

AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA AUTHORIZING THE CALLING AND HOLDING OF A SPECIAL ELECTION IN THE CITY OF NORMAN, COUNTY OF CLEVELAND, STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ON THE 2<sup>nd</sup> DAY OF APRIL, 2019, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE REGISTERED VOTERS OF THE CITY OF NORMAN THE QUESTION OF APPROVING OR REJECTING ORDINANCE NO. O-1819-27 WHICH ORDINANCE ADDS SECTION 21-118 OF CHAPTER 21 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, CONTINGENT ON VOTER APPROVAL OF ORDINANCE NO. O-1819-28, ESTABLISHING THE MONTHLY RATES TO FUND A STORMWATER UTILITY OF: THREE DOLLARS AND ZERO CENTS (\$3.00) FOR A RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY WITH A LIVING AREA LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO ONE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SIX SQUARE FEET; SIX DOLLARS AND ZERO CENTS (\$6.00) FOR A RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY WITH A LIVING AREA OF ONE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY SEVEN TO ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE SQUARE FEET; NINE DOLLARS AND ZERO CENTS (\$9.00) FOR A RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY WITH A LIVING AREA GREATER THAN ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY THREE SQUARE FEET; PROVIDING FOR A THIRTY PERCENT (30%) REDUCTION IN THE RATE FOR QUALIFYING LOW-INCOME RESIDENCES; TWELVE DOLLARS (\$12.00) FOR NON-RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY THAT HAS A PARCEL AREA THAT IS LESS THAN SIXTY-THREE HUNDREDTHS (0.63) OF AN ACRE; FORTY-FIVE DOLLARS (\$45.00) FOR NON-RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY THAT HAS A PARCEL AREA BETWEEN SIXTY-THREE HUNDREDTHS (0.63) ACRE AND TWO AND ELEVEN HUNDREDTHS (2.11) ACRES; EIGHTY DOLLARS (\$80.00) FOR NON-RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY THAT HAS A PARCEL AREA BETWEEN TWO AND TWELVE HUNDREDTHS (2.12) ACRES AND THIRTEEN AND NINETY-SEVEN HUNDREDTHS (13.97) ACRES; ONE HUNDRED SIXTY DOLLARS (\$160.00) FOR NON-RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY THAT HAS A PARCEL AREA EXCEEDING THIRTEEN AND NINETY SEVEN HUNDREDTHS (13.97) ACRES; CHANGING THE TITLE OF ARTICLE V TO STORMWATER UTILITY; AMENDING SECTION 21-501 AND ADDING SECTIONS 21-502, 21-503 AND 21-504; PROVIDING AN ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS PROCESS FOR A PARTICULAR PARCEL; ADDING ARTICLE VI ENTITLED PENALTY AND SECTION 21-601 PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF THE CHAPTER; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE FOR SAID RATES SUBJECT TO VOTER APPROVAL; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY THEREOF.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA:

- §1. Proposition. That the Mayor of the City of Norman, Oklahoma, or in his or her absence or incapacity, the duly qualified Mayor Pro Tem, be and hereby is authorized and directed to call a special election to be held in the City of Norman, Oklahoma, on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of April, 2019, for the purpose of submitting to the registered, qualified voters of said City of Norman, Oklahoma, for their approval or rejection the following proposition:

PROPOSITION

Stormwater Utility Fee

Shall Ordinance O-1819-27 of the Council of the City of Norman, Oklahoma, adding Section 21-118 of Chapter 21 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Norman, Oklahoma, which establishes the monthly rates to fund a Stormwater Utility as follows: \$3.00 for residential property with a first floor living area less than or equal to 1,196 square feet; \$6.00 for residential property with a first floor living area of 1,197 to 1,983 square feet; \$9.00 for residential property with a first floor living area greater than 1,983 square feet; providing for a 30% reduction in the rate for qualifying low-income residences; \$12.00 for non-residential property that has a parcel area less than 0.63 of an acre; \$45.00 for non-residential property that has a parcel area between 0.63 and 2.11 acres; \$80.00 for non-residential property that has a parcel area between 2.12 acres and 13.97 acres; \$160.00 for non-residential property that has a parcel area greater than 13.97 acres; be approved?

- ☐ For the Above Proposition
- ☐ Against the Above Proposition

- § 2. That such call for said election shall be by Special Election Proclamation and Notice, signed by the Mayor or Mayor Pro Tem and attested to by the City Clerk, setting forth the proposition to be voted on; that the ballot set forth in the proposition be voted upon substantially as set out in Section 1 hereof; and that the returns of said election shall be made to and canvassed by the Cleveland County Election Board.
- § 3. That the number and location of the polling places and the persons who conduct the elections shall be the same as the regular polling places and persons prescribed and selected by the Cleveland County Election Board for elections in the City of Norman, Oklahoma.
- § 4. That the Special Election Proclamation and Notice of even date, a copy of which is on file with the City Clerk and which is incorporated herein by reference, calling such special election is hereby approved in all respects, and that the Mayor or Mayor Pro Tem is hereby authorized to execute said special election proclamation on behalf of the City, and the City Clerk is hereby authorized to attest and affix the seal of said City to said Special Election Proclamation and Notice and cause a copy of said Special Election

Proclamation and Notice to be published as required by law, and a copy thereof delivered to the Cleveland County Election Board.

- § 5. That the City Clerk shall serve or cause to be served, a copy of this Ordinance and a copy of the Special Election Proclamation and Notice of Election upon the office of the Cleveland County Election Board, not less than sixty (60) days prior to the date of the election.
- § 6. It is necessary for the immediate preservation of the peace, health, and safety of the City, and the inhabitants thereof that the provisions of this Ordinance become operative immediately and therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately from and after its passage and approval by the City Council, subject to approval by the registered qualified voters of the City at a special election as set forth herein.

ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of  
\_\_\_\_\_, 2019.

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Mayor

NOT ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of  
\_\_\_\_\_, 2019.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Clerk