## WALTON COUNTY CLERK OF COURTS & COUNTY COMPTROLLER

Tourist Development Tax

## **TAX RETURN**

## LINE BY LINE INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. <u>Gross Rentals</u>: Enter the total of all rental revenues *REGARDLESS OF PLATFORM USED TO BOOK THE STAY(S)\** both taxable and exempt, excluding tax amounts collected.
- 2. Exempt Rentals: Enter the total of all exempt rentals\*\*. (Note: Please retain documentation.)
- 3. <u>Taxable Amount</u>: Enter the amount of Gross Rentals (1) minus Exempt Rentals (2).
- 4. **Tax Collected:** Enter the total amount of tax collected at the current rate of 5%.
- 5. **Penalty:** If delinquent—
  - Enter the \$50 minimum or 10% of Tax Collected (4), whichever is greater.
  - Late filed zero returns are subject to \$50 minimum penalty.
- 6. **Interest:** If delinquent—
  - Enter current interest rate multiplied by Tax Collected (4) times # of days delinquent.
  - Interest rates are based on the current rate for the state of Florida and are subject to change every 6 months. Please contact our office or FL Department of Revenue for current rate.
- 7. **Adjustments:** Enter any adjustments from previous tax activity such as credit balances to apply in payment of this return balance due. Circle the + or on Line 7.
- 8. **Amount Due:** Line 4 plus Lines 5 & 6 plus/minus Line 7 equals Line 8.

Walton County Clerk of Courts & County Comptroller <u>TAX RATE: 5.</u>				
I. GROSS RENTALS	2. EXEMPT RENTALS		3. TAXABLE AMOUNT	4. TAX COLLECTED
Make check payable to: Clerk of Court  Mail return & payment to:  Walton County Clerk of Court  Attn: Tourist Development Tax  31 Coastal Centre Blvd., Suite 500  Santa Rosa Beach, FL 32459		5.	+ PENALTY	
		6.	+ INTEREST	
		7.	+/- ADJUSTMENTS	
		8.	AMOUNT DUE	
ACCOUNT NAME (PLEASE PRINT)			ACCOUNT NUMBER (REQUIRED)	
SIGNATURE DATE		TAX RETURN PERIOD (REQUIRED)		

<sup>\*</sup>No platforms remit funds to our office on behalf of their users. Please include all platform revenue in calculation.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Exempt refers to nonprofit/government renters that provide a valid FL sales tax exempt certificate.