City Resolution Calling the Referendum

RESOLUTION NO. 2019-4

A RESOLUTION TO SUBMIT TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY THE PROPOSITION OF LEVYING A THREE-FOURTHS PERCENT (0.75%) RETAILERS' SALES TAX IN THE CITY OF KENSINGTON FOR THE PURPOSES OF IMPROVING AND MAINTAINING STREET AND WATER LINE INFRASTRUCTURE WITHIN THE CITY.

WHEREAS, K.S.A. 12-187 *et seq.*, and amendments thereto, authorizes the Governing Body to submit to the qualified electors of the city the question of levying a retailers' sales tax to be collected by the State Department of Revenue with revenue therefrom returned to this city; and,

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the City of Kensington has determined that additional revenue is needed to improve and maintain infrastructure within the City such as streets and water lines;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF KENSINGTON, KANSAS:

SECTION 1: A special question election shall be held in the manner prescribed by law on the 5th day of November, 2019, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the City of Kensington, the question of levying a retailers' sales tax in the City of Kensington, for the purpose of improving and maintaining street and water line infrastructure within the City, in the amount of three-fourths of one percent (0.75%), such tax to take effect on the 1st day of January, 2020 if approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon.

SECTION 2: If approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon, such tax shall be subject to all applicable state laws and administrative rules and regulations of the Kansas Department of Revenue. There services of the Kansas Department of Revenue shall be utilized to administer, enforce and collect such tax.

SECTION 3: The city clerk and the county election officer shall cause notices to be published of this special question election, as provided by law.

Passed by the Governing Body of the City of Kensington, this 8th day of July 2019.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk

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