

WHEREAS, the promotion of the economic welfare of the City of Bellevue and its citizens is a proper objective of the City Council, and

WHEREAS, the establishment and maintenance of facilities for regional sales and service offices in this city's commercial district would promote such economic welfare, and

WHEREAS, the establishment of such facilities and location of such offices would be encouraged by the recognition of a policy of avoiding inequitable tax structures which impose burdens upon such regional businesses, by imposition of business and occupation taxes upon sales or services rendered outside of the city, and which impose local tax burdens upon such businesses without reference to the services rendered and benefits incurred within the city; NOW THEREFORE,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELLEVUE DOES RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. It is the declared policy of the City Council of the City of Bellevue to encourage the establishment of facilities within the City of Bellevue for the location and operation of principal offices for sales and service businesses of a regional nature, by maintaining a progressive city government and by minimizing the burden of city business and occupation taxes upon gross revenues produced from sales or services outside the City of Bellevue.

PASSED by the City Council this 24th day of November, 1959, and signed in authentication of its passage this 24th day of November, 1959.

/s/ Kenneth A. Cole
Mayor

(SEAL)

Attest:

/s/ Jean S. Scholer
City Clerk