

RESOLUTION NO. 843

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CALLING AND HOLDING OF A SPECIAL ELECTION IN THE CITY OF CLINTON, COUNTY OF CUSTER, STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ON TUESDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF APRIL 2015, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CLINTON, OKLAHOMA, THE QUESTION OF THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION OF ALL OR PORTIONS OF ORDINANCE NO. 955 RELATING TO CONTINUING THE LEVY OF A NINE-FIVE HUNDREDTHS PERCENT (0.95%) CITY SALES TAX

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Clinton, Oklahoma, heretofore on the 15th day of March, 2011, enacted Ordinance No. 934 which relates to continuing the levy of a ninety-five hundredths percent (0.95%) excise tax on the gross receipts of specified sales from and after September 1, 2011; for the purpose of repairs and rehabilitation of the City of Clinton Police Department and Fire Department facilities, including potential expansion, demolition, and construction (52%), continued Debt Service at Acme Brick Park (40%), and future economic development (8%);

WHEREAS, under the provisions of Oklahoma law, an Ordinance continuing such tax must be submitted to and approved by a majority of the registered voters of the City at an election called and held for such purpose before such Ordinance shall become effective;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLINTON, OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. The Mayor of the City of Clinton, Oklahoma, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to call a Special Election to be held in the City of Clinton, Oklahoma, on Tuesday the 7th day of April, 2015, for the purposed of submitting to the qualified electors of the City of Clinton, Oklahoma, for their approval or rejection the following propositions:

PROPOSITION NO. 1

Shall that portion of 3-2-7 of the City of Clinton Sales Tax Code continue the levy, beginning October 1, 2019, of ninety-five hundredths percent (0.95%) sales tax on the gross receipts of certain sales; providing that the purpose of such sales tax shall be solely for the following purposes: Eighty-five percent (85%) of the proceeds shall be applied to the continued debt service of the Utility System and Sales Tax Revenue Bonds Series 2014, for the purpose of constructing a water treatment plant and assorted facilities and infrastructure and Fifteen percent (15%) shall be paid into the City's Economic Development Fund; unless the Bond issue pays off prior to termination of this excise tax, at which time proceeds shall be allocated 25% to repair, maintenance and refurbishment of the water treatment plant and 75% to the general fund, be approved?

SECTION 2. That the call for such Special Election shall be by proclamation, signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk, setting forth the proposition to be voted upon, and the hours of opening and closing of the polls. The ballots for the qualified electors shall set forth the propositions substantially as set out in Section 1 hereof, and the returns of such election shall be made to and canvassed by the Custer County Election Board.

PASSED AND APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2015.

Mayor, City of Clinton, Oklahoma

ATTEST: (Seal)

City Clerk, City of Clinton, Oklahoma

I, the undersigned City Clerk of the City of Clinton, Oklahoma, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, correct and complete copy of a Resolution of said City duly adopted by the governing body of said City at a meeting held on the date therein stated, as the same appears in the Minutes of said meeting on file in my office as a part of the official records thereof.

City Clerk, City of Clinton, Oklahoma

(Seal)

CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned Secretary of the County Election Board of Custer County, Oklahoma, hereby certify that a copy of the within and foregoing Resolution was submitted to me on the _____ day of _____, 2015.

Secretary, County Election Board
Custer County, Oklahoma

(Seal)