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Enterprise Zones:

Three year tax abatement

Businesses locating or expanding in an enterprise zone may be eligible to receive an exemption from property taxes for three years on new investments including:

- Building construction
- Improvements
- Equipment



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Business Eligibility:

Eligible businesses include:

 Manufacturers, processors, shippers, other traded sector businesses, and call centers/headquarter facilities **Hotel/resort businesses are eligible in the Estacada, Molalla, and Sandy Enterprise Zones.

Ineligible business:

Retail, construction, and financial institutions



Qualified Properties:

Properties which qualify for Enterprise zones include:

- New buildings/structural modifications
- Newly installed machinery
- Equipment qualifies for exemption
- Nonqualified items include:
- Land, previously used property value and miscellaneous personal items

Criteria for Qualifying Projects:

The following criteria apply for the three-year enterprise zone exemption:

- Increase full-time, permanent employment by 10%
- Maintain minimum employment level during the exemption period
- Enter into a first-source agreement with local job training providers
- Pay an application fee of 0.1% of the proposed total investment.

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