

**SPECIAL ELECTION
PROCLAMATION AND NOTICE OF ELECTION**

Under and by virtue of the Statutes of the State of Oklahoma and acts complimentary, supplementary and enacted pursuant thereto, and Ordinance No. O-2223-26 dated February 28, 2023, authorizing the calling of an election on the Proposition hereinafter set forth, I, the undersigned Mayor of the City of Norman, Oklahoma, hereby call a special election and give notice thereof to be held in the City of Norman, Oklahoma, on the 9th day of May, 2023, for the purpose of submitting to the registered qualified voters in said City the proposed Proposition:

PROPOSITION I

Shall Ordinance No. O-2223-25 of the Council of the City of Norman, Oklahoma, increasing the excise tax upon the gross proceeds or gross receipts derived from rents received from occupancy of hotel rooms by three percent (3%) to a total of eight percent (8%) effective on July 1, 2023?

The ballot used at said election shall set out the Proposition as above set forth and shall also contain the words:

- 1st YES - FOR THE ABOVE PROPOSITION
2nd NO - AGAINST THE ABOVE PROPOSITION

(If the voter desires to vote for the above Proposition, he shall mark the ballot accordingly; if he desires to vote against the above Proposition, he shall mark the ballot accordingly.)

That only the registered qualified voters of the City of Norman, Oklahoma, may vote upon the Proposition as above set forth.

The polls shall be opened at 7:00 o'clock a.m. and shall remain open continuously until and be closed at 7:00 o'clock p.m.

The special election shall be held at the same places and in the same manner prescribed by law for conducting county and state elections and the numbers and locations of the polling places and the persons who shall conduct said election shall be the same as for county and state elections, all as respectively designated and prescribed by the County Election Board of Cleveland County, Oklahoma.

I, _____, do hereby call and as Mayor of the City of Norman, Oklahoma, and the Seal of said City affixed hereto on the 28th day of February, 2023.



[Handwritten Signature]

Mayor

ATTEST:

[Handwritten Signature]

City Clerk