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BILL NO. S-16-05-12

SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE LOIT SPECIAL DISTRIBUTION FUND.

WHEREAS, Senate Enrolled Act (SEA) 67 provides for a supplemental distribution of local income taxes when the balance in a county's local income tax trust account exceeds 15% of the certified distributions to be made to the county, as well as the accounting, allocation method, and distribution requirements for supplemental distributions; and,

WHEREAS, SEA 67 requires a one-time special allocation of the balance in a county's trust account as of December 31, 2014; and,

WHEREAS, before June 1, 2016, the county auditor shall distribute to each taxing unit an amount equal to the taxing unit's allocation amount; and,

WHEREAS, counties, cities, and towns have restrictions on the use of at least 75% of the special distribution received for infrastructure as found under IC 6-3.6-9-17(h)(1); and,

WHEREAS, the remaining part of the distribution may be used for any of the purposes of the county, city, or town; and,

WHEREAS, the State Board of Accounts issued a memo on April 22, 2016 requiring the restricted portion of the distribution to cities and towns needs to be receipted and accounted for in a designated fund.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA:

SECTION 1. The LOIT Special Distribution Fund shall be established for the purpose of receipting, holding, accounting for, administering and appropriating the restricted portion of funds to be used for infrastructure as defined in IC 6-3.6-9-17(h)(1).

1	SECTION 2. That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from
2	and after its passage and any and all necessary approval by the Mayor.
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