

**FIRST AMENDMENT TO
HOTEL/MOTEL TAX AGREEMENT
(City of Savannah)**

This First Amendment to Hotel/Motel Tax Agreement (this “First Amendment”) is made and entered into as of the ____ day of _____, 2019, to be effective as of _____, 2019, by and between the **SAVANNAH-GEORGIA CONVENTION CENTER AUTHORITY**, a public corporation and instrumentality of the State of Georgia (the “Authority”), and **MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF SAVANNAH**, a municipal corporation and a political subdivision of the State of Georgia (the “City”).

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, the Authority is the successor to the Georgia International and Maritime Trade Center Authority in all contracts entered into by the Georgia International and Maritime Trade Center Authority which were in existence on July 1, 2019;

WHEREAS, Authority’s predecessor and the City entered into a Hotel/Motel Tax Agreement dated December 22, 2016, (the “Contract”), providing for the distribution and use of a hotel/motel tax;

WHEREAS, Authority and the City desire to amend the Contract to extend the term thereof, subject to the terms and conditions herein;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements and other good and valuable consideration, the parties hereby agree to amend the Contract as follows:

1. The first sentence of Section 10 is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

“Section 10 Termination Date Renegotiation. This Agreement shall terminate on the earlier of December 31, 2052, or the date on which the Lease Terminates.”

2. The Authority shall be substituted for each and every instance in which the Georgia International and Maritime Trade Center Authority is referenced, the parties acknowledging and consenting that the Authority is the successor in interest to the Georgia International and Maritime Trade Center Authority pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 50-7-55. Accordingly, reference to the “Act” shall refer to Laws 2019, Act 65, § 1.

3. Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the Contract shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this First Amendment to be executed by their duly authorized officers as of the day and year first written above.

**SAVANNAH-GEORGIA CONVENTION
CENTER AUTHORITY**

(Corporate Seal)

By: _____
Chairman

Attest: _____
Secretary

**MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF THE CITY
OF SAVANNAH**

(Corporate Seal)

By: _____
City Manager

Attest: _____
Clerk of Council