

RESOLUTION NO. 02-08

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FRIEND, NEBRASKA, THAT THE FOLLOWING QUESTION BE SUBMITTED TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF FRIEND, NEBRASKA, AT THE NEXT ELECTION TO BE HELD WITHIN THE CITY. THAT BEING THE GENERAL ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 5TH, 2002, TO-WIT: "SHALL THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF FRIEND, NEBRASKA IMPOSE A SALES AND USE TAX OF ONE PERCENT (1%) UPON THE SAME TRANSACTIONS WITHIN THE CITY OF FRIEND ON WHICH THE STATE OF NEBRASKA IS AUTHORIZED TO IMPOSE A TAX COMMENCING FEBRUARY 1, 2003. THE REVENUE OF WHICH IS TO BE APPLIED TO THE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE PARK/POOL DEPARTMENT IN THE CITY OF FRIEND, AND SHALL THE CITY INCREASE ITS BUDGETED RESTRICTED FUNDS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2002-2003 BY \$50,000.00 OVER THE CURRENT YEAR'S BUDGETED RESTRICTED FUNDS.

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Friend, Nebraska, hereby find and determine that it is in the best interest and for the public welfare of the citizens of the City of Friend, Nebraska, to submit to the vote of the electorate the question of imposing a City Sales Tax commencing February 1, 2003, and

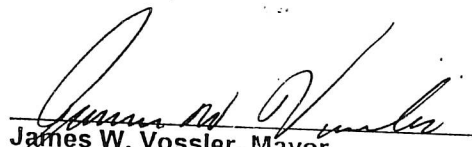
WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Friend, Nebraska, are strongly committed to the reduction of debt of the City of Friend, Nebraska, the reduction of property taxes within the City of Friend, Nebraska, and to maintain the level of municipal services desired by the citizens of the City of Friend, Nebraska, at the least amount of cost to the taxpayers of the City of Friend, Nebraska, and


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Friend, Nebraska, that the following question be submitted to the qualified electors of the city at the next election to be held within the City, that being the General Election to be held on November 5, 2002:

Shall the Governing Body of the City of Friend, Nebraska, impose a sales and use tax of one percent (1%) upon the same transactions within the City of Friend on which the State of Nebraska is authorized to impose a tax commencing February 1, 2003, the revenue of which is to be applied to the operation and maintenance of the Park/Pool Department for the City of Friend, and shall the City increase its budgeted restricted funds for Fiscal year 2002-2003 by \$50,000.00 over the current year's budgeted restricted funds."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to submit a Certified Copy of this resolution to the Election Commissioner of Saline County, Nebraska immediately.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 30th day of August, 2002.


James W. Vossler, Mayor

ATTEST:

Don Anderson, City Clerk