

**TOWN OF HOCHATOWN**

**Resolution No. 1**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF HOCHATOWN CALLING AN ELECTION ON THE QUESTION OF WHETHER ORDINANCE NO. 2023-03-07-01, LEVYING A LODGING TAX OF FOUR (4)% SHALL BE APPROVED WITH AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF MAY 1, 2023, WITH THE ELECTION TO OCCUR AT THE BIENNIAL TOWN MEETING TO BE HELD ON APRIL 4, 2023 AT 5:00 PM.**

**WHEREAS**, on March 16, 2023, the Board of Trustees of the Town of Hochatown adopted Ordinance No. 2023-03-07-01, levying a four percent (4%) Lodging tax within the municipal boundaries and providing an effective date of May 1, 2023; and

**WHEREAS**, Ordinance No. 2023-03-07-01 must be approved by the voters of the Town of Hochatown before it can go into effect; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Hochatown, Oklahoma is subject to and conducts its elections pursuant to the Oklahoma Town Meeting Act (the "Act").

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that an election is hereby called, to be held at the Biennial Town Meeting on April 4, 2023 at 5:00 P.M. at the Chapel of the Pines located at 9276 N. U.S. Hwy 259, Hochatown, OK 74728 for the purpose of submitting the following question to a vote of the people, to wit:

**BALLOT**

Proposition No. 1

**SHALL THE TOWN OF HOCHATOWN, OKLAHOMA, BE AUTHORIZED TO LEVY AND ASSESS A TOWN EXCISE TAX OF FOUR PERCENT (4.0%), IN ADDITION TO ALL OTHER TOWN, COUNTY AND STATE EXCISE TAXES PRESENTLY BEING LEVIED OR ASSESSED, UPON THE GROSS PROCEEDS OR GROSS RECEIPTS DERIVED FROM LODGING WITHIN THE MUNICIPAL BOUNDARIES OF HOCHATOWN, OKLAHOMA AS SET FORTH IN ORDINANCE NO. 2023-03-07-01 ADOPTED BY THE TOWN OF HOCHATOWN ON THE 16TH DAY OF MARCH, 2023 WITH ONE HUNDRED PERCENT (100%) OF ALL TAXES COLLECTED PURSUANT TO THIS PROVISION TO BE DEPOSITED INTO THE GENERAL FUND FOR THE TOWN OF HOCHATOWN, OKLAHOMA BE APPROVED?**

For the Proposition                      FOR                      \_\_\_\_\_

Against the Proposition                      AGAINST                      \_\_\_\_\_

If the voter desires to vote for the above Proposition, the voter shall complete the arrow to the right of the word "FOR".

If the voter desires to vote against the above Proposition, the voter shall complete the arrow to the right of the word "AGAINST".

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Town Clerk or the Clerk's designee shall publish notice of the Biennial Town Meeting pursuant to the Oklahoma Town Meeting Act using a notice approved by the Board of Trustees.

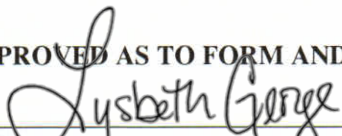
PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE TOWN BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF HOCHATOWN, OKLAHOMA, this 16 day of March, 2023.

  
MAYOR, TOWN OF HOCHATOWN

ATTEST:

  
HOCHATOWN TOWN CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

  
ATTORNEY FOR HOCHATOWN, OKLAHOMA