## **TOURIST DEVELOPMENT TAX UPDATE**

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TYPE OF TAX LEVIED	ORDINANCE NUMBERS	EFFECTIVE DATE	TYPE OF ACTION	PERCENT LEVIED	AREA WHERE TAX IS LEVIED
Local Option Tourist Development Tax	86-16	10/01/86	Initial Levy	2.00%	Miramar Beach, Santa Rosa Beach Point Washington Beach
	98-23	02/01/99	Additional Levy	1.00%	South Portion of County South of Choctawhatchee Bay & the Intracoastal Waterway
				Total Levy: 3.00%	

## TOTAL AMOUNT OF REVENUES BY FISCAL YEAR

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FISCAL YEAR	ANNUAL REVENUES	PERCENTAGE LEVIED	USE OF REVENUE BY CATEGORY	CORRESPONDING SPECIFIC PROJECT
1993/94	\$1,466,519.87 [\$1,547,70.000]	2.00%	50% - Tourism Advertising 50% - Beach Improvement	Newspaper, Magazine, Radio and TV  Beach Maintenance, Cleaning, Dune Protection, Trash Containers
1994/95	\$1,667,127.54 [\$1,547,700]	2.00%	50% - Tourism Advertising 50% - Beach Improvement	Newspaper, Magazine, Radio and TV  Beach Maintenance, Cleaning, Dune Protection, Trash Containers
1995/96	\$1,625,451.34 [\$1,619,525]	2.00%	50% - Tourism Advertising 50% - Beach Improvement	Newspaper, Magazine, Radio and TV  Beach Maintenance, Cleaning, Dune Protection  Trash Containers
1996/97	\$2,000,894.19 [\$1,753,178]	2.00%	50% - Tourism Advertising and Promotion  50% - Beach Improvement (Product Improvement)	Newspaper, Magazine, Radio, TV, Billboards, Direct Mail, and Internet  Beach Maintenance, Cleaning, Dune Protection, Dune Walkovers, Trash Containers, Beach Amenities

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1997/98	\$2,245,034.82 [\$2,081,158]	2.00% (Oct – Jan) 3.00% (Feb – Sept)	50% - Marketing 50% - Beach Improvement 1% - Marketing 1% - Beach Improvement 1% - Nourishment	Marketing/Advertising, Public Relations Beach Maintenance, Dune Protection Access Development, Facility Maintenance  Beach Nourishment
1998/99	\$2,635,046.99 \$1,174,242.89 [\$2,764,816]	2.00% (Oct – Dec) 1.00% (Feb – Sept)	1% - Marketing 1% - Beach Improvement 1% - Nourishment	Marketing/Advertising, Public Relations Beach Maintenance, Dune Protection Trash Receptacles, Facility Maintenance Access Development Beach Nourishment
1999/00	\$4,488,702.77 [\$4,250,339]	3.00%	1% - Marketing 1% - Beach Improvement 1% - Nourishment	Marketing/Advertising, Public Relations Beach Maintenance, Dune Protection Trash Receptacles, Facility Maintenance Access Development Beach Nourishment