

Council Chambers
Municipal Building
February 24, 2009

The McAlester City Council met in a special session on Tuesday, February 24, 2009, at 5:30 P.M. after proper notice and agenda was posted February 20, 2009, at 4:00 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Priddle called the meeting to order.

INVOCATION & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Kevin E. Priddle

ROLL CALL

Council Roll Call was as follows:

Present: Donnie Condit, John Browne, Chris Fiedler, Sam Mason & Mayor Priddle
Absent: Buddy Garvin & Haven Wilkinson
Presiding: Kevin E. Priddle, Mayor

Staff Present: Mark Roath, City Manager; William J. Ervin, Sr., City Attorney and Cora Middleton, City Clerk

SCHEDULED BUSINESS

- 1. Consider, and act upon Resolution rescinding that resolution enacted February 4, 2009, Authorizing the calling and holding of a Special Election in the City of McAlester, County of Pittsburg, State of Oklahoma, on Tuesday, April 7, 2009, for the purpose of submitting to the Qualified Electors of the City of McAlester, Oklahoma, the Question of their approval or rejection of Ordinance No. 2312 relating to the City Sales Tax; and canceling the Election therein authorized to be conducted by the Pittsburg County Election Board. [*\(William J. Ervin, City Attorney\)*](#)**

Mayor Priddle explained that the Ordinance related to this item had been tabled at the previous Regular Council Meeting because of questions concerning language in the Ordinance. He added that the members of the Council Sub-Committee, Mr. Roath and Allan Brooks had a very productive meeting regarding this matter and at that time the Council Sub-Committee had felt that it would be prudent to cancel the April 7, 2009 election and allow time for further study to be done. He then read the title to the Resolution.

Councilman Browne moved to approve RESOLUTION NO. 09-02, cancelling the April 7, 2009 election. The motion was seconded by Councilman Condit.

Before the vote, Mr. Roath stated that Mr. Brooks would be working on the legislation for the election and it would be brought to the Council soon.

There was no further discussion, and the vote was taken as follows:

AYE: Councilman Fiedler, Condit, Browne, Mason & Mayor Priddle

NAY: None

Mayor Priddle declared the motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Council, Councilman Mason moved for the meeting to be adjourned, seconded by Councilman Condit. The vote was taken as follows:

AYE: Councilman Condit, Browne, Mason, Fiedler & Mayor Priddle

NAY: None

Mayor Priddle declared the motion carried, and the meeting was adjourned at 5:35 P.M.

Kevin E. Priddle, Mayor

ATTEST:

Cora Middleton, City Clerk