

City

of

**CHANDLER
OKLAHOMA**

CITY CHARTER

Effective April 8, 1955

CHANDLER CITY CHARTER

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Note: The above charter was approved by the electors of the City of Chandler on April 5, 1955, by a vote of 379 to 196. It was approved by Governor Raymond Gary on April 8, 1955, and went into effect on that date. The above charter replaced a council-manager charter which was adopted in 1925.

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PREAMBLE

We, the people of the City of Chandler, exercising the powers of home rule granted to us by the Constitution and laws of the State of Oklahoma, in order to provide for more efficient, adequate and economical government, do hereby ordain, ratify and establish this Charter of the City of Chandler, Oklahoma.

ARTICLE I

INCORPORATION, FORM OF GOVERNMENT, POWERS

Section 1.1. Incorporation.

The City of Chandler, Oklahoma, within the corporate limits as now established or as hereafter may be established, shall continue to be a municipal body politic and corporate in perpetuity under the name of the "City of Chandler, Oklahoma". It shall succeed to and possess all the property, rights, privileges, franchises, powers and immunities now belonging to the corporation known as the City of Chandler, Oklahoma; and shall be liable for all debts and other obligations for which the corporation is now legally bound.

Section 1.2. Form Of Government.

The municipal government provided by this charter shall be known as the "council-manager government". All powers of the city shall be exercised in the manner prescribed by this charter, or, if the manner is not thus prescribed, then in such manner as the council may prescribe by ordinance.

Section 1.3. Powers Of The City.

The city shall have all powers, functions, rights, privileges, franchises and immunities granted to cities by the state constitution and law, and all the implied powers necessary to carry into execution all the powers granted. Except as prohibited by the state constitution and law, the city shall have all municipal powers, functions, rights, privileges, franchises and immunities of every name and nature whatsoever.