

## **RESOLUTION 2025-7**

### **A RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT THE HIGHER OF SALES TAX PERCENTAGE IF, UPON THE COMPLETION OF A SPECIAL ELECTION, BOTH RESOLUTIONS PASS ALL QUALIFICATIONS; AND PROVIDING FOR COMMENCEMENT AND DURATION OF SUCH SALES TAX.**

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Spavinaw has determined it necessary and in the best interest of the public to hold a special election regarding the implementation of two proposed sales tax measures; and

**WHEREAS**, each proposed sales tax measure provides for a different percentage increase in the existing sales tax rate to fund distinct but complementary public purposes; and

**WHEREAS**, it is possible that voters may approve both measures, creating a potential overlap or conflict regarding which sales tax rate should be implemented; and

**WHEREAS**, it is the intent of this Resolution to clarify the governing body's position in favor of adopting the higher of the two proposed sales tax percentages should both measures pass all legal qualifications in the special election;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SPAVINAW, OKLAHOMA, AS FOLLOWS:**

#### **SECTION 1.**

If, upon certification of the special election results, both sales tax resolutions are found to have passed all legal qualifications and requirements, the town of Spavinaw, Oklahoma, shall implement the higher of the two approved sales tax percentages as the official rate.

#### **SECTION 2.**

The adopted sales tax rate shall commence on July 1, 2025, as provided in the applicable ballot language or authorizing legislation.

#### **SECTION 3.**

The adopted sales tax shall remain in effect for the duration specified in the approved ballot measure with the higher percentage, unless otherwise modified or repealed by a subsequent lawful action.

#### SECTION 4.

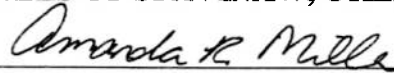
The Town Clerk is hereby directed to take all necessary administrative steps to notify appropriate state and local tax authorities of the implementation of the selected tax rate and ensure its timely and lawful enforcement.

#### SECTION 5.

This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage and adoption.

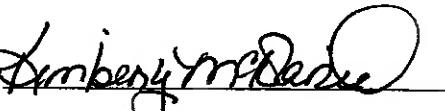
**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 11th day of March, 2025

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SPAVINAW, OKLAHOMA**



**Amanda Miller**, Mayor  
Town of Spavinaw Board of Trustees

ATTEST:



**Kimberly McDaniel**, City Clerk

