

1 ENGROSSED SENATE  
JOINT  
2 RESOLUTION NO. 37

By: Treat, Merrick, and Jett of  
the Senate

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4 and

5 McCall of the House

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7 [ refer to the people for their approval or rejection  
8 a proposed amendment - secures or protects a right to  
an abortion - ballot title - filing ]

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11 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
12 2ND SESSION OF THE 58TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

13 SECTION 1. The Secretary of State shall refer to the people for  
14 their approval or rejection, as and in the manner provided by law,  
15 the following proposed amendment to the Oklahoma Constitution by  
16 adding a new Section 2A to Article II to read as follows:

17 Section 2A. Recognizing that abortion is a unique and  
18 destructive act that terminates the life of an unborn human being,  
19 nothing in this Constitution secures or protects a right to an  
20 abortion.

21 SECTION 2. The Ballot Title for the proposed Constitutional  
22 amendment as set forth in SECTION 1 of this resolution shall be in  
23 the following form:

24 BALLOT TITLE

1 Legislative Referendum No. \_\_\_\_\_ State Question No. \_\_\_\_\_

2 THE GIST OF THE PROPOSITION IS AS FOLLOWS:

3 This measure adds a new Section 2A to Article 2 of the Oklahoma  
4 Constitution. The proposed Section 2A recognizes that abortion  
5 is a unique and destructive act that ends the life of an unborn  
6 human being. The proposed Section 2A states that nothing in the  
7 Oklahoma Constitution secures or protects a right to an  
8 abortion.

9 SHALL THE PROPOSAL BE APPROVED?

10 FOR THE PROPOSAL - YES \_\_\_\_\_

11 AGAINST THE PROPOSAL - NO \_\_\_\_\_

12 SECTION 3. The President Pro Tempore of the Senate shall,  
13 immediately after the passage of this resolution, prepare and file  
14 one copy thereof, including the Ballot Title set forth in SECTION 2  
15 hereof, with the Secretary of State and one copy with the Attorney  
16 General.

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1 Passed the Senate the 10th day of March, 2022.

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4 Presiding Officer of the Senate

5 Passed the House of Representatives the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
6 2022.

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9 Presiding Officer of the House  
10 of Representatives