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## **MEMORANDUM**

## **MENSTRUAL CARE PRODUCTS**

Effective December 18, 2021 the City of Fort Collins will adopt a new sales tax exemption for menstrual care products.

## READ THE NEW SALES TAX EXEMPTION ORDINANCE HERE

The following subsection 26 will be added to City Code Section 25-73(c):

Sec. 25-73. Imposition of the sales tax and exemptions.

(c) Transactions and items exempt from sales tax. The following shall be exempt from the sales tax:

(26) All sales of menstrual care products.

*Menstrual care products* and *Grooming and hygiene products*, as defined in **Section 25-71 – Definitions** shall have the following meanings:

*Grooming and hygiene products* shall mean soaps and cleaning solutions, shampoo, toothpaste, mouthwash, antiperspirants, and suntan lotions and screens.

*Menstrual care products* shall mean tampons, panty liners, menstrual cups, sanitary napkins, and other tangible personal property designed for hygiene in connection with the human menstrual cycle, but does not include *grooming* and hygiene products.

Thank you for your time and cooperation. If you have any questions, please contact us at <a href="mailto:salestax@fcgov.com">salestax@fcgov.com</a> or by phone at 970-221-6780.

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