

BY AUTHORITY

ORDINANCE NO. _____
SERIES OF 2024

COUNCIL BILL NO. CB24-0192
COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE:
Finance & Governance

A BILL

For an ordinance amending Ordinance No. 457, Series of 2001 concerning the "Tobacco Sting" Special Revenue Fund (14804) to update outdated language to expand the allowable purpose of the fund.

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 457 Series of 2001 established Fund 14804, a Health Special Revenue Fund, for the purpose of conducting tobacco sales compliance assessments and related activities; and

WHEREAS, the city has received JUUL/vaping settlement revenue related to a nationwide, youth vaping lawsuit and anticipates receiving additional settlement funds related to nicotine products and vaping over the course of the next four years; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to update the Tobacco Sting Special Revenue Fund name and purpose to include all nicotine products (including vaping), as well as to expand the allowable revenue and expenditures;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER:

Section 1. That Section 1 of Ordinance 457, Series of 2001, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. There is hereby established in the Health Special Revenue Fund, Auditor's No. 14000, a "~~Tobacco Sting~~Comprehensive Nicotine Control" fund, Auditor's No. 14804-6500000, for the purpose of conducting ~~tobacco sales~~nicotine prevention, education, cessation, compliance, assessments mitigation and related activities, with a focus, not exclusively, on youth and young adults.

1 **Section 2.** Monies received from contributions, donations, project incomes,
2 nicotine-related settlements, or other source of private receipts shall be
3 deposited into the Treasury of the City and credited to Special Fund No. 14000
4 which is set forth and described in Section 20-18 of the Revised Municipal Code
5 of the City and County of Denver.
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7 **Section 3.** Expenditures are hereby authorized for the "Tobacco
8 Sting~~Comprehensive Nicotine Control~~" fund, Auditor's No. 14804-6500000, in the
9 amount not to exceed the total of deposits described in Section 2 of this
10 Ordinance, to be expended by the Manager of Environmental Health.
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12 **Section 2.** The Chief Financial Officer of the City and County of Denver is hereby authorized
13 and directed to make such book and record entries and to do such other things as may be necessary
14 to accomplish the purposes of this Ordinance.
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16 COMMITTEE APPROVAL DATE: February 20, 2024, by Consent

17 MAYOR-COUNCIL DATE: February 27, 2024

18 PASSED BY THE COUNCIL: March 11, 2024

19 *Anush P. Sandora* - PRESIDENT

20 APPROVED: *Michael C. Johnston* - MAYOR Mar 13, 2024
Michael C. Johnston (Mar 13, 2024 16:44 MDT)

21 ATTEST: _____ - CLERK AND RECORDER,
22 EX-OFFICIO CLERK OF THE
23 CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER

24 NOTICE PUBLISHED IN THE DAILY JOURNAL: _____ ; _____

25 PREPARED BY: Nikki McCabe, Budget and Management Office DATE: February 29, 2024

26 Pursuant to section 13-9, D.R.M.C., this proposed ordinance has been reviewed by the Office of the
27 City Attorney. We find no irregularity as to form and have no legal objection to the proposed
28 ordinance. The proposed ordinance is not submitted to the City Council for approval pursuant to §
29 3.2.6 of the Charter.

30 Kerry Tipper, Denver City Attorney

31 BY: *Anush Bagga*, Assistant City Attorney DATE: Feb 29, 2024