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TO: ALL PERSONS, FIRMS, AND CORPORATIONS engaged in the business of leasing or renting tangible personal property in the City of **Elba** Alabama, and its police jurisdiction (located in Coffee County)

On June 14, 2010, the governing body of the Elba adopted Ordinance No. 6142010B changing the rates of the City of Elba rental tax effective September 1, 2010. The new rental tax rates are shown below:

<b>Rental Tax Rates:</b>	<u><b>Old Rates</b></u>	<u><b>New Rates</b></u>
Lease or rental of tangible personal property.....	3.00%	4.00%
Lease or rental of automotive vehicles, truck trailers, semi-trailers and house trailers.....	1.5%	1.5%
Lease or rental of linens and garments.....	2.0%	2.0%

If rentals/leases are made to lessees outside the corporate limits of the City of Elba but within the police jurisdiction, the rates of tax are one-half of those stated above.

The Law requires that Elba rental tax be collected, reported and remitted in the same manner as the State rental tax. When you file and pay electronically, the Elba rental tax is to be included on the electronic city/county tax return assigned to you (City and County Tax Return, form 9501).

Simply enter the gross amounts and deductions, and all calculations will be done automatically for you. You may file these taxes online through the Internet at

[www.revenue.alabama.gov/salestax/efiling.html](http://www.revenue.alabama.gov/salestax/efiling.html) or by telephone by calling toll free **1-800-828-1727**. Telephone-filers should use Locality Code 9385.

Please direct all questions regarding the City of Elba rental tax to this office:

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334-242-1490 or 866-576-6531