

DECLARATION OF ELECTION EMERGENCY 2025-01

WHEREAS on March 7, 2025, a weather-related incident occurred at a polling place in Oilton, Oklahoma, causing the need to relocate the polling place located at the Oilton Community Room, 200 S. "B" Street, Oilton, Oklahoma 74052; and

WHEREAS this location serves as a polling place for Precinct 190406 in Creek County; and

WHEREAS voting cannot occur at this location due to the damage to the building's roof from the weather.

WHEREAS the Creek County Election Board Secretary has requested to temporarily relocate the polling place for Precinct 190406, on an emergency basis, to a location at Hope Freewill Baptist Church, 108 N. "A" Street, Oilton, Oklahoma 74052 for the election being held on Tuesday, April 1, 2025.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Paul Ziriax, Secretary of the State Election Board, pursuant to the power vested in me by Paragraph 1 of Subsection A of Section 22-101 of Title 26 of the Oklahoma Statutes hereby declare and order the following:

- 1. An election emergency exists in Precinct 190406 in Creek County for the election being held on Tuesday, April 1, 2025.
- 2. The Secretary of the Creek County Election Board is authorized to temporarily relocate the polling place for Precinct 190406, on an emergency basis, to Hope Freewill Baptist Church, 108 N. "A" Street, Oilton, Oklahoma 74052.
- 3. The County Election Board Secretary shall make every reasonable effort to notify the public and local news media of the relocation of the polling place for Precinct 190406.

Copies of this Declaration of Election Emergency shall be posted on the State Election Board website, http://oklahoma.gov/elections.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have set my hand and caused the seal of the State Election Board to be affixed at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, this 19th day of May, 2025.

PAUL ZIRIAX

SECRETARY

STATE ELECTION BOARD

ATTEST:

Notary Public

My Commission expires on: $\frac{9/1/27}{}$