

ORDINANCE NO. 2

AN ORDINANCE CALLING AN ELECTION FOR LOCAL SALES AND USE TAX, FIXING THE DATE OF ELECTION, DESIGNATING THE POLLING PLACES, APPOINTING PRESIDING JUDGE AND ASSISTANT PRESIDING JUDGE, PROVIDING FOR NOTICE OF ELECTION, AND SUSPENDING THE RULES REQUIRING ORDINANCES TO BE READ UPON THREE SEPARATE DAYS.

Be it Ordained by the CITY COUNCIL ⁽¹⁾ of the City of ZAVALLA :

~~Section I. There came on to be considered the petition filed with the City Clerk on the _____ day of _____, 19____, requesting that an election be ordered in said City on the question of the adoption of a local sales and use tax for the benefit of said City in accordance with the provisions of House Bill No. 207, 60th Legislature, Regular Session, 1967, and attached to said petition is the certificate of Tax Assessor and Collector and Registrar of Voters for _____ County, Texas, certifying that said petition are signed by at least _____ qualified voters of said City, and it appearing that said petition are signed by qualified voters of said City equal in number to at least twenty per cent (20%) of the total number of votes cast in last preceeding regular city election, and that said petition are otherwise in conformity with the law.⁽²⁾~~

Section II. That an election be ordered ~~as requested in said petition~~ in said City on the 13 day of DECEMBER, 1975, which date is not less than thirty (30) days nor more than ninety (90) days after the passage of this ordinance ~~and this ordinance is being passed within sixty (60) days after the date said petition was filed with the City Clerk.~~⁽³⁾

Section III. Said election shall be held at the following places in said City and the following persons are hereby appointed presiding judge and alternate presiding judge for said election:

<u>PRECINCT NUMBER</u>	<u>POLLING PLACE</u>	<u>PRESIDING JUDGE</u>	<u>ALTERNATE PRESIDING JUDGE</u>
<u>CITY</u>	<u>ZAVALLA COURTHOUSE</u>	<u>ERCELL FERTIG</u>	<u>George HUTTO</u>



Section IV. Ballots of said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

"FOR adoption of a one per cent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city."

"AGAINST adoption of a one per cent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city."

Each voter shall mark out one of the above propositions so that the one remaining shall indicate the way he wishes to vote.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the terms and provisions of the above mentioned House Bill No. 207, and in accordance with the law applicable to other municipal elections.

Section V. Notice of said election shall be given by publishing a substantial copy of this ordinance on the same day of two successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published within said City. The date of the first publication to be at least twenty-one (21) days prior to the date set for said election. The City Clerk is hereby instructed to cause said notice to be so given. (4) (6)

Notice of said election shall be given by publishing a substantial copy of this ordinance on the same day of two successive weeks in a newspaper having general circulation within this City, there being no newspaper published within this City, the date of the first publication to be at least twenty-one (21) days prior to the date set by said election. The City Clerk is hereby instructed to cause said notice to be so given. (5) (6)

Section VI. The rule requiring that an ordinance shall be read on three separate days, is hereby suspended and this ordinance shall become effective as provided by the charter of this City.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED this the 11 day of November, 19 75

[Signature]
MAYOR

ATTEST:

[Signature]
CITY CLERK

(1) Insert City Commission or City Council whichever is applicable.
(2) If election ordered by majority vote of governing body without petitions, strike this section and renew the other sections of this order.
(3) If election ordered without petition strike the words "and this ordinance is being passed within sixty (60) days after the date said petition were filed with the City Clerk."
(4) Strike this paragraph if a newspaper of general circulation is not published within said City.
(5) Strike this paragraph if not applicable.
(6) House Bill 207 provides that a substantial copy of the ordinance is to be published in the notice of said election. It is suggested the publisher be instructed to publish the ordinance in full and that there be added on the front page above the caption the words "NOTICE OF CITY SALES AND USE TAX ELECTION".

