

September 14, 1977

THE STATE OF WYOMING     )  
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COUNTY OF CARBON     )

A special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Carbon, State of Wyoming, was held in the Commissioners' Chambers, Courthouse Building, Rawlins, Wyoming, on Wednesday, September 14, 1977, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock, A. M.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners and upon roll call the following members were found to be present:

Chairman:           John Glode  
Commissioner:       Emil T. Lemich  
Commissioner:       Martin McMahon  
Absent               None

Thereupon, Petitioners were presented to the Board requesting that the Commissioners submit to the qualified electors of Carbon County, Wyoming, a question for the purpose of raising taxes for general revenue by means of a one percent (1%) County Sales Tax. A Certificate of the County Clerk as to the validity of said Petition was also presented to the Board. Discussion was held by the Board and thereupon Commissioner Lemich introduced the following resolution:

#### R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, the County of Carbon herein referred to as the "County", is a dully organized, established and existing County in the State of Wyoming, and is a body politic and corporate; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Carbon County, Wyoming, is the duly elected, qualified and acting governing body of the County of Carbon, delegated by law to exercise the powers of the County as a body politic and corporate; and among those powers is the power to apportion and order the levying of taxes as provided by law, which includes the power to impose an excise tax at a rate in increments of one-half (1/2) of one percent (1%) not to exceed the maximum rate of one percent (1%) upon retail sales of tangible personal property and the other transactions set forth in Section 39-291, Wyoming Statutes, 1957, as amended, made within Carbon County, Wyoming. And the purpose of such tax being for general revenue; and

WHEREAS, the commissioners have determined that there is a need to expand the County governmental services due to the influx of new residents in Carbon County, Wyoming, precipitated by the national energy demands; and

WHEREAS, said services are creating the need for additional general revenue; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire and intention of the Board of County Commissioners to provide such services as quickly as possible and at the least possible inconvenience to the habitants of Carbon County; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners have received Petitions signed by in excess of ten percent (10%) of the qualified electors voting at the last General Election in Carbon County, Wyoming; and

WHEREAS, the County Clerk of Carbon County, Wyoming, has filed her Certificate with said Board certifying that she, or her duly authorized and qualified deputies, have examined all the signatures on said Petitions and she has certified that all of the signatures so noted, examined and remaining on said Petitions are qualified electors in and for Carbon County, Wyoming, and that she has further certified that in excess of ten percent (10%) of the qualified electors voting at the last General Election held in Carbon County, Wyoming, are affixed to said Petitions; and

WHEREAS, Section 39-288 provides that upon the receipt of such Petitions the Board of County Commissioners of Carbon County, Wyoming, shall submit the proposition to impose such one percent (1%) excise tax to the qualified electors of Carbon County, Wyoming, at any General or Primary Election or Special Election called for the specific purpose; and

WHEREAS, such election shall be at the expense of Carbon County, Wyoming, and be submitted under the supervision of the Board of County Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, such proposition to impose within said Carbon County, Wyoming, an excise tax of one percent (1%) upon retail sales of tangible personal property and the other transactions set forth in Section 39-291, Wyoming Statutes, 1957, as amended, should be submitted to the qualified electors of Carbon County, Wyoming, at a special Election on November 8, 1977, in the form and manner as hereinafter set forth.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF CARBON AND STATE OF WYOMING:

Section 1: That the question to impose an excise tax of one percent (1%) upon retail sales of tangible personal property and the other transactions set forth in Section 39-291 Wyoming Statutes, 1957, as amended, be submitted at a Special Election in Carbon County, Wyoming, to be held on Tuesday, the 8th day of November, 1977, between the hours of 8:00 o'clock, A.M. and 7:00 o'clock P.M. at which election there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of Carbon County, Wyoming, the question set forth in the form of Proclamation and Notice of Election as hereinafter set forth.

Section 2: The election shall be conducted as provided by the statutes of the State of Wyoming for voting at a General Election.

Section 3: That the Proclamation and Notice of Election shall be made and given by the County Clerk in the form as provided hereinafter. That such Proclamation and Notice of Election shall be given by publication in Carbon County, Wyoming, in the following newspapers on the dates set forth, namely:

Rawlins Daily Times: October 6, 13, 20, 27, 1977 November 3  
Saratoga Sun: October 6, 13, 20, 27, 1977 November 3  
Snake River Press: October 6, 13, 20, 27, 1977 November 3

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Section 4: The Notice of Election and Proclamation shall be simultaneously published in the English and Spanish languages and shall be in the following form:

PROCLAMATION AND NOTICE  
OF  
ONE PERCENT SALES TAX ELECTION  
TO BE HELD NOVEMBER 8, 1977

SPECIAL ELECTION  
CARBON COUNTY  
STATE OF WYOMING

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, by the Board of County Commissioners of Carbon County, Wyoming, that a Special Election in said Carbon County, Wyoming, will be held on Tuesday, the 8th day of November, 1977, between the hours of 8:00 o'clock A.M. and 7:00 o'clock P.M. at which election there will be submitted to the qualified electors of Carbon County, Wyoming, the following question:

QUESTION SUBMITTED:

"Shall the Board of County Commissioners of Carbon County, Wyoming, be authorized to impose an excise tax within Carbon County, Wyoming, at the rate of one percent (1%) upon retail sales of tangible personal property and other transactions set forth in Section 39-291, Wyoming Statutes, 1957, as amended for the purpose of general revenue?"

Dated at Rawlins, Wyoming, this 14th day of September, 1977.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
CARBON COUNTY, WYOMING

By: /s/ John Glode  
Chairman

ATTEST:

/s/ Mary G. Bradford  
County Clerk

(COUNTY SEAL)

NOTICIA & PROCLAMACION  
ELECCION DE TAXACION DE VENTAS  
DE UN POR CIENTO (1%)  
DERAN EL DIA 8 DE NOVIEMBRE DE 1977

ELECCIONES ESPECIAL  
CONDADO DE CARBON  
ESTADO DE WYOMING

NOTICIA PUBLICA SERA DADA, por la mesa de Comisionados del condado, del Condado de Carbon, Wyoming, las elecciones generales seran dichas en el Condado de Carbon, Wyoming sera el Martes 8 de Noviembre de 1977, entre las horas de la 8:00 A.M. y 7:00 P.M. en eascuales las elecciones seran presentadas para calificar a los elegedos del Condado de Carbon, Wyoming con las siquientes curesiones:

CUESTION PRESENTADA:

"Si las mesa de Comisionados del Condado, del Condado de Carbon del Estado de Wyoming sera autorizada para imponer el impuesto de taxas del Condado de Carbon, Wyoming, para el proposito de rentas publicas al redito de un por ciento (1%) en ventas por menor de tangible de propiedad personal y otros negocios autorizados por las Seccion 93-291, Wyoming Ordinanzas 1957, para amendar por el proposito general de rentas publicas?"

Fechade Rawlins, Wyoming, dia 14th de Septiembre de, 1977.

MESA DE COMISIONADOS DEL CONDADO,  
DE EL CONDADO DE CARBON, WYOMING

pro: /s/ John Glode  
Chairman

ATESTAR:

/s/ Mary G. Bradford  
Empleado de Oficina del Condado

(SELO DEL CONDADO)

Section 5: The official ballot at such General Election shall be published in the English and Spanish languages and shall be in the following form:

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OFFICIAL ELECTION BALLOT  
ONE PERCENT (1%) COUNTY SALES TAX  
COUNTY OF CARBON, STATE OF WYOMING  
NOVEMBER 8, 1977

Instruction: Mark an (x) in the square immediately underneath the words  
"For the County Sales Tax" to vote for the question. Mark  
an (x) in the square immediately underneath the words  
"Against the County Sales Tax" to vote against the question.

QUESTION SUBMITTED:

"Shall the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Carbon, State of Wyoming, be authorized to impose an excise tax within Carbon County, Wyoming, for the purpose of general revenue at the rate of One percent (1%) upon retail sales of tangible personal property and other transactions authorized by Section 39-291, Wyoming statutes, 1957, as amended?"

FOR THE COUNTY SALES TAX

AGAINST THE COUNTY SALES TAX

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BOLETO DE LA ELECCION OFICIAL  
LAS TAXACIONES DE VENTA DEL  
CONDADO SERAN DE UN PERCIENTO (1%)  
EL CONDADO DE CARBON DEL ESTADO DE WYOMING  
8 DE NOVIEMBRE DE 1977

INSTRUCCIONES: Marque una (x) en el cuadro indicado debajo de las palabras  
"for ecis taxaciones de ventas del Condado" para votar  
por la question. Marque una (x) en el cuadro endicado  
debajo de las palabras "En contra de las taxaciones de  
ventas del Condado" en contra de la cuestion.

CUESTION PRESENTADA:

"Si la mesa de los comisionados del Condado, del Condado de Carbon del Estado de Wyoming, sena: autorizada para imponer el impuesto de taxas del Condado de Carbon, Wyoming, para el proposito de rentas publicas al redito de un perciento (1%) en ventas por menor de tangible de propiedad personal y otros negacios autorizados por la Seccion 39-291, Wyoming Ordinanzas, 1957, para amendar?"

PARA LA TAXACION DE VENTAS DEL CONDADO

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EN CONTRA DE LA TAXACION DE VENTAS

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Dated at Rawlins, Wyoming, this 14th day of September, 1977.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
CARBON COUNTY, WYOMING

/s/ John Glode  
Chairman

/s/ Martin McMahon  
Commissioner

/s/ Emil T. Lemich  
Commissioner

The Resolution was read in full. Commissioner McMahon moved that said Resolution be enacted and voted upon. Commissioner Lemich seconded said Motion. The roll was called with the following result:

Voting Aye: 3  
Voting Nye: 0  
Abstained: 0

The Chairman declared said Resolution passed and enacted and ordered the Clerk to spread the same at length upon the records of this meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

ATTEST:

Mary G. Bradford, County Clerk

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

John Glode, Chairman