## RESOLUTION NO. 2023- 10

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF MIDWEST CITY, OKLAHOMA, AUTHORIZING THE CALLING AND HOLDING OF A SPECIAL ELECTION, IN THE CITY OF MIDWEST CITY, COUNTY OF OKLAHOMA, STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2023, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF MIDWEST CITY, OKLAHOMA, THE QUESTION FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION OF APPROVING ORDINANCE NO. 3514 RELATING TO THE LEVY OF SALES TAX.

## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2023 the Council of the City of Midwest City, Oklahoma enacted Ordinance No. <u>3514</u> amending the City Code of Midwest City, chapter 40, taxation, article ii, sales tax, section 40-44, limited-purpose tax; sales subject to tax; fifty-five hundreds (0.55) of one (1) percent; to change the purpose of seventy-three percent (73%) or four thousand fifteen ten thousandths (.4015) of one percent (1%) of the tax from payment of debt for the northside wastewater treatment plant to eighty percent (80%) for capital improvement projects and twenty percent (20%) for maintenance and upgrades to city parks; and to remove the sunset from said tax.

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. <u>3514</u> specifies the limited purposes for which the funds may be expended and specifies the limited-purpose tax funds into which the proceeds of the tax must be deposited.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIDWEST CITY:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> The Mayor of the City of Midwest City, Oklahoma, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to call a special election to be held in the City of Midwest City, Oklahoma, on Tuesday, the 12<sup>th</sup> of September 2023, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the City of Midwest City, Oklahoma, for their approval or rejection of the following proposition:

## **PROPOSITION**

Shall Ordinance No. 3514 be approved, amending the City Code of Midwest City, Chapter 40, Taxation, Article II, Sales Tax; Section 40-44 (a)(1), Limited-purpose tax; sales subject to tax:

Seventy-three (73) percent or four thousand fifteen ten thousandths (.4015) of one (1) percent of the additional excise tax levied pursuant to this section shall be expended and used for the following purposes and in the following manner:

- a. Four-fifths or eighty percent (80%) shall be expended and used to pay for capital improvement projects for the City. As used in this section, the term "capital improvement project" shall mean a project for the construction of new, repairs or improvements to existing drainage/stormwater conveyances; improvement or repairs to roads and/or bridges; the construction and/or maintenance of trails; repairs, improvements, and/or replacement to the wastewater resource and recovery facility and/or water treatment plant; improvements or repairs to raw water lines; or construction of new, improvements to or repairs to either the water distribution lines, or the wastewater collection lines; and for any personnel and/or consulting or supporting contracts thereto.
- b. One-fifth or twenty percent (20%) shall be expended and used to pay for the construction of new, improvement or repair to, or operation of all current and future city parks, and for any personnel and/or consulting or supporting contracts thereto.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> The call for such special election shall be by proclamation, signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk, setting for the proposition to be voted upon, and the hours of opening and closing of the polls. The returns of such election shall be made to and canvassed by the Oklahoma County Election Board.

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2	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of Midwest City, through the adoption of
3	Ordinance 1872, has provided for absentee ballots to be cast in the City of Midwest City's municipal elections.  BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the polling places for the election, if held, shall be opened at 7:00 o'clock a.m. and shall remain open until and be closed at 7:00 o'clock p.m. on September 12, 2023.
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7	Pursuant to Title 26 of the Oklahoma Statutes, Section 13-103(c), all precincts totally or partially contained within the limits of the City of Midwest City shall be open for election, except the City
8   9	authorizes Precinct 244 to be closed. Precinct 244 is only partially contained within the limits and no registered voters reside within that portion.
10	PASSED AND APPROVED by the mayor and council of the City of Midwest City, Oklahoma this   day of, 2023.
11	CITY OF MIDWEST CITY, OKLAHOMA
12	CITY OF WILDWEST CITT, ORLAHOWA
13	SEAT By
14	ATTEST: PAT BYRNE, Acting Mayor
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16	Sara Sancoch
17	SARA HANCOCK, City Clerk
18	APPROVED as to form and legality this day of May, 2023.
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20	DONALD D. MAISCH, City Attorney
21	I, the undersigned City Clerk of the City of Midwest City, Oklahoma, hereby certify that the fore-
22	going is 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
23	said meeting on file in my office as part of the official records thereof.
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25	SARA HANCOCK, City Clerk
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