

Council Chambers  
Municipal Building  
April 1, 2010

The McAlester City Council met in Special session on Thursday, April 1, 2010, at 5:15 P.M. after proper notice and agenda was posted, March 30, 2010, at 3:31 P.M.

### **CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Priddle called the meeting to order.

### **ROLL CALL**

Council Roll Call was as follows:

Present: Chris Fiedler, Steve Harrison, John Browne, Robert Karr, Louis Smitherman & Mayor Priddle  
Absent: Buddy Garvin  
Presiding: Kevin E. Priddle, Mayor

Staff Present: Pete Stasiak, Acting City Manager; John Modzelewski, City Engineer/Public Works Director and Cora Middleton, City Clerk

### **SCHEDULED BUSINESS**

**1. Consider, and act upon, rescheduling April 13, 2010 Regular Meeting of the City of McAlester City Council to Monday, April 12, 2010 at 6:00 P.M.**

Vice-Mayor Browne moved to approve rescheduling April 13, 2010 Regular Meeting of the City of McAlester City Council to Monday, April 12, 2010 at 6:00 P.M. The motion was seconded by Councilman Fiedler.

Before the vote, Mayor Priddle explained that several of the Council members had expressed their desire to attend the birthday celebration for Choctaw Chief Greg Pyle and Choctaw Tribal Councilor Bob Pate.

Councilman Harrison commented that his interpretation of the City Code of Ordinances Section 2-37 (a) only allowed a regular meeting to be rescheduled if it fell on a holiday and required a vote of four (4) of the Council members. He further stated that Section 2-36 allowed the City Council to temporarily suspend all or any portion of the rules, as outlined in that division of the Code. He added that the Council could change the date but it was a two-step process.

Mayor Priddle moved to temporarily suspend the rules in Section 2-37 of the City Code of Ordinances. The motion was seconded by Vice-Mayor Browne. There was no other discussion, and the vote was taken as follows:

AYE: Councilman Browne, Karr, Smitherman, Fiedler & Mayor Priddle  
NAY: Councilman Harrison

Mayor Priddle declared the motion carried.

There was no further discussion concerning the original motion to reschedule the April 13, 2010 Regular Meeting of the City of McAlester City Council to Monday, April 12, 2010 at 6:00 P.M., and the vote was taken as follows:

AYE: Councilman Fiedler, Browne, Karr, Smitherman & Mayor Priddle  
NAY: Councilman Harrison

Mayor Priddle declared the motion carried.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business before the Council, Councilman Fiedler moved for adjournment. The motion was seconded by Councilman Smitherman. There was no discussion, and the vote was taken as follows:

AYE: Councilman Browne, Karr, Smitherman, Fiedler, Harrison & Mayor Priddle  
NAY: None

Mayor Priddle declared the motion carried and the meeting was adjourned at 5:21 P.M.

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Kevin E. Priddle, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Cora Middleton, City Clerk