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1 improve conditions for pedestrians. No funds shall be expended to enhance
2 aesthetics on interstate highways.

3 Section 3. Within sixty days of the adoption of this ordinance, the City
4 Council shall pass an election resolution submitting the question of levying
5 the tax to the qualified electors of the City of Albuquerque.

6 Section 4. Effective Date. The effective date of the Municipal Gasoline Tax
7 shall be either January 1, or July 1, whichever date occurs first after the
8 expiration of three months from the date an election is held on the question of
9 approving the ordinance, in which the results of the election are certified to be
10 in favor of the ordinance's adoption and a certified copy of the adopted
11 ordinance is submitted to the Taxation and Revenue Department.

12 Section 5. Severability Clause. If any section, paragraph, sentence, clause,
13 word or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or
14 unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not
15 affect the validity of the remaining provisions of this ordinance. The Council
16 hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance and each section,
17 paragraph, sentence, clause, word or phrase thereof irrespective of any
18 provision being declared unconstitutional or otherwise invalid.

19 Section 6. Compilation. The ordinance shall be incorporated in and made
20 part of the Revised Ordinances of Albuquerque, New Mexico, 1994.

21 Section 7. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect five days after
22 publication by title and general summary.

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