# **Hotel Folio Verbiage & Staff Scripting**

### 1. Folio Verbiage:

#### **Seattle Tourism Assessment**

- a. Scripting: Seattle Tourism Improvement Assessment is a \$2.00 assessment fee mandated by Seattle City Council Ordinance.
- b. Scripting: The Seattle Tourism Improvement Area was created by the Seattle City Council to generate funds which will be dedicated to promoting and marketing Seattle as a leisure destination.

### 2. Folio Verbiage:

### **15.6% Hotel Tax**

a. Scripting: This is the 15.6% occupancy Tax. The City of Seattle and King County taxes the occupancy of hotel guest rooms. The tax includes an 8.6% local and state taxes and 7% hotel tax.

## **Suggested Contract Verbiage**

3. Rates subject to room tax, currently 15.6% and/or state or local mandated taxes or assessments. Subject to change.