

Business License Reorganization



Current Business License Structure

TITLE 5 – BUSINESS LICENSE TAX CERTIFICATE

- **General – All Businesses Must Obtain**
 - **Means to collect Business and Occupation tax**
 - **Authority to revoke licenses for regulatory purposes added in recent years**
 - Additional authority to revoke has included:
 - Chronic Nuisance
 - Wage Theft Violations
 - Operating illegal business

TITLE 6 – REGULATORY BUSINESS LICENSE

- **Industry Specific Only**
 - **Types of industries covered include marijuana, TNC and pawn shops**
 - Range of regulatory polices regarding operations
 - Specific Licensing Fees



Proposed Business License Structure

- **Same Process for Business Owner**
 - Application and renewal process unaffected
 - Potential minor fee increase
 - Industry specific Title 6 regulatory licenses unaffected and still required for those industries.

EACH BUSINESS ISSUED:

- **Title 5 Business License Tax Certificate**
 - Maintained as a means to collect B&O tax
 - Limited means to revoke
- **General Title 6 Regulatory Business License**
 - Specific means to revoke from Title 5 transferred to new general Title 6.
 - No additional regulations or means to revoke added to new general Title 6.

