

CITY OF EVERETT City Clerk's Office

City Clerk's Rule - Business and Regulatory Licensing

Everett Municipal Code (EMC) $\underline{3.19.160}$ allows the Clerk to adopt, publish, and enforce rules and regulations. In accordance with EMC $\underline{3.19.030}$ and $\underline{5.04}$, the City Clerk does hereby provide the following interpretation:

- 1. There may be situations where a business or regulatory license applicant has notified the city of business activity or where the city has deemed an applicant has been engaging in business activity but has not paid license fees for previous taxable years; and
- 2. Under <u>3.19.095</u>, the director shall not assess, or correct an assessment for, additional taxes, penalties, or interest due more than four years after the close of the calendar year in which they were incurred

Therefore, in the event the City notifies an applicant of past due license fees, the City shall not assess, or correct an assessment for license fees or penalties due more than four years after the close of the calendar year in which they were incurred.

Finance Director Approval

Date

City Clerk's Approval

Date