## ORDINANCE NO. 2010-6

## AMENDING CHAPTER 3.50 OF THE SAN MATEO MUNICIPAL CODE, "TRANSACTIONS AND USE TAX", RELATING TO THE SUNSET CLAUSE

WHEREAS, in August 2009, the City Council adopted Ordinance No. 2009-11 to add Chapter 3.50 to the San Mateo Municipal Code, increasing the transaction and use tax by one-quarter of one percent (0.25%), contingent on the outcome of the November 2009 election; and

WHEREAS, in the November 3, 2009 election, City voters approved the increase in the transaction and use tax in the City of San Mateo; and

WHEREAS, the State Board of Equalization, which will administer the tax, has requested that the codified version of the ordinance include a clause providing for the 8 year sunset provision, which was included in the ballot measure but not the adopted ordinance;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN MATEO ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

**Section 1.** Chapter 3.50 of the San Mateo Municipal is amended to read as follows:

**3.50.170 TERMINATION DATE.** The authority to levy the tax imposed by this ordinance shall expire on March 31, 2018.

**Section 2. PUBLICATION.** The City Clerk shall publish this Ordinance according to law.

I hereby certify this to be a correct copy of Ordinance 2010-6 of the City of San Mateo, California, introduced on February 1, 2010 and adopted on February 16, 2010, by the following vote of the Council:

AYES: Council Members LIM, MATTHEWS, GROTTE, ROSS and LEE

NOES: NONE ABSENT: NONE

(SEAL) /s/ NORMA GOMEZ, City Clerk