DaVita RX Economic Development Ad Valorem Tax Exemption Revocation Ordinance

Public Hearing:
Orange County
Board of County Commissioners

June 5, 2018



Background

- Exemption authorized under Fla.
 Constitution
- Section 196.1995 Fla. Stat. after voter approval
- January 2012 referendum approved
- February 2012 BCC Ordinance 2012-05



Exemption Ordinance

- Public Hearing
- Grant of Exemption conditioned upon signing an agreement
- Annual reporting required
- Monitoring:
 - Florida new hire form
 - UCT-6
 - IRS Form 941



Eligible Expansions of Existing Business

10+ jobs: New full-time jobs with wages higher than area

average in manufacturing or "Target industry

business"

25 +Jobs: New full time jobs with more than 50% sales

outside of Fla. and net increase in

employment/output/sales of at least 10%; or

Enterprise/

Brownfield: increases operations on site located within the

same zone co-located with a commercial or

industrial operation owned by the same business



Original Project Overview

- DaVita RX, LLC
- Specialty Pharma
- 186 New Jobs
- 115% of the Average Wage in Orange County
- \$11,750,000 Capital Investment
- Job Functions Include; Clinical, Management, Engineering, Production, Administration and Customer Service



Exemption Granted

- BCC enacted Ordinance No. 2014-02 on January 28, 2014 granting DaVita a 50% exemption for 5 years
- BCC Approved Economic Development Ad Valorem Tax Exemption Agreement
- DaVita's most recent annual report reflects that job creation requirements were not attained
- Ordinance provides that BCC may revoke exemption if conditions of exemption are not met



Property Tax Exemption **Board Guidelines**

*Lowest number is determining factor

			Jobs (Manufactu	•	Jobs (New Business owning new	Capital		Brownfield or Enterprise Zone Avg.
Level	years	Abatement %	ring or QTI)	of MSA)	office space)	Invesment	Avg. Wage	Wage
1	5	50%	10	25	50	\$200,000	115%	100%
2	7	50%	40	100	200	\$500,000	150%	100%
3	7	75%	80	200	400	\$1,000,000	150%	100%
4	10	75%	320	800	1600	\$10,000,000	200%	100%
5	5	100%	500	1000	1800	\$25,000,000	200%	100%
6	10	100%	1000	1500	2000	\$50,000,000	200%	100%



Requested Action

- Approval of an Ordinance of Orange County, Florida relating to taxation; revoking an economic development exemption from certain ad valorem taxation for DaVita Rx, LLC; and
- Approval of a Termination of Economic Development Ad Valorem Tax Exemption Agreement between Orange County, Florida and DaVita Rx, LLC

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