2010 | General |
| Gustine Los Banos | Merced County | 0.50% 0.50% 0.50% 0.50% 0.50% 1.00% | 4/1/2010 4/1/2005 4/1/2006 4/1/2017 | Police, fire |
| Merced | Merced County | 0.50% | 4/1/2006 | 3/31/2026 General |
| Merced County of Merced Mammoth Lakes | Merced County Merced County | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2026 General 3/31/2047 Transportation |
| Mammoth Lakes | Mono County | 0.50% | 10/1/2008 | Parks, recr |
| Carmel-by-the-Sea | Monterey County | 1.00% | 10/1/2008 4/1/2013 | Parks, recr 3/31/2023 General |
| Del Rey Oaks | Monterey County | 1.50% | 4/1/2007 | 3/31/2022 General |
| Gonzales | Monterey County | 0.50% | 4/1/2015 | 3/30/2026 General |
| King City | Monterey County | 0.50% | 4/1/2015 | 3/30/2023 General |
| Greenfield | Monterey County | 1.75% | 4/1/2016 | General |
| Marina | Monterey County | 1.00% | 4/1/2011 | General |
| Monterey | Monterey County | 1.00% | 4/1/2015 | 3/30/2020 Streets |
| Pacific Grove | Monterey County | 1.00% | 10/1/2008 | General |
| Salinas | Monterey County | 0.50% | 4/1/2006 | General |
| | , , | 1.00% | 4/1/2015 | 3/30/2031 General |
| Sand City | Monterey County | 1 00% | | General |
| Seaside | Monterey County | 1.00% | 4/1/2015 7/1/2008 | General |
| Soledad | Monterey County | 1.00% | 10/1/2012 | General |
| County of Monterey | Monterey County | 0.375% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2047 Transportation |
| | memorej ecumy | 0.125% | 4/1/2015 | Transit |
| Saint Helena | Napa County | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | General |
| County of Napa | Napa County | 0.50% | 7/1/1998 | 3/31/2023 Transportation |
| Grass Valley | Nevada County | 0.50% | 4/1/2013 | 3/31/2023 General |
| Nevada City | Nevada County | 0.50% | 4/1/2007 | 3/31/2023 Roads |
| lorada ong | nordad oodinij | 0.375% | 4/1/2013 | 3/31/2018 General |
| | | 0.375% | 4/1/2017 | Police, fire |
| Truckee | Nevada County | 0 25% | 10/1/2014 | 9/30/2025 General |
| County of Nevada Fountain Valley La Habra La Palma Stanton | Nevada County Orange County Orange County Orange County Orange County Orange County Orange County | 0.25% 0.25% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2032 Library 3/31/2037 General 3/31/2029 General General General |
| Fountain Valley | Orange County | 1 00% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2037 General |
| La Habra | Orange County | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 4/1/2009 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2029 General |
| La Palma | Orange County | 1 00% | 4/1/2017 | General |
| Stanton | Orange County | 1.00% | 4/1/2015 | General |
| Westminster | Orange County | 1.00% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2023 General |
| County of Orange | Orange County | 0.50% | 4/1/1991 | Transportation |
| Loomis | Placer County | 0.25% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2027 General |
| Cathedral City | Riverside County | 1.00% | 10/1/2010 | General |
| Coachella | Riverside County | 1.00% | 4/1/2015 | ~ · |
| Hemet | Riverside County | 1.00% | 4/1/2013 | General General |
| Indio | Riverside County | 1.00% | 4/1/2017 | General |
| _a Quinta | Riverside County | 1.00% | 4/1/2017 | |
| Venifee | Riverside County | 1.00% | | General |
| | Riverside County | 1.00% | 4/1/2017 4/1/2012 | General |
| Palm Springs Riverside | Riverside County | 1.00% | 4/1/2012 | 3/31/2037 General 3/31/2037 General |
| Temecula | | 1.00% | 4/1/2017 | |
| ICHICLUID | Riverside County | 1.00% | 4/ I/ZUT/ | General |

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| Isleton | Sacramento County | 0.50% | 10/1/2016 | 9/30/2022 Fire, EMS |
| | | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2022 General 3/31/2019 General |
| Sacramento | Sacramento County Sacramento County | 0.50% | 4/1/2013 | |
| Galt | Sacramento County | 0.50% | 4/1/2009 | Police, fire, EMS |
| Rancho Cordova | Sacramento County Sacramento County | 0.50% | 4/1/2015 | General |
| County of Sacramento | Sacramento County | 0.50% | 4/1/1989 | Transportation |
| Hollister | San Benito County | 1.00% | 4/1/2008 | 3/31/2038 General |
| San Juan Bautista | San Benito County | 1.00% 0.75% 0.25% 0.25% | 4/1/2005 | General |
| Montclair | San Bernardino County | 0.25% | 4/1/2005 | General |
| San Bernardino | San Bernardino County | 0.25% | 4/1/2007 | 3/31/2022 General |
| Yucca Valley | San Bernardino County | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2027 General |
| 2 | | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2027 Sewers |
| County of San Bernardir | N San Bernardino County | 0.50% | 4/1/1990 | Transportation |
| Chula Vista | San Diego County | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2027 General |
| Del Mar | San Diego County | 1.00% | 4/1/2017 | General |
| El Cajon | San Diego County | 0.50% | 4/1/2009 | 3/31/2029 General |
| La Mesa | San Diego County | 0.75% | 4/1/2009 | 3/31/2029 General |
| National City | San Diego County | 1.00% | 10/1/2006 | General |
| Vista | San Diego County | 0.50% | 4/1/2007 | 3/31/2037 General |
| County of San Diego | San Diego County | 0.50% | 4/1/1988 | Transportation |
| San Francisco | County fo San Francisco | 0.25% | 10/1/1993 | General |
| | | 0.50% | | |
| | m | 0.50% | 4/1/1990 4/1/1970 | Transportation BART-Transit |
| lathron | San Joaquin County | 1 00% | 1/1/2013 | General |
| Lathrop Manteca | San Joaquin County | 1.00% 0.50% 0.25% | 4/1/2007 4/1/2005 | General Police fire |
| Manteca Stockton | San Joaquin County San Joaquin County | 0.30% | 4/1/2007 | Police, fire Police fire |
| Stockton | San Souquin County | | | Police, fire |
| | | 0.75% | 4/1/2014 | 3/31/2025 General 3/31/2033 Library |
| Tracy | San Joaquin County | 0.25% 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2033 Library 3/31/2037 General |
| Tracy | San Joaquin County | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | |
| County of San Joaquin | San Joaquin County | | 4/1/1991 10/1/2008 | Transportation |
| Pismo Beach | San Luis Obispo County | 0.50% 0.50% | | General |
| Arroyo Grande Atascadero | San Luis Obispo County | 0.50% | 4/1/2007 4/1/2015 | General |
| | San Luis Obispo County | | | 3/31/2028 General |
| Grover Beach | San Luis Obispo County San Luis Obispo County | 0.50% | 4/1/2007 | General |
| Morro Bay | San Luis Obispo County | 0.50% | 4/1/2007 | General |
| El Paso de Robles | San Luis Obispo County | 0.50% | 4/1/2013 | 3/31/2025 General |
| San Luis Obispo | San Luis Obispo County | 0.50% | 4/1/2007 | General |
| Belmont | San Mateo County | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2047 General |
| East Palo Alto | San Mateo County | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | General |
| South San Francisco | San Mateo County | 0.50% | 4/1/2016 | 3/31/2047 General |
| San Mateo | San Mateo County | 0.25% | 4/1/2010 | 3/31/2018 General |
| County of San Mateo | San Mateo County | 0.50% | 4/1/2013 | 3/31/2043 General |
| | | 0.50% | 1/1/1989 | Transportation |
| | | 0.50% | 7/1/1982 | Transit |
| Guadalupe | Santa Barbara County | 0.25% | 4/1/2015 | General |
| Santa Maria | Santa Barbara County | 0.25% | 10/1/2012 | 9/30/2021 General |
| County of Santa Barbara | a Santa Barbara County | 0.50% | 1/1/1990 | Transportation |

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| Campbell | Santa Clara County | 0.25% 0.25% | 4/1/2009 | General |
| San Jose | Santa Clara County Santa Clara County | 0.25% | 10/1/2016 | 9/30/2027 General |
| County of Santa Clara | Santa Clara County | 0.125% | 4/1/2013 | 3/31/2024 General |
| | | 0.125% | 7/1/2012 | BART-Transit |
| | | 0.50% | 10/1/1976 | Transit |
| | | 0.50% | 4/1/2006 | Transportation |
| Capitola | Santa Cruz County | 0.25% | 4/1/2005 | 12/31/2017 General |
| • | | 0.25% | 4/1/2013 | General |
| Santa Cruz | Santa Cruz County | 0.50% | 4/1/2007 | General |
| Scotts Valley | Santa Cruz County Santa Cruz County Santa Cruz County | 0.50% | 4/1/2014 | 3/31/2023 General |
| Watsonville | Santa Cruz County | 0.25% | 4/1/2007 | General |
| | 5 | 0.50% | 10/1/2014 | 9/30/2022 General |
| County of Santa Cruz | Santa Cruz County | 0.25% | 4/1/1997 | Library |
| | | 0.50% | 1/1/1979 | Transit |
| | | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2047 Transportation |
| Anderson | Shasta County | 0.50% | 10/1/2014 | General |
| Dunsmuir | Siskiyou County | 0.50% | 4/1/2016 | General |
| Nount Shasta | Siskiyou County | 0.50% 0.25% 0.25% | 10/1/2011 | Libraries |
| Weed | Siskiyou County | 0.25% | 7/1/2015 | General |
| Yreka | Siskiyou County | 0.20% | 4/1/2013 | General |
| Benicia | Solano County | 1.00% | 4/1/2017 | General |
| Fairfield | | | | |
| | Solano County | 1.00% | 4/1/2013 4/1/2013 | 3/31/2034 General |
| Rio Vista Suisun City | Solano County | 0.75% | 4/1/2013 | 3/31/2024 General 3/31/2027 General |
| Suisun City | Solano County | 1.00% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2027 General |
| Vacavile | Solano County | 0.75% 1.00% | 4/1/2012 | General |
| Vallejo | Solano County | 1.00 <i>7</i> 0 0.120/ | 4/1/2012 | |
| County of Solano | Solano County Solano County Sonoma County Sonoma County Sonoma County Sonoma County | 0.13% 1.00% | 10/1/1998 | Library |
| Cotati | Sonoma County | 0.50% | | 9/30/2024 General 3/31/2024 General |
| Healdsburg Rohnert Park | Sonoma County | 0.50% | 4/1/2013 10/1/2010 | |
| | Sonoma County | 0.50% | 10/1/2010 | General |
| Santa Rosa | Sonoma County | 0.30% 0.25% 0.25% 0.25% | 4/1/2005 | Police, fire |
| | | 0.25% | 4/1/2011 | 3/31/2027 General |
| Sebastopol | Sonoma County | | 4/1/2005 | General |
| | | 0.50% | 4/1/2013 | 3/31/2022 General |
| Sonoma | Sonoma County | 0.50% | 10/1/2012 | 9/30/2023 General |
| County of Sonoma | Sonoma County | 0.25% | 4/1/2005 | Transportation |
| | | 0.25% | 4/1/2009 | Transit |
| | | 0.25% | 4/1/2011 | Open Space |
| | | 0.125% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2027 Library |
| Ceres | Stanislaus County | 0.50% | 4/1/2008 | Police, fire |
| Dakdale | Stanislaus County | 0.50% | 4/1/2012 | 3/31/2018 General |
| County of Stanislaus | Stanislaus County | 0.125% | 7/1/1995 | Library |
| | | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2042 Transportation |
| Corning | Tehema County | 0.50% | 10/1/2016 | General |
| Red Bluff | Tehema County | 0.25% | 4/1/2015 | 3/31/2022 General |

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| Dinuba | Tulare County | 0.75% | 4/1/2006 | Police, fire |
| Farmersville | Tulare County | 0.50% | 4/1/2005 | General |
| Porterville | Tulare County | 0.50% | 4/1/2006 | Police, fire |
| Tulare | Tulare County | 0.50% | 4/1/2006 | General |
| Visalia | Tulare County | 0.25% | 7/1/2004 | General |
| | | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | General |
| County of Tulare | Tulare County | 0.50% | 4/1/2007 | Transportation |
| Sonora | Tuolumne County | 0.50% | 1/1/2005 | General |
| Oxnard | Ventura County | 0.50% | 4/1/2009 | 3/31/2030 General |
| Port Hueneme | Ventura County | 0.50% | 4/1/2009 | General |
| San Buenaventura | Ventura County | 0.50% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2042 General |
| Santa Paula | Ventura County | 1.00% | 4/1/2017 | 3/31/2037 General |
| Davis | Yolo County | 1.00% | 10/1/2014 | 12/31/2020 General |
| West Sacramento | Yolo County | 0.50% | 4/1/2003 | General |
| | | 0.25% | 4/1/2013 | 3/31/2034 General |
| | | 0.25% | 4/1/2017 | General |
| Woodland | Yolo County | 0.50% | 10/1/2006 | 9/30/2031 General |
| | | 0.25% | 10/1/2010 | General |
| Marysville | Yuba County | 1.00% | 10/1/2016 | 9/30/2027 General |
| Wheatland | Yuba County | 0.50% | 4/1/2011 | 3/31/2022 General |

*declines to 0.5% on 1/1/2023