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2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature**



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April 14th – April 18th, 2021
Virtual (Zoom)

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Schedule of Events

Second Session of the Fifty-Second Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

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NOTE: Events in *Italics* are optional for delegates

Wednesday April 14th	Activity	Location
BEFORE 3:00 pm	Send SOS session payment confirmation	secretaryofstate@okoil.org
Beginning at 3:00 pm	House/Senate Welcome	House/Senate Zoom Rooms
4:00 – 4:30 pm	Press Corp. Orientation (all press competitors)	Press Zoom Room
4:00 – 4:30 pm	Moot Court Orientation (all moot competitors)	Court/Moot Zoom Room
4:30 – 5:00 pm	Senate Orientation (only 0 stars and leadership)	Senate Zoom Room
4:30 – 5:00 pm	House Orientation (only 0 stars and leadership)	House Zoom Room
5:00 – 6:30 pm	Opening Joint Session	House Zoom Room
6:30 – END	Committee Session/Practice Round	House/Senate/Court Zoom Rooms
Thursday April 15th		
8:30 – 9:00 am	Press Corp Meeting	Press Zoom Room
9:00 – 10:00 am	Chambers convene/Committee Session	House/Senate Zoom Rooms
10:00 – 12:00 pm	Committee Session/General Session	House/Senate Zoom Rooms
9:00 am – 12:00 pm	Moot Court Practice Rounds/Session	Court/Moot Zoom Room
12:00 – 1:30 pm	Lunch Break	
1:30 – 8:00 pm	Legislative General Session	House/Senate Zoom Rooms
1:30 – 8:00 pm	Moot Court Session	Court/Moot Zoom Room
8:00 – 8:30 pm	<i>Virtual Event TBD</i>	<i>Exec Zoom Room</i>
Friday April 16th		
8:30 – 9:00 am	Press Corp Meeting	Press Zoom Room
9:00 am – 12:00 pm	Legislative General Session	House/Senate Zoom Rooms
9:00 am – 12:00 pm	Moot Court Session	Court/Moot Zoom Room
12:00 – 1:30 pm	Lunch Break	
1:30 – 8:00 pm	Legislative General Session	House/Senate Zoom Rooms
1:30 – 8:00 pm	Moot Court Session	Court/Moot Zoom Room
Saturday April 17th		
8:30 am – 9:00 am	Press Corp Meeting	Press Zoom Room
9:00 am – 12:00 pm	Legislative General Session	House/Senate Zoom Rooms
9:00 am – 12:00 pm	Moot Court Session	Court/Moot Zoom Room
12:00 – 1:30 pm	Lunch Break	
2:30 – 8:00 pm	Legislative General Session	House/Senate Zoom Rooms
2:30 – 8:00 pm	Moot Court Session	Court/Moot Zoom Room
Sunday April 18th		
8:30 – 9:00 am	Press Corp Meeting	Press Zoom Room
9:00 – 11:00 am	Legislative General Session	House/Senate Zoom Rooms
11:00 am – 12:00 pm	BREAK	
9:00 am – 2:00 pm	Moot Court Final Rounds	Court/Moot Zoom Room
12:00 – 3:30 pm	Legislative General Session/Wrap-Up	House/Senate Zoom Rooms
3:30 – 6:30 pm	Closing Joint Session	House Zoom Room

Delegation Chairs

East Central University	Lydia Bomboy
Northwestern Oklahoma State University	Jake Ervin
Oklahoma Baptist University	Amber Rodriguez
Oklahoma Panhandle State University	Stacy Jimenez
Oklahoma State University	Riley Pritzlaff
Oral Roberts University	Deborah Laker
Rogers State University	Kurt LeVan
Southeastern Oklahoma State University	Tammy Vo
Tulsa Community College	Jonica King
University of Oklahoma	Kayla Gillespie
University of Tulsa	Maggie Giovannetti

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Judiciary Committee Chair	Kale Parker
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Vice Chief Justice	Kathryn Kleiner
Associate Justice	Ruth Herman
Associate Justice	Alyssa Cross
Associate Justice	Emma Busby
Associate Justice	Noah Yust

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SENATE INTERNAL LEGISLATION

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Internal Resolution No. OU-001

By: Brewer (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

A Simple Resolution proposing changes to the Standing Rules of the Senate of the Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature; amending Section Three of the Code of Conduct; and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, A simple resolution is necessary to change the Standing Rules of the Senate, and

WHEREAS, This action is boorish, impolite, and insulting to the other members of the chamber, and

WHEREAS, It is also annoying and bothersome.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 52ND OKLAHOMA INTERCOLLEGIATE LEGISLATURE:

THAT, Section Three of the Code of Conduct for Senators of the Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature be amended as follows:

Section Three: DECORUM ON THE FLOOR

The following standards shall be established to ensure that the Senate shall be able to conduct its business quickly and in an orderly fashion:

1. Moving caucusing on the floor away from the speaking Senator.
2. Refraining from caucusing during a vote upon final passage.
3. Approaching the Presiding Officer only upon a request for permission to do so.
4. Refraining from passing between the Presiding Officer and the speaking Senator.
5. Refraining from:
 - A. Calling for Debate on the passage of any legislation, motion, or other action without the intent to participate in that Debate, or otherwise calling for Debate in bad faith; or
 - B. Making any other motion in bad faith or with the intent of obstructing the business of the body.

THAT; It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this resolution shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

HOUSE INTERNAL LEGISLATION

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Internal Bill No. OSU-501

By: Harbison (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to hazing; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE OKLAHOMA INTERCOLLEGIATE LEGISLATURE

- Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Comprehensive Hazing” Act of 2021.
- Section 2. DEFINITIONS
- A. “Hazing” the imposition of strenuous, often humiliating, tasks as part of a program of rigorous physical training and initiation
 - B. “Assault” make a physical attack on
 - C. “Harassment” aggressive pressure or intimidation
 - D. “Simulating” imitate the appearance or character of
 - E. “Consent” permission for something to happen or agreement to do something

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature Statutes to read as follows:

- A. No member shall initiate nor partake in the implementation of hazing. No member shall require another member to do any of the following: any form of exercise or physical activity; regiments public demeanor; individuals to walk or march in formation of any kind; publicly wearing apparel that is not normally in good taste; the ingestion of any substance; physical assault/harassment; dietary intake in any way; activity of a sexual nature or threatening to do so.
- B. No member shall initiate nor partake in the following: Not permitting individuals to speak for extended periods of time and/or forced exclusion from social contact; prohibition from speaking to college officials, faculty, foundation board members, organization members, leadership, roommates, or prohibition from speaking to family/friends even in emergency situations; deprivation of or interference with the maintenance of a normal schedule of bodily cleanliness; expecting certain items to always be in one’s possession that have no significance to the organization or that are physically burdensome or potentially dangerous; forcing members to perform individual acts or acts as a group which are crude, degrading and meant to embarrass and/or humiliate; assigning or endorsing pranks such as borrowing or stealing items, painting property and objects of

others, or harassing other individuals or groups; non-physical harassment including yelling and screaming or calling individuals demeaning names; requiring any personal servitude to another individual or group such as running errands, cleaning, making food runs, cooking, performing someone else's academic work, requiring a member to be a designated driver; questioning under pressure including using line-ups or drills; simulating activity of a sexual nature, or threatening to do so; expecting illegal activity or threatening to require illegal activity; psychological games used to intimidate members, isolating members and/or abandoning or falsely imprisoning members.

- C. Hazing shall still be considered hazing regardless of consent. No member shall agree to any of the aforementioned activities or any unauthorized activities.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. Any member who violates this law shall be subject to an immediate investigation by the Foundation Board Members and upon conviction, warrant the removal of their membership. Penalty can include and is not limited to expulsion, suspension, written reprimand, institutional notification.

Section 5. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Internal Bill No. OSU-502

By: Harbison (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to awards; providing short title; amending Section 104, Chapter One, Title Nine of the Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature Statutes; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE OKLAHOMA INTERCOLLEGIATE LEGISLATURE

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Remembering Andrew Steadley” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY Section 104, Chapter One of Title Nine of the Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature shall be amended to read as follows:

SECTION 104: There is hereby created a the “Andrew Steadley Distinguished Delegate Award”. ~~“Distinguished Delegate Award”~~. This award shall be given to a delegate or member who has gone “above and beyond” what is expected out of a delegate or member of the Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature, and shall receive a trophy stating as such. This award shall not consist of any points, and therefore shall not impact the outcome of the “Outstanding Delegation Award”.

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

SENATE LEGISLATION

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
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Senate Bill No. NWOSU-001

By: Cook (NWOSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to education; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Anti-Indoctrination” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. Critical race theory - the view that the law and legal institutions are inherently racist and that race itself, and is a socially constructed concept that is used by white people to further their economic and political interests at the expense of people of color’s social, economic, and legal status.

Section 3. NEW LAW. A new section of the law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes:

1. Any school, university, or institution of learning within the borders of the state of Oklahoma shall not teach as factual or credible Critical Race Theory or any curriculum that might not be so named but holds within it the same content.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. Should a school, college, or any institution of learning within the borders of Oklahoma not comply with this statute the institution in question, if having failed to comply after one hundred (100) days of being notified of their violation, shall lose all state funding and shall be fined one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000).

Section 5. This act shall become effective one (1) year after passage and approval.

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2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OBU-001

Rodriguez (OBU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to public attire; providing short title; providing for codification; providing for penalties and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Make Oklahoma Fan-stache-tic” Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

1. All residents are required to wear a fake moustache when out in public.
 - a. Residents already possessing a moustache will not be exempt.

Section 3: PENALTIES

1. First offense will constitute in a five dollar (\$5) fine.
2. Second offense the offender will be subject to life in prison.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
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Senate Bill No. OPSU-001

By: Jimenez (OPSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to the potential harm of men leaving the toilet seat up; providing a short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Stuck in the Toilet” Act of 2021

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. Man- an adult male human being.
- B. Adult- a person who by virtue of attaining a certain age, generally eighteen, is regarded in the eyes of the law as being able to manage his or her own affairs.
- C. Toilet seat- an oval or circular ring usually of wood or plastic attached to the top of a toilet bowl at the back to support the buttocks and often covered with a hinged top.
- D. Household- a house and its occupants regarded as a unit.
- E. Injury- is damage to the body caused by external force, and may be caused by accidents, falls, hits, weapons, and other causes.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified into the Oklahoma Statutes and to read as follows:

- 1. An injured homeowner has the right to report and file a complaint to local law enforcement.
 - a. The report must be relating to the injury caused by the upright position of the toilet seat.
- 2. The person who is filing or reporting the violation should give information about the violator and describe their injury.
 - a. The injuries must be visible for the law enforcement and/or paramedics to confirm the incident.
- 3. If the injured person has to go to the hospital or be transported to a medical facility to treat injuries, the violator is responsible of the medical expenses.
- 4. The violator should be eighteen (18) years old or older to be convicted of this crime.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. The first warning will result in a verbal warning from authorities and let the violator set free.
- B. Second (2nd) warning results in providing services to the injured party for a minimum of two (2) days and the maximum of seven (7) days.
 - a. Violator will check in with the police department office when they are serving time.
 - b. Injured parties will also keep a log to track the amount of time the violator was of service to them.
 - c. Services should not involve any illegal activity or risk the livelihood of the violator.
- C. Third (3rd) and final warning results in providing services to the injured party for two (2) months.
 - a. Violator will follow the same process as explained in section D subsection a-c.
 - b. Instead of offering services to the injured party, the violator will be cleaning all of the bathrooms in the party's household.
 - c. They will be provided with bathroom cleaning supplies, as well as protective gear to protect them from the harmful fumes and liquids.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill ORU-001

Dangtounda (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to expanding child support – parental rights and duties to include monthly payment into a child’s college fund; providing a short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Equal Education Opportunity” Act of 2021.

Section 2. Definitions:

1. “Adult child” means a child eighteen (18) years of age or older.
2. “Child” means a son or daughter of any age.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Creating college accounts for the child (each child) with monthly deposits of a set amount by both parents or guardians of the child (or children).
 - a. Each child shall have a separate college account.
 - b. Both parents or guardians of the child shall have joint and equal access to the child/ children’s college account but may not withdraw from this account ANY amount at ANY point in time that does not relate to the child’s university.
 - c. It will be at the discretion of the court to set the amount of money each parent or guardian will deposit monthly into this college account on a case-by-case basis. This set amount will be based on the money each parent or guardian makes and can give.
 - d. At the age of eighteen (18), if the child decides to attend an institution of education, the child shall obtain control of their college account but still with both parents or guardians as joint owners of the account. The child then proceeds to use the funds in the account only for payments surrounding their education.
 - e. If the child opts out of attending an educational institution, both parents or guardians will retain control of the account until the child is twenty-one (21) years of age, and then they will give complete control of the account to their then adult child.
 1. Parents or guardians will no longer be co-owners of the account
 2. After the child turns eighteen (18) years of age, the parents or guardians will no longer be required to deposit monthly amounts into the college account; however, they may continue to do so if they wanted to.
 - f. If the child initially decided to attend an educational institution at eighteen (18) and then decides to opt-out before their twenty-first (21st) birthday, the college account funds shall

be placed under the control of the parents or guardians once again until the child's twenty-first (21st) birthday.

1. However, if the child decides to re-enroll in an educational institution before their twenty-first (21st) birthday, the college account funds can be used for their academic endeavors.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. The local district attorney's office shall retain the power to enforce these penalties. Punishment for failing to meet these requirements including but not limited to:
 - a. Finding contempt of court, Fines, of up to the deposit amounts missed and owed in the college account and Garnishment of wages, including unemployment and workers. Compensation. Denial of tax refunds, Exclusion from receipt of certain government benefits, and Revocation of passport. Suspension, Revocation, or denial of various licenses—professional, driver's, hunting/fishing/boating, and having a lien placed on property to cover the payment.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. ORU-002

Dangtounda (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to police reform, providing a short title, providing for definitions, providing for codification, and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “The Responsibility to Educate” Act of 2021.

Section 2. Definitions:

- A. “Educational Requirements” means all applicable laws, regulations, rules, determinations, orders, and standards relating to or administered by any Educational Agency or relating to any Student Financial Assistance Program, including all statutory and regulatory provisions related to the Title IV Programs.
- B. “Police Department” is an official organization that is responsible for making sure that people obey the law.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. In conjunction with the already existing police training, to qualify to be an officer of the law, all personnel must have at least an associate degree in whichever field of study from an accredited educational institution.
 - a. In partnership with local colleges and universities, the local police department would set up recruitment programs for students and an education program for officers called Educating our Officers. Therefore, these partnerships' current officers only holding the level of a high school diploma will be trained to get an associate.
 - I. Workshops and seminars will be made available on information’s pertaining to the police for college students at public universities and colleges.
 - II. They educate our officer program and help all current officers who will need to attend an educational institution arrange and balance their work and school schedules.
 - III. All police departments will be required to make necessary adjustments for current officers attending an educational institution.

1. Adjustments will be included but are not limited to
 - a. Working with officer schedule
 - b. Arranging offices schedule so that they can attend night classes off the clock.
- C. If night classes are not an option due to special cases, these specific officers paid time for a maximum of three (3) different class sessions.
 - I. An adjustment period of five (5) years will be allocated to permit all current officers required to have some form of secondary education to do so.
2. After five (5) years, offices that have refused or have not been able to complete these educational requirements will be terminated from their station of employment.
3. Officers that have been terminated at the end of these five (5) years for not meeting the educational requirement will be allowed to return to their station only if and when they have completed the educational requirement.

Section 4. This act shall become effective one-hundred-eighty (180) days after passage and approval.

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2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. ORU-003

Hunter (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to energy; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Solar” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Property tax”- A tax paid on property owned by an individual or other legal entity.
- B. “Solar property tax exemption”– Property tax exemptions allow businesses and homeowners to exclude the added value of a solar system from the valuation of their property for taxation purposes.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Oklahoma shall allow solar property tax exemptions, exempting renewable energy systems used to meet on-site electricity, heating, cooling, or general energy needs from local property taxes.
 - 1. Eligible energy systems include Solar Water Heat, Solar Space Heat, Geothermal Electric, Solar Thermal Process Heat, Solar Photovoltaics, Wind (All), Biomass, Hydroelectric, Geothermal Heat Pumps, Fuel Cells using Non-Renewable Fuels, Landfill Gas, Tidal, Wave, Wind (Small), Geothermal Direct-Use, Fuel Cells using Renewable Fuels.

B. The solar property tax exemption shall be applicable in Commercial, Industrial, and Residential sectors.

- 3. In order to claim the exemption, property owners must apply for a certificate from their local assessor which will reduce the assessed value of their property to what it would be without the renewable energy system.
 - 1. Exemptions will take effect one (1) year after a certification is granted.
 - a. If a property owner does not apply for a certificate from their local assessor, then the solar property tax exemption will not be applicable to them.
- 4. Rules related to the technical qualifications for eligible renewable energy systems will be developed by the Oklahoma Corporation Commission.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. ORU-004

Hunter (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to education; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “No Child Left Out in the Cold” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Winter Coat” – An outer garment worn by people during the winter or in cold weather to retain body heat.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

1. Every public elementary, middle, and high school in the state of Oklahoma shall be eligible each year to receive funds through the Oklahoma Department of Education in order to provide winter coats to students who do not have and cannot afford a winter coat.
 1. Each public elementary, middle, and high school will be required to survey their student body each year in order to ascertain which, if any, of their students are in need of a winter coat.
 - a. Each public school shall survey their student body no later than the fifteenth (15th) of September each year.
 - b. Each of the schools must send in a report with the results of their surveys and a request for funding to the Oklahoma Department of Education no later than October 1st each year.
 - c. If a school has no students in need of winter coats, it must still report the results of its survey to the Oklahoma Department of Education.
 2. The Oklahoma Department of Education is tasked with creating the survey for all public schools to use each year so the questions will be the same in every school.
 3. The Oklahoma Department of Education shall be tasked with reviewing each request for funding by examining the results of each school’s survey.
 - a. Each school shall be allocated fifty dollars (\$50) per student for the sole purpose of buying the student or students a winter coat.
 - b. All funds and monies for this program shall be provided for by the Oklahoma State Department of Education.
 - c. Every school shall submit an expenditure report yearly by the fifteenth (15th) of November to the State Department of Education.

4. The Oklahoma Department of Education will use the results of the surveys each year as a way to gather regional data on poverty trends.
1. Each school that is approved for funding must only use the allocated funds for the sole purpose of buying winter coats for the exact number of students approved by the Oklahoma Department of Education.
 - a. Each school will be required to send proof of purchase along with any remaining money back to the Oklahoma Department of Education each year.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. Any school that is found to have falsified survey results, proof of purchase of winter coats, used the funds for things other than the sole purpose of buying students winter coats, or is found in violation of any of the above laws will be fined up to one-thousand dollars (\$1,000) per incident or per student.
2. If a school did not submit the results of its survey in time, it will not be fined on the first (1st) offense, but will be served a written warning.
 - a. Each instance after the first (1st) offense, the school will be charged a five-hundred dollar (\$500) fine.

Section 5. This act shall become effective in the 2021-22 school year after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. ORU-005

Hunter (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to education; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Farm to School Funding” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

1. Income Tax Form – The official government documents an individual is required to fill out when you pay your taxes.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

1. Oklahoman taxpayers shall have the opportunity to support Farm to School activities in the State of Oklahoma on their 2022 income tax form.
 - A. The Oklahoma department of Agriculture, Food and Forestry shall establish a fund specifically for the Farm to School program.
 - a. This fund will be established to allow taxpayers to donate a portion of their tax refund or make a contribution to help establish school gardens and purchase equipment and educational materials to promote students' consumption of local produce.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. ORU-006

Rollinson (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

A new government policy relating to Obesity; providing for short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This policy will be called the “Obesity Act of 2021.”

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Obesity” — a chronic, relapsing, multifactorial, neurobehavioral disease, wherein an increase in body fat promotes adipose tissue dysfunction and abnormal fat mass physical forces, resulting in adverse metabolic, biomechanical, and psychosocial health consequences.”

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Parents and legal guardians must help control the weight of their child or children between the ages four (4) and twelve (12), by enforcing healthy eating habits and exercise at home.
- B. Public schools must receive a record of the child’s weight at the starting date of the new school year from a doctor, signed and dated.
- C. The blood pressure of the child must be provided on the record.
 - 1. This act will not affect school lunch programs or government funding for afterschool programs that promote physical activity for children.
 - 2. This act will consider hereditary medical conditions in children

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) following its passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. ORU-007

Rollinson (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

A new government policy relating to pesticides; providing for short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This policy will be called the “Pesticide Act of 2021”

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

A. “Pesticide”— a substance used for destroying insects or other organisms harmful to cultivated plants or to animals

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Landowners are required to limit the amount of pesticide used around any occupied land in their name.
- B. Pesticides can be used no more than one (1) time a month.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. A one-hundred dollar (\$100) fine will be issued for a landowner that is caught spraying more than once a month.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) following its passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. ORU-008

Rollinson (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

A new government policy relating to mental health; providing for short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This policy will be called the “Emotional Act of 2021”

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Perceived Stress Scale” --- a psychological instrument for measuring the perception of stress. It is a measure of the degree to which situations in one’s life are appraised as stressful.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Any faculty or staff who works with children in grade school must take the Perceived Stress Scale every two (2) weeks and report it to HR.
- B. If faculty or staff receive individually a high score, they must meet with a counselor weekly at a clinic to receive help.
- C. If the faculty or staff member does not show improvement within six (6) months, prior to their test and counseling sessions, they must be terminated.
- D. What determines the termination is a report written by the counselor of the faculty or staff member.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) following its passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. ORU-009

Thomas (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to taxation; providing short title; providing definitions; providing for codification and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Tradesman Taxation” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. Tradesman –A worker in a skilled specialized trade such as welders, electricians, carpenters, blacksmiths, masons, etc.
- B. Journeyman – A level of certification proving experience and training in their specific field.
- C. Mastery- the highest level of certification in a trade.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma

Statutes to read as follows:

- A. This act shall provide a tax incentive to those with certification, or other proof of proficiency, working within their field.
 - 1. The tax-incentive will correlate to the level of certification in their field.
 - a. Those with journeyman, or intermediate certification shall receive a twenty-five percent (25%) reduction to their State tax on their income earned in the related position related Profession.
 - b. Those with a mastery certification of their trade or skill shall receive a fifty percent (50%) reduction to their State tax on their income earned in the related position related Profession.
 - c. The Tax reduction will only apply to the Income earned in the trade in which they are certified.
 - d. Employees are responsible for supplying credentials to employers, and employers are required to verify the credentials.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. ORU-010

Thomas (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to agriculture; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Cover Crop” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. Cover Crop – A crop which primary function is to improve the quality of the soil, manage soil erosion, and promote biodiversity.
- B. Acre – 1Acer = 43,560 sq’
- C. Farm- an area of land and its buildings used for growing crops and rearing animals

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. This act will require agricultural farms, and agricultural farm leases totaling over 300 acres to plant cover crops in the season after their primary harvest.
 - 1. All agricultural farms or leased agricultural farm land owned by the same company, parent company, or individual totaling over 500 acres will be required to plant cover crops.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. Failure to comply will result in a five thousand dollar (\$5,000) fine, increasing for every subsequent violation

Section 5. This act shall become effective two (2) years after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. ORU-011

von Atzigen (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

A new government policy relating to the advertising of prices. Providing for short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This policy will be called the “Face Value” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Retail Locations” - any business engaged in the selling of goods or services to consumers.
- B. “Advertised Price”- the price for a good or service as shown on any material within a retail location or on any advertisements provided by the retail location.
- C. “Point of Sale”- the place at which goods are retailed.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. The advertised price for any goods or services in any retail location within the state of Oklahoma shall include all taxes applied at the point of sale.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. Any business found in violation may be subject to suspension of any applicable licensing and a fine of up to ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) per instance of violation.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) following its passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. ORU-012

von Atzigen (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

A new government policy relating to the management of natural resources on government property. Providing for short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This policy will be called the “Native Plants Act” of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Native Plants” — Plant life natural occurring in the regional area without human interference.
- B. “Recreational Land” — Any parks or land owned by the state or local government that has been opened to the public for recreational use.
- C. “Landscaping” -Management of an area’s geography and plant life through selective planting and growing of certain plant species for aesthetic or recreational reasons.
- D. “Educational”- Publicly owned land that is used to showcase specific plant species.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Any government land, such as recreational land, office building areas, or public universities operating on government granted land will henceforth only utilize native plants in their landscaping unless the area is used as educational land or sufficient reason is given as to why the area requires non-native plants for reasons other than aesthetics.
- B. Non-native plants planted before the passage and effective date of the bill will not be required to be removed. Subsequent replanting are not protected.
- C. If a non-native species of plant can be shown to require a similar or lesser amount of natural resources than an equivalent native species, it shall be allowed to be used in landscaping.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. Any public university found to be in violation will be fined in accordance with the amount of wasted resources as determined by the proper authorities.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) following its passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OSU-001

By: Boudreau (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to Schedule II Controlled Substances; providing short title; amending OS 63 § 2.2.206; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Kratom” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY An addition to the Oklahoma Statutes Title 63.2.2.206 to read as follows:

B. Any of the following opiates, including their isomers, esters, ethers, salts, and salts of isomers, esters and ethers, when the existence of these isomers, esters, ethers, and salts is possible within the specific chemical designation:

1. Alphaprodine;
2. Anileridine;
3. Bezitramide;
4. Dihydrocodeine;
5. Diphenoxylate;
6. Fentanyl;
7. Hydromorphone;
8. Isomethadone;
9. Levomethorphan;
10. Levorphanol;
11. Metazocine;
12. Methadone;
13. Methadone - Intermediate, 4-cyano-2-dimethylamino-4, 4-diphenyl butane;
14. Moramide - Intermediate, 2-methyl-3-morpholino-1, 1-diphenyl-propane-carboxylic acid;
15. Oxycodone;
16. Oxymorphone;
17. Pethidine (Meperidine);
18. Pethidine - Intermediate - A, 4-cyano-1-methyl-4-phenylpiperidine;
19. Pethidine - Intermediate - B, ethyl-4-phenylpiperidine-4-carboxylate;
20. Pethidine - Intermediate - C, 1-methyl-4-phenylpiperidine-4-carboxylic acid;
21. Phenazocine;
22. Piminodine;
23. Racemethorphan;
24. Racemorphan;

25. Etorphine Hydrochloride salt only;
26. Alfentanil hydrochloride;
27. Levo-alphaacetylmethadol;
28. Codeine;
29. Hydrocodone;
30. Morphine;
31. Remifentanil;
32. Sufentanil;
33. Tapentadol; ~~or~~
34. Tianeptine; or
35. Mitragyna

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OSU-002

By: Carter (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act prohibiting colleges and universities from adjudicating sexual assault cases; providing short title; providing definitions; providing codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. "Public university or college" means any educational institution that offers two (2) year associate's degrees and/or four (4) year bachelor's degrees and receives funding by public means through the national government.
- B. "Private university or college" means any educational institution that offers two (2) year associate's degrees and/or four (4) year bachelor's degrees and receives no federal funding
- C. "Sexual assault" means any type of sexual contact or behavior that occurs without the explicit consent of the recipient. Falling under the definition of sexual assault are sexual activities as forced sexual intercourse, forcible sodomy, child molestation, incest, fondling, and attempted rape.
- D. "Adjudicating" means making a formal judgment on the disputed allegations.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Public or private universities or colleges shall be prohibited from adjudicating sexual assault cases themselves.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. The violation of the provisions of this section shall be punishable by criminal charges against the school as an entity or faculty member(s) responsible as chosen by the prosecuting attorney assigned by the state.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OSU-003

By: Carter (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to eliminating homestead property taxes for eligible adults; providing short title; providing definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Helping Senior Citizens and Disabled Oklahomans Afford Housing” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

A. Total permanent disability is a condition in which an individual is no longer able to work due to injuries.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Property owners who are over sixty five (65) years of age, or permanently and totally disabled (regardless of age), or blind (regardless of age), shall be exempt from the state portion of property tax on their permanent residence.
- B. In addition to one of the above qualifications, the property owner’s annual gross household income must be classified as low based on the yearly amounts set by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development for their respective county.
- C. Exemptions shall be claimed through the property owners’ local taxing official.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OSU-004

By: Carter (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to vapor product packaging; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “E-Cigarette Warning Label” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. "Vapor product" shall mean noncombustible products, that may or may not contain nicotine, that employ a mechanical heating element, battery, electronic circuit, or other mechanism, regardless of shape or size, that can be used to produce a vapor in a solution or other form. "Vapor products" shall include any vapor cartridge or other container with or without nicotine or other form that is intended to be used with an electronic cigarette, electronic cigar, electronic cigarillo, electronic pipe, or similar product or device and any vapor cartridge or other container of a solution, that may or may not contain nicotine, that is intended to be used with or in an electronic cigarette, electronic cigar, electronic cigarillo or electronic device. "Vapor products" do not include any products regulated by the United States Food and Drug Administration under Chapter V of the Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. It shall be unlawful for any person to manufacture, package, sell, offer to sell, distribute, or import for sale or distribution within the state of Oklahoma any vapor products that the package fails to bear, in accordance with the requirements of this law, one of the following labels: WARNING: Vapor products are addictive. WARNING: It is illegal to give vapor products to children. WARNING: Vapor products have been linked to fatal lung disease. WARNING: Vapor products have been linked to lung problems. WARNING: Teens who use vapor products are more likely to begin smoking cigarettes. WARNING: Using

vapor products during pregnancy can harm your baby. WARNING: Some substances found in e-cigarette vapor have been linked to an increased risk of cancer. WARNING: There is no information available about the long-term health impact of this product.

2. Placement; Typography; etc. Each label statement shall be located in the upper portion of the front and rear panels of the package, directly on the package underneath the cellophane or other clear wrapping. Each label statement shall comprise the top fifty percent (50%) of the front and rear panels of the package. The word 'WARNING' shall appear in capital letters and all text shall be in conspicuous and legible 17-point type, unless the text of the label statement would occupy more than seventy percent (70%) of such area, in which case the text may be in a smaller conspicuous and legible type size, provided that at least sixty percent (60%) of such area is occupied by required text. The text shall be black on a white background, or white on a black background, in a manner that contrasts, by typography, layout, or color, with all other printed material on the package, in an alternating fashion.
3. Applicability to Retailers. A retailer of cigarettes shall not be in violation of this law for packaging that
 - a. contains a warning label;
 - b. is supplied to the retailer by a license- or permit-holding vapor product manufacturer, importer, or distributor; and
 - c. is not altered by the retailer in a way that is material to the requirements of this law.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. Any person or company that manufactures, packages, sells, offers to sell, distributes, or imports for sale or distribution within the state of Oklahoma any vapor products of which the package fails to bear a warning label in accordance with the requirements of section 3 shall be subject to a ten thousand dollar (\$10,000) fine upon the first occurrence.
2. The fine shall increase by five thousand dollars (\$5,000) upon each following violation.
3. Should a person or company violate the law more than three (3) times, they shall be banned from manufacturing, packaging, selling, offering to sell, distributing, or importing for sale or distribution any vapor products in the state of Oklahoma.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OSU-005

By: Carter (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to discontinuing life without parole sentences for nonviolent crimes; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Abolish Life Without Parole for Nonviolent Crimes” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. Life without parole shall be defined as a person spending the rest of their life in prison. The criminal sentence does not include an option for parole.
2. Nonviolent crimes shall be defined as any crime or offense that is not classified as violent based on Oklahoma Statutes Title 21. Crimes and Punishments.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read
as follows:

1. Sentences of life without parole for nonviolent crimes shall hereby be abolished in the State of Oklahoma.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OSU-006

By: Dearborn (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to extending time for absentee voting; providing short title; amending O.S. 26 § 115.4; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Let’s Vote” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY O.S. 26 § 115.4 is amended to read as follows:

A. 1. A registered voter may apply for an in-person absentee ballot at a location designated by the secretary of the county election board from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. on ~~Thursday and Friday~~ Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday immediately preceding any election and from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday immediately preceding a state or federal election. As part of the application for an in-person absentee ballot such registered voter shall swear or affirm that the voter has not voted a regular mail absentee ballot and that the voter will not vote at the regular polling place in the election for which the in-person absentee ballot is requested.

2. The secretary of the county election board in counties with twenty-five thousand (25,000) or more registered voters, or with an area in excess of one thousand five hundred (1,500) square miles, may designate more than one location as an in-person absentee polling place for an election, subject to the approval of and pursuant to the rules and procedures prescribed by the Secretary of the State Election Board.

B. 1. The voter also shall provide proof of identity as defined in Section 7-114 of this title. If the voter declines to or is unable to produce proof of identity, the voter may sign a statement under oath, in a form approved by the Secretary of the State Election Board, swearing or affirming that the person is the person identified on the precinct registry, and shall be allowed to cast a provisional ballot as provided in Section 7-116.1 of this title.

2. False swearing or affirming under oath shall be punishable as a felony as provided in Section 16-103 of this title, and the penalty shall be distinctly set forth on the face of the statement.

C. One or more absentee voting boards shall be on duty at the in-person absentee polling place on the days and during the hours set forth in subsection A of this section. If the secretary of a county election board receives an application from a registered voter requesting to vote by in-person absentee ballot the secretary shall cause to be implemented the following procedures:

1. An absentee voting board shall provide to each registered voter who applies for an in-person absentee ballot appropriate ballots and materials as may be necessary to vote;
2. The voter must sign an in-person absentee voter record, and the signature of the voter on such record must be certified by both members of the absentee voting board, except that the secretary of the county election board and one other member of the absentee voting board may certify the signature of another member of the absentee voting board;
3. The voter must mark the ballots of the voter in the manner provided by law in the presence of the absentee voting board, but in such a manner as to make it impossible for any person other than the voter to ascertain how such ballots are marked. Insofar as is possible, the voting procedure shall be the same as if the voter were casting a vote in person at a precinct;
4. The voter shall then deposit the ballot in a voting device designated for in-person absentee voting by the secretary of the county election board;
5. When the in-person polling place is closed on each day of in-person absentee voting the in-person absentee voting board shall, without obtaining a printout of results, remove the electronic results storage media from the voting device and seal ballots counted that day in a transfer case which shall be secured by the sheriff of the county in the same manner as provided in Section 8-110 of this title. The electronic results storage media shall be sealed in a container prescribed by the Secretary of the State Election Board. The sheriff shall secure the sealed electronic results storage media container and return it to the in-person absentee voting board no later than 7:45 a.m. on the next day of in-person absentee voting or to the secretary of the county election board at the time of the county election board meeting to count absentee ballots on election day; and
6. If there is a malfunction in such a way that the electronic results storage media used for in-person absentee voting will not function, the sheriff is authorized to return the transfer cases containing in-person absentee ballots to the county election board to be recounted as provided in Section 7-134.1 of this title.

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OSU-007

By: Dearborn (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to non-disclosure agreements in sexual harassment cases; providing short title; providing definitions; providing codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Stop the Silence” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. Non-Disclosure Agreement (NDA)- A confidentiality agreement or contract provision that prevents the disclosure of information by a party to the contract.
2. Sexual Harassment- Unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature constitutes sexual harassment when submission to or rejection of this conduct explicitly or implicitly affects an individual's employment, unreasonably interferes with an individual's work performance or creates an intimidating, hostile or offensive work environment.
3. Sexual Assault- any type of sexual contact or behavior that occurs without explicit consent of the recipient including, but not limited to, forced sexual intercourse, forcible sodomy, child molestation, child sexual abuse, incest, fondling and all attempts to complete any of the aforementioned acts.
4. Employer- A person or entity that hires the services of another.
5. Employee- A person who is hired to work for another person or business for compensation, and is provided with directions and details how to do the job.
6. Adverse Action- Adverse Action includes failure to hire, demotion, discrimination in terms of employment, suspension, discharge, or other retaliatory action that would persuade a reasonable person from bringing a complaint or action, or testifying in an action in violation of this section.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

1. Victims of sexual harassment or sexual assault in the workplace will not be prohibited by the terms of a previous non-disclosure agreement from participating in criminal proceedings pertaining to their abuse should they choose to do so.
2. Employers may not take adverse action against an employee or prospective employee should they choose not to sign a non-disclosure agreement upon hire or at another point in employment.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. Any business or employer who takes adverse action against an employee or prospective employee shall be fined one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000).

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OSU-008

By: Fenderson (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to energy; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Non-Profit Alternative Energy” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. Applicant - The term “applicant” means a non-profit organization that applies for a grant under this section.
2. Renewable-Alternative Energy - The term “renewable/alternative energy” means any energy used throughout a man-made structure for human activity, which is collected from renewable sources.
3. Nonprofit building- a property or building operated and owned by an organization listed in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and exempt from tax under section 501(a) of said Code.
4. Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality (ODEQ) – state department responsible for air, land and water quality upkeep.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. No later than two (2) years after the date this Act is enacted, the ODEQ shall establish a pilot program to award grants for the purpose of providing nonprofits which rely on renewable alternative energy.
2. Grants.
 - a. Under reasonable assumption- The ODEQ may award grants under the program to establish under subsection (1).
 - b. Application- The ODEQ may award a grant under subsection (a) if an applicant submits to the ODEQ an application at such in and form with the information the ODEQ may prescribe.

- c. Criteria for grant. – In choosing whether or not to award grants under subsection (1), the ODEQ shall apply performance-based criteria, which shall give priority to applicants on the basis of
 - i. The energy savings achieved;
 - ii. The cost effectiveness of the use of renewable/alternative energy;
 - iii. The efficiency of the plan in verification of energy savings, evaluation, measurement, and the financial need of the applicant
- d. Limitation on individual grant amount- Each grant awarded under this section shall not exceed two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000).

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OSU-009

By: Ray (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to establishment of a mental health division; providing short title; providing codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Men” Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. The commissioner by rule shall establish the Student Mental Health division within the Oklahoma State Department of Education to:
 1. develop and administer a plan to identify, leverage, and align existing agency resources to promote the academic success of students with mental illness or students who are at risk of having mental illness, including students who are in special education programs under Subchapter A, Chapter 29; and
 2. promote strong local and statewide school-community partnerships by coordinating with other relevant state agencies, including the Oklahoma Human Services, the Oklahoma State Department of Health, the Oklahoma Employment Security Commission, and the Office of Juvenile affairs.
- B. As soon as practicable after the effective date of this Act, the commissioner of the Oklahoma State Department of Education shall adopt rules establishing the student mental health division within the agency.

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OSU-010

By: Ray (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to amending birth certificates; providing short title; providing for definitions; amending Section 310:105-3-5 of the Oklahoma State Statutes; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Birth Certificate” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. "Actual gender identity" shall be defined as a person's internal sense of being male, female, a gender different from the gender assigned at birth, or a transgender person.
- B. “Assigned gender identity” shall be defined as the classification of an infant as male, female or intersex at the time of birth, that may or may not reflect the person’s internal gender identity and expression.
- C. "Licensed and qualified healthcare provider" shall be defined as a treating and licensed physician, physician assistant, psychologist, advanced practice registered nurse, clinical social worker, or clinical mental health counselor.
- D. “Notarized certification” shall be defined as a sworn affidavit by a physician licensed to practice medicine in this state that includes the provisions outlined in subsection 1 of section (e) of this act.
- E. “New birth record” shall be defined as an amended official document issued to record a person's birth, reflecting changes in identifying data as name and gender from assigned name and gender identity to actual name and gender identity by incorporating the provisions outlined in subsection 4 of section (e) of this act.
- F. “Physician-patient relationship” shall be deemed to exist if the named individual is currently or was previously under the signing health care provider's care.

Section 3. AMENDATORY Section 310:105-3-5 of the Oklahoma State Statutes to be amended as follows:

- (a) Legitimacy of child born out of wedlock. The State Commissioner of Health shall establish a new certificate of birth for a person born in this State and whose birth certificate indicates the birth occurred out of wedlock when he receives a written request from the person, or either of the parents, and evidence proving that such person has been legitimated. Such evidence shall consist of a sworn statement by the mother and the husband that he is the natural father of the child

whose certificate is to be replaced. The above-mentioned sworn statement must be accompanied by a certified copy of the parents' marriage license. The sworn acknowledgement of the parents and the certified copy of the marriage license shall be retained with the original certificate of birth in the confidential files of the Vital Records Division and shall not be subject to inspection, except upon order of a court of competent jurisdiction.

(b) Adoption. The State Commissioner of Health shall establish a new certificate of birth for a person born in this State when furnished with an adoption certificate as provided in the Uniform Adoption Act, or a certified copy of the decree of adoption together with the information necessary to identify the original certificate of birth and to establish a new certificate of birth.

(c) When the State Commissioner of Health or the State Registrar receives an adoption certificate or a certified copy of the Decree of Adoption from a court for a person born outside this State, such record shall be forwarded to the appropriate State Registrar or registration authority in the State of birth.

(d) Adoption of foreign born; certificate of birth.

(1) The State Commissioner or State Registrar may upon request prepare and register a certificate of birth in this State for a person born in a foreign country who is not a citizen of the United States and who was adopted under the provisions of Oklahoma Statutes in this State. The certificate may be established upon receipt of an adoption certificate as provided for in the Uniform Adoption Act, or a certified copy of the decree of adoption. The information contained in the certificate of or decree of adoption shall set forth the actual date of the adopted persons birth. A request must also be made to the State Registrar by the Court, the adopting parents, or their attorney, or the adopted person if of legal age that such a certificate be prepared. Such "Certificate of Foreign Birth" shall be on a form prescribed by the State Registrar and shall be labeled "Certificate of Foreign Birth" and shall show the actual country of birth and actual date of birth. A statement shall also be included on the certificate indicating that it is not evidence of United States Citizenship for the person for whom it is issued.

(2) After registration of the "Certificate of Foreign Birth" in the new name of the adopted person, the State Registrar shall seal and file the evidence of adoption and it shall not be subject to inspection except upon order of a court of competent jurisdiction.

(3) A "Certificate of Foreign Birth" registered in accordance with the above provisions shall not be amended except upon order of a court of competent jurisdiction. Such a certificate shall then be "amended" only by adding a page providing the Court's findings. Upon receipt of notice of annulment of adoption, from a court of competent jurisdiction in this State, the State Registrar shall so mark the "Certificate of Foreign Birth" and shall follow the directive of the court.

(4) The evidentiary value of a "Certificate of Foreign Birth" shall be determined by the judicial or administrative body or official before whom the certificate is offered as evidence.

(5) The State Registrar shall establish a system for filing, preserving and issuance of certified copies of "Certificate of Foreign Birth" shall so indicate the same as well as the actual country of birth and the fact the certificate is "not proof of United States Citizenship."

(e) If an individual requests a birth record reflecting a gender and name designation other than that which was assigned at birth, a new birth record shall be prepared to reflect a change in the individual's gender and name upon receipt of a notarized certification by a licensed and qualified health care provider affirming the individual's gender designation.

1. The notarized certification shall be signed by a qualified health care provider licensed to practice in the state and must include:

(A)the physician 's letterhead;

(B)the physician 's full name;

(C)the physician 's medical license number;

(D)the jurisdiction that issued the physician 's medical license;

(E)a statement that a physician-patient relationship exists between the physician and the applicant; and

(F)a statement that in the health care provider's professional opinion the individual's gender is male or female and can be reasonably expected to continue as such for the foreseeable future.

2. The application shall be signed by the applicant. This signature shall certify that the request for change of gender and name is for the purpose of ensuring that the applicant's birth record accurately reflects the applicant's gender, and that the request is not for any fraudulent or unlawful purpose. If the applicant is a minor who is at least fourteen (14) years of age but less than eighteen (18) years of age, the application shall be signed by the applicant and by each parent listed on the minor's birth certificate or the minor's legal guardian. If a parent listed on the birth certificate cannot be found, the applicant also shall submit a certified copy of a court order stating that the consent of only one parent is required. If a parent is deceased, a certified copy of the death certificate shall be submitted with the application.

3. The individual shall surrender any prior birth record issued by the state of Oklahoma in the individual's possession. The original birth record shall be retained by the city or town of birth. The city or town clerk shall submit the individual's application, the health care provider's certification, and a certified copy of the original birth record to the state registrar for review.

4. Upon approval by the state registrar, the city or town clerk shall issue a new birth record. The birth records shall reflect the following:

(A)the name and sex of the person after the certificate is issued;

(B)the date the certificate is issued;

(C)the person 's social security number and any driver 's license number;

(D)a marginal note indicating that the record has been amended in accordance with this paragraph; and

(E)the signature of the state registrar.

5. The fee to amend a birth record pursuant to this paragraph shall be as determined by the executive commissioner to be reasonable and necessary for the department to administer this section.
6. A change of name and sex certificate issued under this section constitutes proof of the change of name and sex of the person named in the certificate. Any subsequent amendment to the birth record regarding gender designation shall require a court order.
7. The executive commissioner shall adopt rules to implement this section.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OSU-011

By: Ray (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to inclusive healthcare insurance; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Protecting The LGBTQ Community” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. "Actual gender identity" shall be defined as a person's internal sense of being male, female, a gender different from the gender assigned at birth, or a transgender person.
- B. "Gender transition" shall refer to the process of a person changing the person's outward appearance or sex characteristics to accord with the person's actual gender identity.
- C. "Perceived gender identity" shall be defined as an observer's impression of another person's actual gender identity or the observer's own impression that the person is male, female, a gender different from the gender assigned at birth, or a transgender person.
- D. "Transgender person" shall be defined as a person who has gender dysphoria, has received health care services related to gender transition, or otherwise identifies as a gender different from the gender assigned to that person at birth."

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. No individual and group accident and health or sickness policy, contract, plan, or agreement that provides health care coverage shall discriminate with respect to participation and coverage under the policy, contract, plan, or agreement against any person on the basis of actual gender identity or perceived gender identity.
- B. Discrimination under this section includes the following:
 - 1. Denying, canceling, limiting, or refusing to issue or renew an insurance policy, contract, plan, or agreement on the basis of a transgender person's

- or the person's family member's actual gender identity or perceived gender identity;
2. Demanding or requiring a payment or premium that is based on a transgender person's or the person's family member's actual gender identity or perceived gender identity;
 3. Designating a transgender person's or the person's family member's actual gender identity or perceived gender identity as a preexisting condition to deny, cancel, or limit coverage; and
 4. Denying, canceling, or limiting coverage for services on the basis of actual gender identity or perceived gender identity including but not limited to the following:
 - a. Health care services related to gender transition; provided that there is coverage under the policy, contract, plan, or agreement for the services when the services are not related to gender transition; and
 - b. Health care services that are ordinarily or exclusively available to individuals of any sex.
- C. The medical necessity of any treatment for a transgender person or any person on the basis of actual gender identity or perceived gender identity shall be determined pursuant to the insurance policy, contract, plan, or agreement and shall be defined in accordance with the most recent edition of the Standards of Care for the Health of Transsexual, Transgender, and Gender Nonconforming People, issued by the World Professional Association for Transgender Health.
- D. All health care services related to gender transition treatments shall be considered medically necessary and not cosmetic; provided the policy also provides coverage for those services when the services are offered for purposes other than gender transition. These services may include, but are not limited to:
1. Hormone therapies;
 2. Hysterectomies;
 3. Mastectomies;
 4. Vocal training;
 5. Feminizing vaginoplasties;
 6. Masculinizing phalloplasties;
 7. Metaoidioplasties;
 8. Breast Augmentations;
 9. Masculinizing chest surgeries;
 10. Facial feminization surgeries;
 11. Reduction thyroid chondroplasties;
 12. Voice surgeries;
 13. Laser hair removal; and
 14. Smoking cessation therapies.
- E. Each individual and group accident and health or sickness policy, contract, plan, or agreement shall provide applicants and insured persons with clear information about the coverage of gender transition services and the requirements for

determining medically necessary treatments related to these services, including the process for appealing a claim denied on the basis of medical necessity.

- F. Any coverage provided shall be subject to copayment, deductible, and coinsurance provisions of an individual and group accident and health or sickness policy, contract, plan, or agreement that are no less favorable than the copayment, deductible, and coinsurance provisions for substantially all other medical services covered by the policy, contract, plan, or agreement.
- G. This Act does not affect rights and duties that matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were begun before its effective date.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. WILLFUL VIOLATIONS.—Any individual or group, accident or sickness healthcare insurer who willfully violates this Act with respect to any consumer is liable to that consumer in an amount equal to the sum of—
 - a. any actual damages sustained by the consumer as a result of the failure;
 - b. such amount of punitive damages as the court may allow; and
 - c. in the case of any successful action to enforce any liability under this paragraph, the costs of the action together with reasonable attorneys' fees as determined by the court.
- B. NEGLIGENT VIOLATIONS.—Any individual or group, accident or sickness healthcare insurer who is negligent in failing to comply with any requirement imposed under this Act with respect to any consumer is liable to that consumer in an amount equal to the sum of—
 - a. any actual damages sustained by the consumer as a result of the failure;and
 - b. in the case of any successful action to enforce any liability under this paragraph, the costs of the action together with reasonable attorneys' fees as determined by the court.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OSU-012

By: Turner (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to creating a balance between psychopharmacology and psychotherapy; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Good Ratio” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. Psychopharmacology – the practice of prescribing psychoactive medications, specifically to treat psychological and neurological disorders
2. Psychotherapy – treatment for mental disorders through the use of talk therapy and mental exercises as hosted by a licensed psychologist or psychiatrist
3. Psychoactive medication – any pharmaceutical that is intended to alter the behavior, mood, thoughts and/or perceptions of the patient

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. Any patient that receives two (2) consecutive prescriptions for the same psychoactive medication, or is prescribed more than two (2) psychoactive medications shall be required to attend one (1) psychotherapy session before receiving any new prescriptions for psychoactive medication.
2. Insurers headquartered within the State of Oklahoma shall be required to cover expenses for psychotherapy to provided that: the client is an Oklahoma citizen, and the client has already received the requisite two (2) consecutive prescriptions for the same psychoactive medication or prescriptions for more than two (2) different medications in the same consultation.
3. If a patient is assigned to a new primary care physician, psychologist, and/or psychiatrist, the patient shall be required to provide them with documentation of their most recent prescription for psychoactive medication and proof of their most recent psychotherapy session.

4. Physicians, psychologists and psychiatrists shall be forbidden from writing further prescriptions for patients that have been prescribed two (2) of the same psychoactive medication or more than two (2) different psychoactive medications during a prior visit if they do not provide proof that they have attended at least one (1) subsequent psychotherapy session.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. Any patient found in violation of this law shall be fined not more than one-thousand dollars (\$1,000) per infraction.
2. Any physician, psychologist, or psychiatrist found in violation of this law shall be fined not more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) per infraction.
 - a. Termination of licensure for psychologists and psychiatrists may incur following infraction at the discretion of the Oklahoma State Board of Behavioral Health Licensure.
 - b. Termination of licensure for physicians may incur following infraction at the discretion of the Oklahoma Medical Board.
3. Any insurer headquartered in the State of Oklahoma found in violation of this law shall be fined not more than twenty-thousand dollars (\$20,000) per infraction.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OSU-013

By: Turner (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to removing the “World’s Largest Peanut” statue from Durant; providing short title; providing definitions; providing for codification; providing penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

- Section 1. This act shall be known as the “No Peanut November” Act of 2021.
- Section 2. DEFINITIONS
1. World’s Largest Peanut statue – A statue located at 300 W Evergreen St, Durant, OK, 74701 that falsely claims to be the world’s largest peanut
 2. Destroyed – Pulverized with a wrecking ball and the remains incinerated
- Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:
1. The “World’s Largest Peanut” Statue located in Durant, OK shall be removed and destroyed following passage of this bill.
 2. Any subsequent attempts to reconstruct the peanut statue in Durant or anywhere else in Oklahoma shall be prohibited.
- Section 4. PENALTIES
1. Any person found in violation of Section 2 Subsection 2 shall be subject to a fine of not more than four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000) and up to five (5) years in prison.
 2. Any city or township found in violation of this law shall be unincorporated from the state of Oklahoma.
- Section 5. This act shall become effective on November 1st, 2021.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OU-002

By: Beltz (OU) of the Senate
Gillespie (OU) of the House

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to holidays; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Directioner Day of Mourning” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Directioner” shall be defined as a devoted fan of One Direction.
2. “One Direction” shall be defined as the greatest boy band to ever exist. Consists of Liam Payne, Harry Styles, Niall Horan, Zayn Malik, Louis Tomlinson.
3. “Mourn One Direction’s hiatus” shall be defined as: displaying cardboard cutouts of each of the five (5) One Direction band members, starting their business day with a singalong to the song No Control by One Direction, and playing a minimum of two (2) songs from each One Direction album within the day, and dressing in the Louis Tomlinson uniform of red skinny jeans and a striped t-shirt.
4. “Place of business” shall be defined as any warehouse, store, place, office, building, or structure where goods, wares, or merchandise are offered for sale at retail or where any taxable amusement is conducted, or each office where gas, water, heat, communication, or electric services are offered for sale at retail.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. August 23rd shall be known as the “Directioner Day of Mourning” during which every Oklahoman shall mourn One Direction’s hiatus in solidarity with all Oklahoman Directioners.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. All businesses who fail to properly mourn as defined in Section 2 Subsection 3 in recognition of the holiday codified in Section 3 Subsection 1 shall be subjected to a fine of at least sixty-one dollars (\$61) but not to exceed two thousand dollars (\$2000).
2. The owners and management of any businesses found in noncompliance with the mourning practices shall be enrolled in a One Direction education course where they must watch the film One Direction This Is Us and listen to the entirety of One Direction's discography.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OU-003

By: Boren (OU)

Brewer (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to teacher retention; providing short title; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Keep the Teach” Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read

as follows:

1. College students within their final two (2) years of their undergraduate education studying with intent to become a teacher may sign a legal agreement with the State of Oklahoma to agree to work for a public school in Oklahoma. The State of Oklahoma shall pay for the entirety of the student’s owed money to the school and shall pay the money as it is to be owed by the student.
2. The student, upon graduation from either undergraduate or graduate school, must work as a teacher in the State of Oklahoma two (2) years for each year of higher education the State of Oklahoma will pay for.
3. Should a student decide to withdraw from their agreement, they shall be responsible for the cost of education incurred by the State of Oklahoma. If the student is unable to pay this money directly at the time of withdrawal, the student will have thirty (30) days to enroll in a payment plan. The specifics of the payment plan will be determined by the student and the Oklahoma State Department of Education.

Section 3. PENALTIES

1. Should the student fail to enroll in a payment plan after thirty (30) days, an additional fee of two hundred dollars (\$200) will be added to the payment owed to the State of Oklahoma.
2. Should the student fail to enroll in a payment plan after an additional thirty (30) days, the student shall be subject to jail time not to exceed two hundred and seventy (270) days.

3. Should the student fail to enroll in a payment plan after their arrest, the State shall garnish their wages with an additional twenty percent (20%) interest on the payments that would be otherwise due.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OU-004

By: Salazar Latham (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to alternative fuel vehicles; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Alternative Fuel Vehicles Incentives” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS. The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Alternative fuel vehicle” shall be defined as any street-legal machine designed to transport people or cargo, which does not use petroleum or petroleum derivatives as its primary fuel source, such as hybrid electric vehicles, plug-in-hybrid electric vehicles, electric vehicles, and natural gas vehicles

Section 3. NEW LAW. A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

1. Registration fees for non-commercial alternative fuel vehicles shall be scheduled as:
 - a. First through fourth years: forty-six dollars (\$46)
 - b. Fifth through eighth years: thirty-six dollars (\$36)
 - c. Ninth through twelfth years: twenty-six dollars (\$26)
 - d. Thirteenth years and older: sixteen dollars (\$16)
2. Commercial alternative fuel vehicles shall receive a ten percent (10%) reduction registration fees with regards to the registration fee schedule from the Oklahoma Tax Commission.
3. Owners of registered alternative fuel vehicles shall be eligible to apply for reimbursement of funds paid to travel on private toll roads within the state of Oklahoma with funds from the general fund by sending proof of transaction to the Oklahoma Department of Transportation.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days upon passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OU-005

By: Boren (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to disease screening; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Oklahoman Health” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Positron Emission Tomography and Computed Tomography (PET-CT) Scan” shall be defined as a diagnostic examination that involves imaging the body based on the detection of radiation.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

1. The State of Oklahoma will assume the cost for a PET-CT Scan for each Oklahoma resident that falls within the categories described in Section 3, Subsection 2. This payment shall come in the form of a State-verified voucher, to be requested through the procedure outlined in Section 3, Subsection 4.
2. The eligibility for residents of Oklahoma that wish to receive a voucher for a PET-CT Scan shall be determined by whether the resident falls within the following categories:
 - a. The resident must be able to prove residency in the form of a utility bill, possession of an Oklahoma license, possession of an Oklahoma Voter Identification Card, or other proof of residency determined acceptable by the Oklahoma State Department of Health.
 - b. The resident must be above the age of eighteen (18) or the legal guardian of a patient under the age of eighteen (18).
3. An Oklahoma resident may not receive a voucher if they fall within the following categories:
 - a. The resident is under the age of eighteen (18).
 - b. The resident’s annual income is greater than or equal to one hundred and sixty-three thousand three hundred dollars (\$163,300) for those who file

federal income tax as single individuals or three hundred twenty-six thousand six hundred dollars (\$326,600) for those who file federal income tax jointly.

- c. The resident has received a PET-CT voucher in the last five (5) years.
 - i. This restriction may be lifted at the recommendation of a physician. If this is the case, the resident must request a voucher in accordance with Section 3, Subsection 4 to be signed by the recommending physician. Any Oklahoma resident may request a State-verified voucher using the following methods:
 - d. Requesting a voucher online at the Oklahoma State Department of Health website.
 - e. Mailing a completed Voucher Request form available at all post offices in the State of Oklahoma.
4. The duties of overseeing the execution of this law shall fall to the Oklahoma State Department of Health (OSDH). The OSDH shall oversee the conceptualization, distribution, reception, consideration, and approval of voucher request forms and PET-CT Scan Vouchers.
5. All healthcare facilities that provide PET-CT Scans must accept this State-verified PET-CT Scan Voucher as payment in full for a PET-CT Scan, the appointment in which it occurs, and any other associated cost or fee. The healthcare facility may not accept or request any additional payment related to the PET-CT Scan, the appointment in which it occurs, or any other related cost or fee.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. Any healthcare facility that fails to abide by Section 3, Subsection 6 of this Act shall be subject to a fine of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) per violation.
2. Any physician that fails to abide by Section 3, Subsection 6 of this Act shall be subject to a fine of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000) per violation.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OU-006

By: Brewer (OU)

Beltz (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to; providing short title; providing for codification; amending 70 O.S. 2011, Section 11-103.6; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Secondary Education Overhaul” Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW

1. For the purposes of this bill, amendments made to 70 O.S. 2011, Section 11-103.6 will apply only to students who will graduate after 2024.

Section 3. AMENDATORY

70 O.S. 2011, Section 11-103.6, as last amended by Section 44, Chapter 25, O.S.L. 2019 (70 O.S. Supp. 2020, Section 11-103.6), is amended to read as follows:

Section 11-103.6 A. 1. The State Board of Education shall adopt subject matter standards for instruction of students in the public schools of this state that are necessary to ensure there is attainment of desired levels of competencies in a variety of areas to include language, mathematics, science, social studies and communication.

2. School districts shall develop and implement curriculum, courses and instruction in order to ensure that students meet the skills and competencies as set forth in this section and in the subject matter standards adopted by the State Board of Education.

3. All students shall gain literacy at the elementary and secondary levels. Students shall develop skills in reading, writing, speaking, computing and critical thinking. For purposes of this section, critical thinking means a manner of analytical thinking which is logical and uses linear factual analysis to reach a conclusion. They also shall learn about cultures and environments - their own and those of others with whom they share the earth. Students, therefore, shall study social studies, literature, languages, the arts, mathematics and science. Such curricula shall provide for the teaching of a hands-on career exploration program in cooperation with technology center schools.

4. The subject matter standards shall be designed to teach the competencies for which students shall be tested as provided in Section 1210.508 of this title, and shall be designed to prepare all students for active

citizenship, employment and/or successful completion of postsecondary education without the need for remedial coursework at the postsecondary level.

5. The subject matter standards shall be designed with rigor as defined in paragraph 3 of subsection F of this section.

6. The subject matter standards for English Language Arts shall give Classic Literature and nonfiction literature equal consideration to other literature. In addition, emphasis shall be given to the study of complete works of literature.

7. At a minimum, the subject matter standards for mathematics shall require mastery of the standard algorithms in mathematics, which is the most logical, efficient way of solving a problem that consistently works, and for students to attain fluency in ~~Euclidian~~ Euclidean geometry.

8. The subject matter standards for history, social studies and United States Government shall include the content of the United States naturalization test, with an emphasis on the specific content of the test and the ideas and concepts it references. The United States naturalization test shall be made available in physical and electronic online formats as an optional assessment tool for teachers.

9. The subject matter standards for United States Government shall include an emphasis on civics. For the purposes of this section, "civics" means the study of the rights and duties of Oklahoma and United States citizens and of how those governments work.

B. Subject to the provisions of subsection C of this section, in order to graduate from a public high school accredited by the State Board of Education with a standard diploma, students shall complete the following college preparatory/work ready curriculum units or sets of competencies at the secondary level:

1. Four units or sets of competencies of English to include Grammar, Composition, Literature, or any English course approved for college admission requirements;

2. ~~Three~~ Four (4) units or sets of competencies of mathematics, limited to Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry, Trigonometry, Math Analysis, Calculus, Advanced Placement Statistics, or any mathematics course with content and/or rigor above Algebra I and approved for college admission requirements;

3. Three units or sets of competencies of laboratory science approved for college admission requirements, including one unit or set of competencies of life science, meeting the standards for Biology I; one unit or set of competencies of physical science, meeting the standards for Physical Science, Chemistry or Physics; and one unit or set of competencies from the domains of physical science, life science or earth and space science such that the content and rigor is above Biology I or Physical Science;

4. ~~Three~~ Four (4) units or sets of competencies of history and citizenship skills, including one unit of American History, 1/2 unit of ~~Oklahoma History~~ Economics, 1/2 unit of United States Government and one unit from the subjects of History, Government, Geography, ~~Economics~~ Oklahoma History, Civics, or non-Western culture and approved for college admission requirements;

5. ~~Two~~ Four (4) units or sets of competencies of the same foreign or non-English language or ~~two~~ four (4) units of computer technology approved for college admission requirements, whether taught at a high school or a technology center school, including computer programming, hardware, and business computer applications, such as word processing, databases, spreadsheets, and graphics, excluding keyboarding or typing courses;

6. One additional unit or set of competencies selected from paragraphs 1 through 5 of this subsection or career and technology education courses, concurrently enrolled courses, Advanced Placement courses or International Baccalaureate courses approved for college admission requirements; and

7. One unit or set of competencies of fine arts, such as music, art, or drama, or one unit or set of competencies of speech.

C. In lieu of the requirements of subsection B of this section which requires a college preparatory/work ready curriculum, a student may enroll in the core curriculum as provided in subsection D of this section upon written approval of the parent or legal guardian of the student. For students under the age of eighteen (18) school districts shall require a parent or legal guardian of the student to meet with a designee of the school prior to enrollment in the core curriculum. The State Department of Education shall develop and distribute to school districts a form suitable for this purpose, which shall include information on the benefits to students of completing the college preparatory/work ready curriculum as provided for in subsection B of this section.

D. For those students subject to the requirements of subsection C of this section, in order to graduate from a public high school accredited by the State Board of Education with a standard diploma, students shall complete the following core curriculum units or sets of competencies at the secondary level:

1. Language Arts – ~~4~~ Four (4) units or sets of competencies, to consist of ~~1~~ one (1) unit or set of competencies of grammar and composition, and ~~3~~ three (3) units or sets of competencies which may include, but are not limited to, the following courses:

a. American Literature,

b. English Literature,

c. World Literature,

d. Advanced English Courses, or

e. other English courses with content and/or rigor equal to or above grammar and composition;

2. Mathematics – ~~3~~ Three Four (4) units or sets of competencies, to consist of ~~1~~ one (1) unit or set of competencies of Algebra I or Algebra I taught in a contextual methodology, one (1) unit or set of competencies Algebra II or Algebra II taught in a contextual methodology, and ~~2~~ two (2) units or sets of competencies which may include, but are not limited to, the following courses:

a. Geometry or Geometry taught in a contextual methodology,

b. Trigonometry,

c. Math Analysis or Precalculus,

d. Calculus,

e. Statistics and/or Probability,

f. Computer Science or acceptance and successful completion of one (1) year of a full-time, three-hour career and technology program leading to an industry credential/certificate or college credit. The State Board of Career and Technology Education shall promulgate rules to define the provisions of this act related to the accepted industry-valued credentials which are industry-endorsed or industry-aligned. The list of accepted industry-valued credentials shall be reviewed annually and updated at least every three (3) years by the Board,

g. (1) contextual mathematics courses which enhance technology preparation, or

(2) a science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) block course meeting the requirements for course competencies listed in paragraph 2 of subsection B of this section, whether taught at a: (a) comprehensive high school, or

(b) technology center school when taken in the tenth, eleventh or twelfth grade, taught by a certified teacher, and approved by the State Board of Education and the independent district board of education,

h. mathematics courses taught at a technology center school by a teacher certified in the secondary subject area when taken in the tenth, eleventh or twelfth grade upon approval of the State Board of Education and the independent district board of education, or

i. any other mathematics course with content and/or rigor equal to or above Algebra I;

3. Science – 3 Three (3) units or sets of competencies, to consist of ± one (1) unit or set of competencies of Biology I or Biology I taught in a contextual methodology, and ± two (2) units or sets of competencies in the areas of life, physical, or earth science or technology which may include, but are not limited to, the following courses:

a. Chemistry I,

b. Physics,

c. Biology II,

d. Chemistry II,

e. Physical Science,

f. Earth Science,

- g. Botany,
 - h. Zoology,
 - i. Physiology,
 - j. Astronomy,
 - k. Applied Biology/Chemistry,
 - l. Applied Physics,
 - m. Principles of Technology,
 - n. qualified agricultural education courses,
 - o. (1) contextual science courses which enhance technology preparation, or
 (2) a science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) block course meeting the requirements for course competencies listed in paragraph 3 of subsection B of this section, whether taught at a: (a) comprehensive high school, or
 (b) technology center school when taken in the tenth, eleventh or twelfth grade, taught by a certified teacher, and approved by the State Board of Education and the independent district board of education,
 - p. science courses taught at a technology center school by a teacher certified in the secondary subject area when taken in the tenth, eleventh or twelfth grade upon approval of the State Board of Education and the independent district board of education, or
 - q. other science courses with content and/or rigor equal to or above Biology I;
4. Social Studies – ~~3 Three~~ Four (4) units or sets of competencies, to consist of 1 one unit or set of competencies of United States History, ~~1/2 one-half (1/2)~~ to 1 one unit or set of competencies of United States Government, ~~1/2 one-half (1/2)~~ unit or set of competencies of Oklahoma History Economics, and ~~1/2 one-half to 1 one~~ two (2) units or sets of competencies which may include, but are not limited to, the following courses: a. World History, b. Geography, c. ~~Economics~~ Oklahoma History, d. Anthropology, or
- e. other social studies courses with content and/or rigor equal to or above United States History, United States Government, and ~~Oklahoma History~~ Economics;
5. Arts – 1 One unit or set of competencies which may include, but is not limited to, courses in Visual Arts and General Music; and
6. Computer Education or World Language - ~~1 One~~ (1) unit or set of competencies of computer technology, whether taught at a high school or a technology center school, including computer programming, hardware and business computer applications, such as word processing, databases,

spreadsheets and graphics, excluding keyboarding or typing courses, ~~or 1 and four (4) units~~ or sets of competencies of foreign or non-English language.

E. 1. In addition to the curriculum requirements of either subsection B or D of this section, in order to graduate from a public high school accredited by the State Board of Education students shall complete the requirements for a personal financial literacy passport as set forth in the Passport to Financial Literacy Act and any additional course requirements or recommended elective courses as may be established by the State Board of Education and the district school board. School districts shall strongly encourage students to complete ~~two units or sets of competencies of foreign languages~~ and two units or sets of competencies of physical and health education.

2. No student shall receive credit for high school graduation more than once for completion of the same unit or set of competencies to satisfy the curriculum requirements of this section.

3. A school district shall not be required to offer every course listed in subsections B and D of this section, but shall offer sufficient courses to allow a student to meet the graduation requirements during the secondary grade years of the student.

F. For purposes of this section: 1. "Contextual methodology" means academic content and skills taught by utilizing real-world problems and projects in a way that helps students understand the application of that knowledge;

2. "Qualified agricultural education courses" means courses that have been determined by the State Board of Education to offer the sets of competencies for one or more science content areas and which correspond to academic science courses. Qualified agricultural education courses shall include, but are not limited to, Horticulture, Plant and Soil Science, Natural Resources and Environmental Science, and Animal Science. The courses shall be taught by teachers certified in agricultural education and comply with all rules of the Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education;

3. "Rigor" means a level of difficulty that is thorough, exhaustive and accurate and is appropriate for the grade level;

4. "Sets of competencies" means instruction in those skills and competencies that are specified in the subject matter standards adopted by the State Board of Education and other skills and competencies adopted by the Board, without regard to specified instructional time; and

5. "Unit" means a Carnegie Unit as defined by the North Central Association's Commission on Schools.

G. 1. The State Board of Education shall adopt a plan to ensure that rigor is maintained in the content, teaching methodology, level of expectations for student achievement, and application of learning in all the courses taught to meet the graduation requirements as specified in this section. 2. The State Board of Education shall allow as much flexibility at the district level as is possible without diminishing the rigor or undermining the intent of providing these courses. To accomplish this purpose, the State Department of Education shall work with school districts in reviewing and approving courses taught by districts that are not specifically listed in subsections B and D of this section. Options may include, but shall not be limited

to, courses taken by concurrent enrollment, advanced placement, or correspondence, or courses bearing different titles.

3. The State Board of Education shall approve an advanced placement computer science course to meet the requirements of course competencies listed in paragraph 2 of subsection B of this section if the course is taken in a student's senior year and the student is concurrently enrolled in or has successfully completed Algebra II.

4. Technology center school districts may offer programs designed in cooperation with institutions of higher education which have an emphasis on a focused field of career study upon approval of the State Board of Education and the independent district board of education. Students in the tenth grade may be allowed to attend these programs for up to one-half (1/2) of a school day and credit for the units or sets of competencies required in paragraphs 2, 3 and 6 of subsection B or D of this section shall be given if the courses are taught by a teacher certified in the secondary subject area; provided, credit for units or sets of competencies pursuant to subsection B of this section shall be approved for college admission requirements.

5. If a student enrolls in a concurrent course, the school district shall not be responsible for any costs incurred for that course, unless the school district does not offer enough course selection during the student's secondary grade years to allow the student to receive the courses needed to meet the graduation requirements of this section. If the school district does not offer the necessary course selection during the student's secondary grade years, it shall be responsible for the cost of resident tuition at an institution in The Oklahoma State System of Higher Education,

fees, and books for the concurrent enrollment course, and providing for transportation to and from the institution to the school site. It is the intent of the Legislature that for students enrolled in a concurrent enrollment course which is paid for by the school district pursuant to this paragraph, the institution charge only the supplementary and special service fees that are directly related to the concurrent enrollment course and enrollment procedures for that student. It is further the intent of the Legislature that fees for student activities and student service facilities, including the student health care and cultural and recreational service fees, not be charged to such students.

6. Credit for the units or sets of competencies required in subsection B or D of this section shall be given when such units or sets of competencies are taken prior to ninth grade if the teachers are certified or authorized to teach the subjects for high school credit and the required rigor is maintained.

7. The three units or sets of competencies in mathematics required in subsection B or D of this section shall be completed in the ninth through twelfth grades. If a student completes any required courses or sets of competencies in mathematics prior to ninth grade, the student may take any other mathematics courses or sets of competencies to fulfill the requirement to complete three units or sets of competencies in grades nine through twelve after the student has satisfied the requirements of subsection B or D of this section.

8. All units or sets of competencies required for graduation may be taken in any sequence recommended by the school district.

H. As a condition of receiving accreditation from the State Board of Education, all students in grades nine through twelve shall enroll in a minimum of six periods, or the equivalent in block scheduling or other scheduling structure that allows for instruction in sets of competencies, of rigorous academic and/or rigorous vocational courses each day, which may include arts, vocal and instrumental music, speech classes, and physical education classes.

I. 1. Academic and vocational-technical courses designed to offer sets of competencies integrated or embedded within the course that provide for the teaching and learning of the appropriate skills and knowledge in the subject matter standards, as adopted by the State Board of Education, may, upon approval of the Board, in consultation with the Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education if the courses are offered at a technology center school district, be counted for academic credit and toward meeting the graduation requirements of this section.

2. Internet-based courses offered by a technology center school that are taught by a certified teacher and provide for the teaching and learning of the appropriate skills and knowledge in the subject matter standards may, upon approval of the State Board of Education and the independent district board of education, be counted for academic credit and toward meeting the graduation requirements of this section.

3. Internet-based courses or vocational-technical courses utilizing integrated or embedded skills for which no subject matter standards have been adopted by the State Board of Education may be approved by the Board, in consultation with the Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education if the courses are offered at a technology center school district, if such courses incorporate standards of nationally recognized professional organizations and are taught by certified teachers.

4. Courses offered by a supplemental education organization that is accredited by a national accrediting body and that are taught by a certified teacher and provide for the teaching and learning of the appropriate skills and knowledge in the subject matter standards may, upon approval of the State Board of Education and the school district board of education, be counted for academic credit and toward meeting the graduation requirements of this section.

J. The State Board of Education shall provide an option for high school graduation based upon attainment of the desired levels of competencies as required in tests pursuant to the provisions of Section 1210.508 of this title. Such option shall be in lieu of the amount of course credits earned.

K. The State Board of Education shall prescribe, adopt and approve a promotion system based on the attainment by students of specified levels of competencies in each area of the core curriculum.

L. Children who have individualized education programs pursuant to the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), and who satisfy the graduation requirements through the individualized education program for that student shall be awarded a standard diploma.

M. Students who enter the ninth grade in or prior to the 2007- 08 school year who are enrolled in an alternative education program and meet the requirements of their plans leading to high school graduation developed pursuant to Section 1210.568 of this title shall be awarded a standard diploma.

N. Any student who completes the curriculum requirements of the International Baccalaureate Diploma Program shall be awarded a standard diploma.

O. Any student who successfully completes an advanced mathematics or science course offered pursuant to Section 1210.404 of this title shall be granted academic credit toward meeting the graduation requirements pursuant to paragraph 2 or 3, as appropriate, of subsection B or D of this section.

P. For purposes of this section, the courses approved for college admission requirements shall be courses which are approved by the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education for admission to an institution within The Oklahoma State System of Higher Education.

Q. Students who have been denied a standard diploma by the school district in which the student is or was enrolled for failing to meet the requirements of this section may re-enroll in the school district that denied the student a standard diploma following the denial of a standard diploma. The student shall be provided remediation or intervention and the opportunity to complete the curriculum units or sets of competencies required by this section to obtain a standard diploma. Students who re-enroll in the school district to meet the graduation requirements of this section shall be exempt from the hourly instructional requirements of Section 1- 111 of this title and the six-period enrollment requirements of this section.

R. The State Department of Education shall collect and report data by school site and district on the number of students who enroll in the core curriculum as provided in subsection D of this section.

Section 3. This act shall become effective at the beginning of the 2021-2022 school year upon passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OU-007

By: Brewer (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to architectural barriers for people with disabilities; providing short title; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the "Oklahoma Architectural Barriers" Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW. A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

1. An Office for Building Accessibility within the Oklahoma State Department of Public Safety shall be created for the purpose of overseeing the inspections and inspectors of facilities to which the standards adopted under this act apply to.
2. The standards adopted under this act apply to:
 1. Any building or facility whose construction completes after passage and approval of this act;
 2. A building or facility used by the public that is renovated, or modified, in whole or in part, on or after January 1, 1970, using funds from the state or a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of the state;
 3. A building or facility described by this subsection or Subsection (b) that is constructed on a temporary or emergency basis;
 4. A building leased for use or occupied, in whole or in part, by the state under a lease or rental agreement entered into on or after January 1, 1972;
 5. A privately funded building or facility that is defined as a "public accommodation" by Section 301, Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. Section 12181), and its subsequent amendments, and that is constructed, renovated, or modified on or after January 1, 1992; and Government Code, Chapter 469 Elimination of Architectural Barriers Page 2 Effective September 1, 2009
 6. A privately funded building or facility that is defined as a "commercial facility" by Section 301, Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. Section 12181), and its subsequent amendments, and that is constructed, renovated, or modified on or after September 1, 1993.
 1. To the extent there is not a conflict with federal law and it is not beyond the state's regulatory power, the standards adopted under this chapter apply to a building or facility constructed in this state or leased or rented for use by the state using federal money.

2. The standards adopted under this chapter do not apply to a place used primarily for religious rituals within a building or facility of a religious organization.
3. If any portion of a building described by Subsection (a)(1) is occupied solely for residential use and the remaining occupied portion of the building is occupied for nonresidential use, the executive director shall consider only the nonresidential portion of the building in determining whether the building complies with the standards and specifications adopted under this chapter. Sec. 469.004. Applicability of Other Law. Section 51.404, Occupations Code, does not apply to this chapter.

3. Standards will be adopted as written in the 2010 ADA Standards for Accessible Design as adopted by Titles II and III of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA).

Section 3. PENALTIES

1. Fines will be determined by the Office for Building Accessibility based upon construction costs but shall not exceed ten percent (10%) of the cost of the construction.

Section 4. This act shall become effective one (1) calendar year (365 days) upon passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OU-008

By: Brewer (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to infrastructure improvements; providing short title; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Oklahoma Improvement” Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW. A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

1. Municipalities in Oklahoma with populations greater than or equal to twenty-five thousand (25,000) people shall undertake the infrastructure improvement project of burying power lines in residential areas, and areas servicing educational institutions with the assistance of the State Energy Office. Municipalities will then be prioritized based upon a project proposal turned into the State Energy Office.
 - a. The project proposal shall include:
 - i. City demographics.
 - ii. Project budget.
 - iii. A schedule deciding the order in which each residential area or area servicing an educational institution will be serviced, prioritizing low-income areas.
 - b. Prioritization of municipalities will be decided based on percent of population below the federal poverty line.
2. This project will be partially funded through the State Energy Office, with the State providing seventy-five percent of funding for each municipality.

Section 3. This act shall become effective one (1) calendar year (365 days) upon passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OU-009

By: Brewer (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to fishing licenses; providing short title; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Giant Freshwater Octopi” Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW. A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

1. Special fishing licenses shall be established for the purpose of fishing for the giant freshwater octopi that allegedly inhabit the lakes of Oklahoma.
2. The Oklahoma Wildlife Department shall issue these special octopi fishing licenses at the same cost as annual fishing licenses.
3. Revenue accrued from the sale of special octopi fishing licenses shall be directed to the Department of Education.

Section 3. PENALTIES

1. Persons found fishing for octopi without a special license will be fined one-hundred dollars (\$100) for each violation.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety days (90 days) upon passage and approval

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OU-010

By: Parker (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to dental procedures and payments; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Delivering Equity to the Needy Through Indigent Services via Teeth” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Comprehensive oral examination” shall be defined as the extensive evaluation and the recording of all extraoral, intraoral and soft tissues,
 - a. Such evaluation may include, but it is not limited to, the documentation of dental and medical history, an assessment of overall oral hygiene, an assessment of tooth and/or gum decay, an assessment of the bite and jaw, an assessment of any prostheses, an assessment of gum and/or bone disease, an assessment of possible cavities, an assessment of possible oral cancer, and an assessment of medications
2. “Dental prophylaxis” shall be defined as the series of procedures whereby calculus, stains, and other accretions are removed from the crowns and roots of the teeth, and the enamel surfaces are polished.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. The Oklahoma Health Care Authority shall establish new administrative rules which will guarantee the following dental care procedures are deemed compensable under SoonerCare for persons eighteen (18) or above
 - a. One (1) annual comprehensive oral examination
 - b. One (1) annual dental prophylaxis procedure

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OU-011

By: Brewer (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to single-use plastic usage in grocery stores; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; amending 27A O.S. § 2-11-504; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Grocery Plastics” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. Single-use plastic bag: A plastic bag that is intended to only be used once before being discarded.
2. Grocery store: an establishment where food and food products are offered to the consumer and intended for off-premises consumption. The term does not include any establishment that handles only prepackaged, non-potentially hazardous foods such as candies and other snack foods, roadside or produce markets that offers only whole, uncut fresh fruits and vegetables for sale, or food and beverage vending machines.
3. Produce bags: any bag without handles used exclusively to carry produce, meats, other food items

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. The use of single-use plastic bags in grocery stores will be prohibited.
2. Alternative produce bags must either be made from a non-plastic biodegradable material and/or intended for multiple uses.
3. Inspections to ensure compliance with this law will be under the jurisdiction of the Oklahoma State Department of Commerce. An initial inspection shall take place in the month following the effective date and subsequent inspection scheduling will be at the discretion of the Oklahoma State Department of Commerce. Funding for the inspection process will be determined by the Oklahoma State Department of Commerce.

Section 4. AMENDATORY 27A O.S. §2-11-504 is amended to read as follows:

~~A. As used in this section, "auxiliary container" means any bag, cup, package, container, bottle, device or other packaging that is:~~

~~1. Made of cloth, paper, plastic, including foamed or expanded plastic, cardboard, corrugated material, aluminum, glass, postconsumer recycled material or similar material including, but not limited to, coated or laminated materials; and~~

~~2. Designed for, but not limited to, consuming, transporting, or protecting merchandise, food or beverages from, or at, a food service facility, manufacturing, distribution, further processing, or retail facility.~~

~~B. Except for subsection D of this section, no political subdivision shall restrict, tax, prohibit or regulate the use, disposition or sale of auxiliary containers.~~

~~C. Nothing in this section shall prohibit or limit any county or municipal ordinance or agreement regarding a recycling program or the disposal of solid waste.~~

~~D. Subsection B of this section shall not apply to the use of auxiliary containers on property owned by a county or municipality.~~

Section 5. PENALTIES

1. Any establishment found in violation of this law will be subject to an initial fine of five percent (5%) of quarterly profits and an additional two-point five percent (2.5%) of quarterly profit for each subsequent quarter that they are found to not be in compliance.
 - a. All revenue accrued from Section 5 will be allocated to the Oklahoma State Department of Education.

Section 6. This act shall become effective two (2) calendar years (730 days) upon passage and approval

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OU-012

By: Boren (OU)

Sadler (OBU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to labor compensation; providing short title; amending O.S. §40-197.2; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Living Wages” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY O.S. §40-197.2 is amended to read as follows:

1. It shall be unlawful to employ workers in any industry or occupation within the State of Oklahoma under conditions of labor detrimental to their health or morals and it shall be unlawful to employ workers in any industry within the State of Oklahoma at wages which are not adequate for their maintenance. Except as otherwise provided in the Oklahoma Minimum Wage Act, no employer within the State of Oklahoma shall pay any employee, except as otherwise provided in this section, a wage of less than the current federal minimum wage the amount detailed in the proper subsection of Section 2 for all hours worked.

(A) \$9.00 an hour, beginning on the effective date under section 3;

(B) \$11.50 an hour, beginning two years after such effective date;

(C) \$14.00 an hour, beginning four years after such effective date.

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OU-013

By: Brewer (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to education; providing short title; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Sponge Brain” Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW. A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

1. School districts shall provide basic, age appropriate, classes or lessons, depending on grade, teaching a language other than English that is either American Sign Language (ASL) or corresponds with a language offered at the high school(s) in the district for third (3rd) grade through eighth (8th) grade.
 - a. For grades three (3) through five (5), language lessons shall be integrated in a way similar to music education or physical education.
 - b. For grades six (6) through eight (8), the language course shall be offered as a required class like English or mathematics.
2. Funding to pay for supplies necessary to teach these classes and salaries for necessary additional teachers shall come from the Oklahoma Department of Education.

Section 3. PENALTIES

1. School districts that fail to offer these classes will be subject to a loss of accreditation for a period of two (2) school years.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety days (90 days) upon passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OU-014

By: Boren (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to unpaid internships; providing short title; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Making Copies” Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read
as follows:

1. It is hereby unlawful for employers to pay interns under the Oklahoma State minimum wage. All internships shall be paid at or above minimum wage for the hours the intern has worked.

Section 3. PENALTIES

1. Should an employer fail to compensate an intern or interns in accordance with Section 2, Sub-section 1, the employer will be subject to a fine equal to the minimum wage for the hours worked by the intern or interns with an additional ten percent (10%).

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. SE-001

Atchison (SE)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to Oklahoma Medicaid; providing short title; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Basic Medical Accessibility” Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. The Basic Medical Accessibility act of 2021 will oversee a Medicaid expansion that provides prescriptions, doctors’ visits, hospital stays, surgeries, physical rehabilitation, and all basic health necessities as basic health necessities for the citizens of Oklahoma.

These prescriptions, doctors’ visits, and all medical necessities will not have required co-pays but fall entirely under Medicaid funds pooled from taxes collected by the state of Oklahoma.

- B. When a hospital, pharmacy, or doctor’s office receives a patient that is an Oklahoma citizen, instead of billing an insurance agency, they will bill the Oklahoma Medicaid agency which will cover all costs of visits or prescriptions without the need of copay.
- C. For the provisions of pharmaceutical and medical supplies and what companies will be subsidized, a committee will be created and overseen by the Oklahoma Healthcare Authority. The committee will contain no more than fifteen (15) members and its members will be chosen by the secretary of health and mental health. The committee will have the authority extend government subsidies to corporations they see fit to provide medical supplies and pharmaceuticals to hospitals and pharmacies,
- D. Corporations that accept and receive these subsidies to provide this service for the state and its citizens will be legally prohibited from contributing to PACs, donating to politicians, or donating to political campaigns of any kind under threat of prosecution and funds donated confiscated and readded to state treasury to be reallocated for existing or emergent medical necessities.

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. SE-002

Atchison (SE)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to public transportation; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Public Transit for Oklahoma” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “High Speed Rail line”- High-speed rail is a type of rail transport that runs significantly faster than traditional rail traffic, using an integrated system of specialized rolling stock and dedicated tracks. While there is no single standard that applies worldwide, new lines in excess of two-hundred-fifty (250) kilometers per hour and existing lines in excess of two-hundred (200) kilometers per hour are widely considered to be high-speeds.
- B. “Public Transportation”- A system of publicly owned buses and other vehicles that are both accessible and relatively cheap to use and provide transportation alternatives to the general population.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. The Oklahoma Department of Transportation shall through local offices using money provided by the general fund, create an interconnected system of public transportation locally as well as interconnected to disparate polities to create a publicly funded transportation system able to connect people through a system of buses.
- B. These will be established centrally in communities of ten thousand (10,000) or above and serve their county as well as any smaller communities that may be within thirty (30) miles of its central location.
- C. The Department of Transportation shall establish a committee of fifteen (15) members known as ‘The Committee for the Oversight and Expansion of Public Transportation’ that shall establish the communities most in need of public transportation due to average poverty or geography and in a descending order of greatest need to least need, and then allocate funds and work with the local government to build bus stations operated by the Oklahoma Department of Transportation. Local stations will decide ideal bus routes among their communities and nearby polities not large enough for central stations.
- D. The Committee for the Oversight and Expansion of Public Transportation will also have the task of connecting the population centers of Oklahoma with a line of high-speed rails which will allow

cheap and fast transportation between urban and semi-urban areas of the state for citizens. The committee will make sure the plans for the laying of the rail line connect all corners of the state, not just the highest population centers centrally located, and will have stops every fifty (50) miles for people to be able to board in or near their counties regardless of the size of their community. The line will have fees for use in the manner of other public transportation options.

- E. The Committee for the Oversight and Expansion of Public Transportation will be tasked with finding construction companies to lay rail lines along selected routes. Companies chosen will not be able to contribute to PACs, as an entity, until the fulfilment of determined contracts established by the Department of Education.
- F. The Committee for the Oversight and Expansion of Public Transportation will also be required to work with local tow and vehicle repair services to make sure that buses on routes will have access to assistance quickly and efficiently should there be a malfunction of technology related to the vehicle or an accident.

Section 4. This act shall become effective one-hundred-eighty (180) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. SE-003

Grinolds (SE)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to requiring institutions to acquire an ADA approved vehicle; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Driving the Rights of those Impaired for Vehicle Ease (D.R.I.V.E.)” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. Institution – Shall be defined in accordance with 68 O.S. §2357
- B. ADA compliant vehicle – For the purpose of this bill shall be defined as a vehicle that is used to transport students and has a wheelchair lift that is compliant to the 42 U.S.C. ch. 126 § 12101 et seq.
- C. in-person class -- shall mean a class that is registered within an institution in Oklahoma that requires, for majority of the school calendar year, in-person attendance and class material.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Every institution within the state of Oklahoma shall be required to register at least one ADA compliant vehicle.
 - a. All institutions shall send vehicle registration documentation to the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education for confirmation of adding to their fleet an ADA compliant vehicle.
 - b. All institutions shall be required to have the ADA compliant vehicle approved by an Oklahoma licensed mechanic as working and send documentation proof to the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education for confirmation.
 - c. The process stated within Section 2-A-a & Section 2-A-b shall be completed once the institution has obtained the ADA approved vehicle and every five (5) calendar years after. On the fifth (5) calendar year, institutions shall send the documentation in accordance with Section 2-A-a & 2-A-b by the end of the calendar year.
 - d. Institutions shall have one (1) calendar year after passage and approval to acquire the ADA compliant vehicle.
 - e. Any Institution shall be required to obtain one ADA compliant vehicle as long as there is one student registered for an in-person class within that institution.

- f. Institutions shall be required to obtain an extra ADA compliant vehicle for every ten-thousand (10,000) students registered for an in-person class within the institution.
- B. Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education shall create a grant and determine and enforce the process for institutions to send in an application to have money sent for half the price of the ADA compliant vehicle being obtained by the institution.
 - a. The Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education shall use the General Revenue Fund to fulfill the application requests.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. In the event an institution does not send documentation for approval to the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education during the first (1st) year after passage and approval of this bill, the institution shall be fined as followed:
 - a. Any institution that has five thousand (5,000) students or lower enrolled with at least one (1) in-person class in the institution shall be fined fifteen thousand (\$15,000) dollars.
 - b. Any institution that has five thousand and one (5,001) students or lower enrolled with at least one (1) in-person class in the institution shall be fined thirty thousand (\$30,000) dollars.
- B. In the event an institution does not send documentation every fifth (5) year, after passage and approval of this bill, to the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education, the institution shall be fined as followed:
 - a. Any institution that has five thousand (5,000) students or lower enrolled with at least one (1) in-person class in the institution shall be fined fifteen thousand (\$15,000) dollars.
 - b. Any institution that has five thousand and one (5,001) students or lower enrolled with at least one (1) in-person class in the institution shall be fined thirty thousand (\$30,000) dollars.
 - c. Any fines obtained by an institution shall be reallocate into the General Revenue Fund.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. SE-004

Grinolds (SE)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to highway paint markings; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Marking the Pavement” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Highway” – as defined by 47 O.S. §421.
- B. “Highway markings” – for the purpose of this bill shall be defined as paint that has been marked on the highway by either state or federal government officials for the reasons of directing traffic. This shall include, but not be limited to crossway markings, yellow center lines,
- C. “weathered” – for the purpose of this bill shall be defined as markings not being able to be seen, for the reason that, the paint has either been worn, broken down, begun to disappear, or has vanished.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. The Oklahoma Department of Transportation (ODOT) is hereby directed to appoint a committee of ten (10) people entitled the “Remarking Committee”. The function of the “Remarking Committee” shall be to:
 - a. record all reports that have been called in by citizens regarding weathered highway markings.
 - b. contract with a company to travel and have highway markings repainted when the highways markings have either been found weathered by the Remarking Committee or reported by citizens to the Remarking Committee.
 - c. have the owner of the highway, if a private highway, to hire a company to have the highway markings repainted. The company chosen to repaint or reapply the reflective tape shall be the company currently contracted with the Remarking Committee.
- B. Members of the Remarking Committee shall be chosen by the current executive director of the Oklahoma Department of Transportation.
- C. The Remarking Committee shall record any reports that has been submitted by citizens regarding weathered highway markings.

- D. If a minimum of fifteen (15) reports have been recorded within a five (5)-mile radius, the Marking Committee shall hire with a contracted company to have the roads repainted or reapplied with reflective tape.
 - a. The Marking Committee shall create highway districts with a five (5)-mile radius and number them appropriately. The committee shall use each district to determine the area for the reports.
- E. The Oklahoma Department of Transportation shall hire and contract with a company according to the standards set by the Oklahoma Department of Transportation. If the company that is contracted with the Marking Committee is unable to complete any duties that need to be completed to have the roads fixed, a different company shall be determined by the standards that the Marking Committee has set.
- F. Any person that is on the Marking Committee shall receive an extra pay for their services associated with the Committee. The amount of the extra pay shall be determined using the identical procedure, by the Oklahoma Department of Transportation, to determine the pay of other employees.
- G. After three (3) months of passage and approval of this bill, the Marking Committee shall send a notice letter to all Oklahoma citizens concerning the procedures set within this bill.
- H. Any additional funds used within the contents of this bill shall be covered by the General Revenue Fund.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. If any individual is caught not performing their duties, specified within Section 3A, shall be placed within a three-strike system. After three strikes, the individual is then removed from the remarking committee.
 - a. Any member removed from the committee shall be replaced within twenty (20) days after the removal of the member. This process shall be completed following the procedure set in Section 3B.
- B. Any revenue that has been collected from Section 4-A and Section 4-B shall be reallocated to the General Revenue Fund.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. SE-005

Seay (SE)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to second amendment rights of college students; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Constitutional Campus Carry” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS for the purposes of this bill

- A. “Students”—Those enrolled in a university who are at least twenty-one (21) years old and can legally possess a handgun.
- B. “Lawfully”—In accordance with 21 O.S. § 1272

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. No state educational institution shall prohibit students from exercising their right to lawfully carry a concealed handgun on campus.
- B. The enacting agency for this new law shall be the Oklahoma State System of Higher Education. The Regents for Higher Education shall adjust the state educational institution appropriations accordingly.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. Any state educational institution who is in violation of subsection (A) shall be subject to:
 - 1. For the first (1st) violation, a loss of five (5%) of state funding for the following year.
 - 2. For the second (2nd) violation, a loss of ten (10%) of state funding for the following year.
 - 3. For each subsequent violation, the loss shall increase by five (5%), not to exceed a twenty-five (25%) loss of state funding per year.
 - 4. Once the violation is corrected, the state educational institution will receive full funding from the state for the following year, providing the state educational institution has no additional fines.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. SE-006

Seay (SE)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to Spring Break protections for university students; providing short title; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Spring Break Protections” Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. No publicly funded state university shall allow assignments to be made due during the published “Spring Break” period on their academic calendars.
- B. If publicly funded state university offices are closed for “Spring Break,” students shall not be held liable for assignments made due during the published “Spring Break” period on their university’s academic calendar.
- C. Students, faculty, and staff may make reports pertaining to possible infractions to the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education that will be subject to investigation by the board before the fine is implemented.

Section 3. PENALTIES

- A. Publicly funded universities who allow assignments to be made due during the published “Spring Break” period on their academic calendars shall be fined five-thousand (\$5,000) for the first (1st) offense.
 - a. A fine of seven-thousand-five hundred (\$7,500) will be charged for each subsequent offence

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. SE-007

Vo (SE)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to postmortem gamete retrieval procedures; providing short title; providing definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Daddy Phantom” Act of 2021

Section 2. DEFINITIONS for the purpose of this act:

- A. Gamete – Is defined as a reproductive cell, including sperm or ovum, containing a haploid number of chromosomes that have the potential to form a human embryo when fused with another gamete during fertilization to produce a zygote through the combination of one individual’s deoxyribonucleic acid with another individual’s deoxyribonucleic acid of a different genetic makeup.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. It shall be unlawful for a physician legally qualified, certified, and licensed to practice in the state of Oklahoma to perform a postmortem gamete retrieval procedure upon any married individual who has been pronounced dead unless:
 - 1. There has been prior written consent by the deceased individual where the individual was informed verbally and in writing that their gamete(s) will be retrieved and used for reproductive purposes in accordance with the individual’s consent after their death to create an embryo with their, at the time of death, spouse or common law spouse; and
 - 2. The prior written consent was created and witnessed by the deceased individual’s, at the time of death, spouse, or common law spouse; and
 - 3. The request for the postmortem gamete retrieval procedure was solely made by the deceased individual’s, at the time of death, spouse or common law spouse.
- B. If the deceased individual did not have a spouse or common law spouse at the time of death, then it shall be unlawful for a physician who is legally qualified, certified, and licensed to practice in the state of Oklahoma to perform a postmortem gamete retrieval procedure upon any individual who has been pronounced dead unless:
 - 1. There has been prior written consent by the deceased individual to gift and designate the individual’s gametes as an anatomical gift in accordance with the Uniform Anatomical Gift Act beginning under 63 OK Stat § 63-2200.1A; and

2. The individual was informed verbally and in writing that their gamete(s) will be retrieved and used for purposes to the parents' discretion in accordance with the individual's consent after the pronouncement of death; and
3. The prior written consent was created and witnessed by the deceased individual's parents; and
4. The request for the postmortem gamete retrieval procedure was solely made by the deceased individual's parents.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. Any physician found in violation of this act will be subject to the revocation of their principal medical license or certification.
- B. Any spouse or common law spouse of the deceased individual at the time of the individual's death who is found using the gamete(s) retrieved from the procedure that was not consented to by the individual will be charged with a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of up to three thousand (\$3,000) dollars or imprisonment for up to one (1) year, or both such fine and imprisonment.
- C. Any spouse, common law spouse, or parents of the deceased individual at the time of the individual's death who are found to forge the written consent of the deceased individual in accordance with 21 OK Stat §21-1572 will be subject to penalties in accordance with 21 OK Stat § 21-1621v1.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. TCC-001

Author(s): Moss (TCC)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to the safety of electric scooter riders; providing for a short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the Electric Scooter Traffic Safety Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

- A. Electric Scooter: means a vehicle that is mounted on two wheels and a long steering handle that is powered by a motor capable of propelling the rider with or without human propulsion at a speed no more than twenty (20) mph on a paved surface. For example, Bird Air and Lime electric scooters.
- B. Paved Surface/Road: typically of a smooth surface made of asphalt, concrete, or other pavement material that includes, but not limited to, roads, sidewalks, driveways, and parking lots.
- C. Protective equipment: a design for protection for the human wearer against injury or disease that includes but is not limited to, goggles, hard helmets, face shields, protection gloves, safety glasses.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. A person using an electric scooter on any paved surface is required to use a hard helmet when riding.
- B. Riders under eighteen (18) years-old are required to use goggles or face-shields, along with hard helmets for protection, when riding.
- C. Any person under the age of fourteen (14) shall be prohibited from riding an electric scooter on paved surfaces without a guardian or parent present.
- D. A valid state-issued ID, showing age, is required to be in the possession of anyone riding an electric scooter.
- E. Compliance with this statute is required for riding electric scooters on all paved surfaces.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. On the first (1st) violation, the violator shall be issued a traffic warning for not following the guidelines above.
- B. On the second (2nd) and subsequent violations, the violator shall receive a traffic citation of a fine that will be determined by the District Court, but shall be no less than one hundred and twenty dollars (\$120) or greater than five hundred dollars (\$500) per ticket.

Section 5. This act shall become effective one hundred and twenty-five (125) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. TCC-002

Author(s): Moss (TCC)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to the vaccination of COVID-19; providing for a short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Mask” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

- A. COVID-19: also known as severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2; causes a respiratory infection ranging from mild cold-like symptoms to severe infections leading to respiratory failure.
- B. Vaccination: means of treatment where the body produces antibodies to prevent infection.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Once the patient receives their completed COVID-19 vaccine series with a fourteen (14) day waiting period with no symptoms they are permitted to engage in public activities without being required to wear a mask.
- B. Section 3, subsection A. is null and void if the city, county, or private businesses has a mask mandated requirement that specifically excludes the provisions of this Act.
- C. Upon taking the first (1st) vaccine, a person will be issued an Oklahoma COVID-19 Vaccine Recipient card at the vaccination site.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. Failure to present an Oklahoma COVID-19 Vaccine Recipient card will require an individual to wear a mask, based on the City’s, County’s, or businesses ordinances established to limit the spread of COVID-19.
- B. Additionally, holding large group events can be subjected to such fines or other penalties from the discretion of the City or County Ordinance.

Section 5. This act shall become effective on January 1, 2022 (01/01/2022) after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. TU-001

By: Shaw (TU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to public higher ed costs; providing short title; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Zoom University” Act of 2021

Section 2. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read
as follows:

1. All public higher education institutions will be required to outline and specifically list all tuition costs, housing costs, and amenity costs paid by their students and upon the declaration of a school, state, or national emergency which transitions students to online learning at no decision of their own, will prorate costs to accurately reflect the value of what students are now accessing.
2. If the higher education institution already provides for fully online learning, then costs paid by students transitioned to online at no decision of their own will reflect the costs already outlined with fully online students.

Section 3. PENALTIES

1. Any public higher education institution which does not comply will be subject to a loss of accreditation.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Joint Resolution No. OBU-101

By: McGee (OBU) AS

INTRODUCED

A Joint Resolution directing the Secretary of State to refer to the people for their approval or rejection of a proposed amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma; It provides protection for qualified electors of the State of Oklahoma to exercise Ranked Choice Voting; providing definitions; providing ballot title; and directing filing.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 52ND OKLAHOMA INTERCOLLEGIATE LEGISLATURE:

Section 1. The Secretary of State shall refer to the people for their approval or rejection, as and in the manner provided by law, the following proposed amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma to read as follows:

SECTION III-6

Ranked Choice Voting

In all elections held in the State of Oklahoma, wherever there are more than two (2) declared candidates available for any given office, qualified electors reserve the right to rank candidates on a scale of preference. The initial round of ballot counting will be a count of each qualified elector's most favored candidate. The candidate with at least fifty percent (50%) of all first choice votes shall be declared the winner. If no candidate meets the requisite fifty percent (50%) of all first choice votes, the candidate with the least first (1st) choice votes shall be eliminated from further rounds of counting, meaning that candidates ranked below the non-advancing candidate will move upwards in favorability by one (1) degree on each applicable ballot for the purposes of the next ballot count. This method of elimination will continue until a candidate prevails with at least fifty percent (50%) of all first (1st) choice votes.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this joint resolution:

1. "First (1st) choice votes" refers to selections made by qualified electors representing their most preferred declared candidate in any election in the State of Oklahoma in which there are two (2) or more declared candidates for any given office.
2. "Non-advancing candidate" refers to the candidate receiving the least amount of first (1st) choice votes at the end of each round of ballot counting.

Section 3. The Ballot Title for the proposed Constitutional amendment as set forth in Section 1 of the joint resolution shall be in the following form:

BALLOT TITLE

Legislative Referendum No.

State Question No.

THE GIST OF THE PROPOSITION IS AS FOLLOWS:

This measure amends Article III of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma, adding a sixth section. This would allow all qualified electors to rank declared candidates by order preference in any election where there are more than two (2) declared candidates for any office.

SHALL THIS AMENDMENT BE ADOPTED BY THE PEOPLE?

YES, FOR THE AMENDMENT

NO, AGAINST THE AMENDMENT

Section 4. The Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, immediately after the passage of this resolution, shall prepare and file one copy thereof, including the Ballot Title set forth in Section 3 hereof, with the Secretary of State and one copy with the Attorney General.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Joint Resolution No. OU-101

By: Parker (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

A Joint Resolution directing the Secretary of State to refer to the people for their approval or rejection of a proposed amendment to Section V-17A of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma; removing term limits for state legislators; providing ballot title; and directing filing.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 2nd SESSION OF THE 52nd OKLAHOMA INTERCOLLEGIATE LEGISLATURE:

Section 1. The Secretary of State shall refer to the people for their approval or rejection, as and in the manner provided by law, the following proposed amendment to Section V-17A of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma to read as follows:

Any member of the Legislature who is elected to office after the effective date of this amendment shall be eligible to serve ~~no more than 12 years~~ with no limit regarding terms of service in the Oklahoma State Legislature. Years in Legislative office need not be consecutive and years of service in both the Senate and the House of Representatives shall be added together and included in determining the total number of Legislative years in office. ~~The years served by any member elected or appointed to serve less than a full Legislative term to fill a vacancy in office shall not be included in the 12-year limitation set forth herein; but no member who has completed 12 years in office shall thereafter be eligible to serve a partial term.~~ Any member who is serving a Legislative term in office or who has been elected or appointed to serve a term in office on the effective date hereof shall be entitled to complete his or her term and shall be eligible to serve ~~an additional 12 years thereafter~~ with no limit regarding terms of service. This amendment shall be effective on the 1st day of the year following its adoption.

Section 2. The Ballot Title for the proposed Constitutional amendment as set forth in Section 1 of the resolution shall be in the following form:

BALLOT TITLE

Legislative Referendum No. _____

State Question No. _____

THE GIST OF THE PROPOSITION IS AS FOLLOWS:

This measure amends Section V-17A of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma. It would remove term limits for state legislators.

SHALL THIS AMENDMENT BE APPROVED BY THE PEOPLE?

_____ YES, FOR THE AMENDMENT

_____ NO, AGAINST THE AMENDMENT

Section 3. The Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, immediately after the passage of this resolution, shall prepare and file one copy thereof, including the Ballot Title set forth in Section 2 hereof, with the Secretary of State and one copy with the Attorney General.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Joint Resolution No. TU-101

By: King (TU)

AS INTRODUCED

A Joint Resolution directing the Secretary of State to refer to the people for their approval or rejection of a proposed amendment to Article VI Section 35 of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma; changing the Oklahoma state seal; providing ballot title; and directing filing.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 2nd SESSION OF THE 52nd OKLAHOMA INTERCOLLEGIATE LEGISLATURE:

Section 1. The Secretary of State shall refer to the people for their approval or rejection, as and in the manner provided by law, the following proposed amendment to Article VI Section 35 of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma to read as follows:

Section VI-35

In the center shall be a five pointed star, with one ray directed upward. The center of the star shall contain the central device of the seal of the Territory of Oklahoma, including the words, "~~Labor Omnia Vincit.~~" "Amor Vincit Omnia" The upper left hand ray shall contain the symbol of the ancient seal of the Cherokee Nation, namely: A seven pointed star partially surrounded by a wreath of oak leaves. The ray directed upward shall contain the symbol of the ancient seal of the Chickasaw Nation, namely: An Indian warrior standing upright with bow and shield. The lower left hand ray shall contain the symbol of the ancient seal of the Creek Nation, namely: A sheaf of wheat and a plow. The upper right hand ray shall contain the symbol of the ancient seal of the Choctaw Nation, namely: A tomahawk, bow, and three crossed arrows. The lower right hand ray shall contain the symbol of the ancient seal of the Seminole Nation, namely: A village with houses and a factory beside a lake upon which an Indian is paddling a canoe. Surrounding the central star and grouped between its rays shall be forty-five small stars, divided into five clusters of nine stars each, representing the forty-five states of the Union, to which the forty-sixth is now added. In a circular band surrounding the whole device shall be inscribed, "GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA 1907."

Section 2. The Ballot Title for the proposed Constitutional amendment as set forth in Section 1 of the resolution shall be in the following form:

BALLOT TITLE

Legislative Referendum No. _____

State Question No. _____

THE GIST OF THE PROPOSITION IS AS FOLLOWS:

This measure amends Article VI Section 35 of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma. It would change the words on the state seal from “Labor Omnia Vincit” to “Amor Vincit Omnia”

SHALL THIS AMENDMENT BE APPROVED BY THE PEOPLE?

_____ YES, FOR THE AMENDMENT

_____ NO, AGAINST THE AMENDMENT

Section 3. The Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, immediately after the passage of this resolution, shall prepare and file one copy thereof, including the Ballot Title set forth in Section 2 hereof, with the Secretary of State and one copy with the Attorney General.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. NWOSU-201

By: Tyler Gregory (NWOSU)

AS INTRODUCED

A Concurrent Resolution declaring that the Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature condemns the actions of American citizens that partake in the recent wave of Anti-Asian American sentiment and hate crimes.

WHEREAS, The COVID-19 Pandemic has led to a recent outbreak of Anti-Asian American hatred fueled by the political divisiveness of the United States. This is shown by the increase in attacks, both verbal and physical, that have increased in recent months on those of Asian background.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 52ND OKLAHOMA INTERCOLLEGIATE LEGISLATURE:

THAT, The Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature condemns all the actions of American Citizens that engage in the Anti-Asian American hate in any form.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Concurrent Resolution No. OU-201

By: Brewer (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

A Concurrent Resolution declaring war on squirrels residing on college campuses

WHEREAS, Squirrels are nuisances; and
WHEREAS, They steal food from students; and
WHEREAS, They litter nuts on sidewalks; and
WHEREAS, Squirrels are annoying.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 52ND OKLAHOMA INTERCOLLEGIATE LEGISLATURE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT, The State of Oklahoma declares war on college campus squirrels.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Concurrent Resolution No. OU-202

By: Brewer (OU)

Miranda (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

A Concurrent Resolution declaring January 19th a state holiday celebrating Dolly Parton.

WHEREAS,	Dolly Parton is an American icon; and
WHEREAS, significant; and	Her contributions to American culture have been
WHEREAS,	Her humanitarian efforts are numerous; and
WHEREAS,	She is a queen who should be celebrated; and
WHEREAS,	She is the closest thing to Jesus in America.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 52ND OKLAHOMA INTERCOLLEGIATE LEGISLATURE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT, January 19th of every year shall be Dolly Parton Day.

HOUSE LEGISLATION

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. NWOSU-501

By: Frame (NWOSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to secondary language education; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Secondary Language” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Secondary Language”: refers to the language other than English
2. “Public Schools”: learning institutions that are funded by local, state and/or federal governments.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. All Oklahoma Public Schools will be required to implement an elementary secondary language curriculum that will be applied to grades first (1st) through sixth (6th), or to the grade that completes the district’s elementary school.
2. The governing board of the district shall give instruction to a secondary language curriculum.
 - a. The curriculum must consist of content that will promote fluency, comprehension, grammar, and culture of the chosen language.
3. The secondary language course will require a passing grade from each student that intends to complete the overall requirements for their particular grade level.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OBU-501

By: Minter (OBU)

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to taxation; providing short title; providing definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Grocery Credit” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Groceries” refers to items of food sold in a grocery store.
2. “Tax credit” refers to an amount of money that can be offset against a tax liability.
3. “Household” refers to individuals who comprise a family unit and who live together under the same roof

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as a new Section of Title 68 to read as follows:

- A. An income tax credit shall be established for eligible taxpayers who incur costs from the purchase of groceries.
 - a. The established credit shall be called “The Grocery Credit.”
 - b. The tax credit shall be progressive as follows
 - i. A three hundred fifty dollar (\$350) tax credit should be distributed to all households with an annual income under forty-nine thousand nine hundred ninety-nine dollars (\$49,999)
 - ii. A three hundred dollar (\$300) tax credit should be distributed to all households with an annual income under seventy-four thousand nine hundred ninety-nine dollars (\$74,999)
 - iii. A two hundred fifty dollar (\$250) tax credit should be distributed to all households with an annual income under ninety-nine thousand nine hundred ninety-nine dollars (\$99,999)
 - iv. A two hundred dollar (\$200) tax credit should be distributed to all households with an annual income under one hundred ninety-nine thousand nine hundred ninety-nine dollars (\$199,999)
 - v. No tax credit should be distributed to households with an annual income over two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000)

Section 4. This act shall become effective three hundred sixty-five (365) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OPSU-501

By: Grays (OPSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to the regulations and limitations between the side person and main person; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Side Piece” Act of 2021

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. Side piece/person - A mistress; a woman with whom a man carries on a physical affair (not emotional affair) without having the intention of forming a serious relationship.
- B. Main person - is a person who is in a relationship that may or may not be in an affair.
- C. Direct message- a private message sent on a social media website, that only the person it is sent to can see
- D. Social media- websites and applications that enable users to create and share content or to participate in social networking

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified into the Oklahoma Statutes and to read as follows:

- 1. The relationship between the side person and main person must come into a peaceful agreement on limitations and personal space.
- 2. The side person is forbidden in sending a direct message to the main person on any social media platform.
- 3. Taking pictures with the main person without permission from the main person is also forbidden unless the main person consents.
- 4. The side piece must respect the main person’s life and relationship with the main person for it is an agreement between them.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. If the person has three (3) or more warnings the offender will spend no more than one (1) to two (2) years in a state prison or one hundred and eighty (180) in a county jail for the first (1st) offense and receives a fine or no more than three thousand dollars (\$3,000).
- B. If the side piece causes physical harm to the main person/or loved ones for the first (1st) warning, there would be a fine of up to three hundred dollars (\$300) and no jail time.

- C. If the side piece causes physical harm to the main person/or loved ones for the second (2nd) time, there will be a fine up to five-hundred dollars (\$500) and sixty (60) days in county jail.
- D. If the side piece does physical harm to the main person/or loved ones for the third (3rd) time, there will be a fine up to three-thousand dollars (\$3000) and ten (10) years in state penitentiary.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. ORU-501

Chapman (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to a new government policy about college affordability for minority students; providing for short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This policy will be called the “Helping Hands” Act of 2021

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. Racial Minority — A citizen of the United States of African American, Hispanic, Native American or Asian descent.

Section 3. NEW LAW

A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Public Colleges and Universities must reduce tuition up to fifty percent (50%) for students characterized as minorities.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. If an institution fails to adhere to these guidelines, they must submit an accountability report detailing the university’s performance in carrying out the duties assigned to it.
- B. An Institution can be subject to a fine of up to thirty-four thousand dollars (\$34,000) per student affected.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days following its passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. ORU-502

Chapman (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to mental health and counseling services implemented in the public school system for teachers and students; providing for short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This policy will be called the “We Care” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. Counseling- the provision of assistance and guidance in resolving personal, social, or psychological problems and difficulties

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Public schools’ grades K-12 must provide on site counseling services to teachers and students by a licensed therapist.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. The school will have to submit a mandatory accountability report.
- B. The institution may receive a one hundred thousand dollar (\$100,000) civil penalty.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) following its passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. ORU-503

Chapman (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to development and sustainability by making recycling centers mandatory on college campuses; providing for short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This policy will be called the “Triple R” Act of 2021

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. Recycling Center – A facility capable of converting waste materials into new materials and objects. The recovery of energy from waste materials is often included in this concept.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Recycling centers must be mandatory on public college campuses.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. A representative of the University must complete thirty-five (35) sessions a year for the next five (5) years at a seminar on climate change and supporting global sustainability.
- B. In addition, the University may be fined one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) or charged a fifty thousand dollar (\$50,000) civil penalty.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) following its passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. ORU-504

Laker (ORU)

Spears (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to menstrual leave; providing for short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This policy will be called the “And That’s on Period” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Menstrual cycle” — menstruation is the elimination of the thickened lining of the uterus (endometrium) from the body through the vagina. Menstrual fluid contains blood, cells from the lining of the uterus (endometrial cells) and mucus. The average length of a period is between three (3) days and one (1) week.
- B. “All Menstruating Persons” — anyone who experiences a menstrual cycle regardless gender.
- C. “Unpaid leave” — is leave that is granted exceptionally by the workplace and that is given permission to occur by the workplace, but is not compensated.
- D. “Employee” — A person who is hired to work for another person or business (the employer) for compensation and is subject to the employer's direction as to the details of how to perform the job.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Enacted under the Oklahoma Department of Labor, which will fall under the administration of the Labor Commissioner, will enforce menstrual unpaid leave in all government-owned places of employment.
- B. All menstruating persons employed in a government-owned establishment shall be entitled to unpaid menstrual leave.
 - 1. If an employee undergoing menstruation shall be entitled to thirty (30) minutes of rest period twice a day for no more than five (5) days during menstruation in a month.
 - 2. Employees may reserve the right to opt-out of working during menstruation days and shall not receive compensation for their time off.

C. All menstruating persons shall have the right to self-perception their menstrual cycle in accordance with the provisions of this Act.

Section 4. PENALTIES

A. Whoever,—

(1.) denies leave to a menstruating employee; or

(2.) obstructs an employee from entitlement of menstrual leave; or

(3.) denies or discontinues prescribed rest and recreation facilities the menstruating employees on,

Shall be reported to the Commissioner of the Oklahoma Department of Labor.

Section 5. This act shall become effective one-hundred eighty (180) following its passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. ORU-505

Laker (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to mental health; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Cancel Standardized Tests” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS:

- A. “Standardized Test”: A test or series of tests that are administered and scored in a consistent, or "standard" manner over a large population.
- B. “Tertiary Education Institutions”: the educational level following the completion of secondary education including undergraduate and postgraduate programs.
- C. “SAT”: a standardized test widely used for college admissions in the United States.
- D. “ACT”: a standardized test widely used for college admissions in the United State

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Tertiary education institutions under the Oklahoma State Department of Education, shall suspend the submission of standardized tests as a requirement for admission.
- B. Publicly funded universities and colleges will enter a four (4)year program to phase out of the SAT and ACT.
 - 1. In the first (1st) and second (2nd) year, submission of standardized test scores by prospective students will be optional.
 - 2. In the third (3rd) and fourth (4th) year, submission of standardized test scores shall be suspended.
- C. This law will not infringe on the rights of private higher education institutions.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. ORU-506

Sarfo (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act requiring new parents to take a CPR certification course; providing for short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing for an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “In Certified Hands” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

1. “Legal Parent” - a father or mother who has not had their parental rights severed
2. “Guardian” - a person who has the legal authority and duty to care for the personal and property interests of another
3. “Valid” - legally or officially acceptable
4. “Accredited” – officially recognized

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows

- A. A legal parent(s) and/or guardian(s) must enroll in an accredited CPR Training and Certification course no more than thirty (30) days after giving birth to a child or adopting a child under the age of five (5).
 - a. They must complete it and receive certification no more than ten (10) days of registering for the course.
- B. Upon completion and passing of the course, the legal parent(s) and/or guardian(s) must present a valid certificate to a local hospital where the certificate will be approved.
- C. The legal parent(s) and/or guardian(s) must renew their certification before the twenty-four (24)-month expiry by completing an accredited course.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. If a new legal parent(s) and/or guardian(s) is found to have not registered for a CPR certification class within thirty (30) days of giving birth and/or has not turned in a valid certificate of completion to any hospital within ten (10) days of registering for the course, they will be charged a late certification penalty fee of sixty (60) dollars and will be given ten (10) days after the subjection of the fee to pay and enroll in a course.
- B. If a new legal parent(s) and/or guardian(s) still has not abided they will be charged a fee of one hundred (100) dollars and will be given ten (10) days to pay and enroll in a course.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days following its passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. ORU-507

Sarfo (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to the bail bond system; providing short title; amending O.S. §22-1101; and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the Jail Bail Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY O.S. §22-1101, is amended to read as follows:

- A. Except as otherwise provided by law, bail, by sufficient sureties, shall be admitted upon all arrests in criminal cases where the offense is not punishable by death and in such cases it may be taken by any of the persons or courts authorized by law to arrest, to imprison offenders or to perform pretrial services, or by the clerk of the district court or his or her deputy, or by the judge of such courts.
- B. In criminal cases where the defendant is currently an escaped prisoner from the Department of Corrections, the defendant must be processed back into the Department of Corrections prior to bail being set on new criminal charges.
- C. All persons shall be bailable by sufficient sureties, except that bail ~~may~~ will be denied for:
 1. Capital offenses when the proof of guilt is evident, ~~or the presumption thereof is great~~;
 2. Violent offenses,
 3. Personal crimes where the maximum sentence may be at least ten (10) years' imprisonment.
 4. Offenses where the maximum sentence may be life imprisonment or life imprisonment without parole;
 5. Felony offenses where the person charged with the offense has been convicted of two or more felony offenses arising out of different transactions; and
 6. Controlled dangerous substances offenses where the maximum sentence may be at least ten (10) years' imprisonment

On all offenses specified in paragraphs 2 through 5 of this subsection, the proof of guilt must be evident, or the presumption must be great, and it must be on the grounds that ~~no~~ any condition of release would ~~assure~~ threaten the safety of the community or any person.

- D. There shall be a rebuttable presumption that ~~no~~ any condition of release would ~~assure~~ threaten the safety of the community if the state shows by clear and convincing evidence that the person was arrested for a violation of Section 741 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

Section 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. ORU-508

Sarfo (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act outlawing private criminal defense attorneys; providing short title; amending O.S. §22-13; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Right to Equal Defense” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY O.S. §22-13, is amended to read as follows:

A. In a criminal action the defendant is entitled:

1. To a speedy and public trial.
2. To be only allowed public counsel, as in civil actions, or to appear and defend in person and with counsel; and,
3. To produce witnesses on his behalf, and to be confronted with the witnesses against him in the presence of the court.

B. The hiring of private counsel on behalf of criminal defendants shall henceforth be prohibited.

Section 3. This act shall become effective one-hundred and eighty (180) days after passages and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. ORU-509

Sarfo (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to jaywalking; providing short title; amending §O.S. 47-11-502; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “My Way or the Highway” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY O.S. §47-11-502, is amended to read as follows:

(a) When traffic-control signals are not in place or not in operation, the driver of a vehicle shall yield the right-of-way, slowing down or stopping if need be to so yield, to a pedestrian crossing the roadway within a crosswalk when the pedestrian is upon the half of the roadway upon which the vehicle is traveling, or when the pedestrian is approaching so closely from the opposite half of the roadway as to be in danger.

(b) No pedestrian shall suddenly leave a curb or other place of safety and walk or run into the path of a vehicle which is so close that it is impossible for the driver to yield.

(c) Pedestrians may leave a curb or sidewalk to cross streets and roadways at an unmarked crosswalk or at a section without a crosswalk at their discretion.

(d) Paragraph (a) shall not apply under the conditions stated in Section 11-503(b).

(e) Whenever any vehicle is stopped at a marked crosswalk or at any unmarked crosswalk at an intersection to permit a pedestrian to cross the roadway, the driver of any other vehicle approaching from the rear shall not overtake and pass such stopped vehicle.

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. ORU-510

Spears (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to the reduction of plastic use; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Clean up!” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Plastic”- is a material that is produced from oil by a chemical process and that is used to make many objects. It is light in weight and does not break easily. A synthetic material made from a wide range of organic polymers such as polyethylene, PVC, nylon, etc., that can be molded into shape while soft, and then set into a rigid or slightly elastic form.
- B. “Retail stores” - a place of business usually owned and operated by a retailer but sometimes owned and operated by a manufacturer or by someone other than a retailer in which merchandise is sold primarily to ultimate consumers

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. The use of single-use plastic bags at large retail stores will no longer be available.
- B. Large retail stores must prohibit non-biodegradable plastic bags at checkout, as well as paper bags containing less than forty percent (40%) recycled material.
- C. Customers must bring non-biodegradable bags if there are none present.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. If any institution or individual is found in violation of this law they shall be subject to an investigation conducted by the Director Oklahoma Department of Health and will be required to serve forty-eight (48) hours of community service.

Section 5. This act shall become effective in one hundred eighty (180) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. ORU-511

Tolbert (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to Covid-19 measures at higher educational institutions; providing for short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Healthy Return to Normalcy” Act of 2021

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Covid-19” - the novel coronavirus that originated in Wuhan, China in 2019 and spread across the globe inciting a global pandemic throughout 2020 and into 2021.
- B. “Measures” - the regulations in place to combat the spread of the coronavirus.
- C. “Higher educational institutions”- public or private university, or college.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to

read as follows:

- A. In response to the variety of Covid-19 vaccines available, it shall be illegal for public universities or colleges to impose a vaccination upon their students.
- B. Higher educational institutions that reach a threshold of seventy-five percent (75%) of the student and staff population to be completely vaccinated shall be exempt from enforced state-mandated measures, including
 - a. Wearing a mask
 - b. Social distancing
 - c. Banning large gatherings
- C. Higher educational institutions that fail to meet the seventy-five percent (75%) threshold will continue following state-mandated measures as they work towards a higher vaccination rate.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- 1. Public schools found forcing students and/or staff to vaccinate against Covid-19 shall cover the expenses of each individual.
- 2. Public schools will also receive a five hundred dollar (\$500) fine for each individual.

Section 5. This act shall become effective August 1, 2021 (the beginning of the 2021-2022 school year) following its passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. ORU-512

Tolbert (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to free student parking; providing for short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “ Free Parking” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Free” -- students cannot be forced to purchase a parking sticker or be ticketed for lack thereof or for any reason other than a parking or moving violation.
- B. “Citation”-- encompasses fines or fees distributed from law enforcement or campus security for a parking violation or moving violation
- C. “Parking violation”-- the act of parking a motor vehicle in a restricted place or for parking in an unauthorized manner.
- D. “Moving violation”--any violation of the law committed by the driver of a vehicle while it is in motion.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to

read as follows:

- A. It shall be illegal for any public higher education institution in the State of Oklahoma to issue a citation for enrolled students for any reason other than a parking or moving violation.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- 1. Any higher education institution found to be in violation will receive a one thousand dollar (\$1,000) fine for every one hundred dollars (\$100) cited to a student against these regulations.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days following its passage and approval

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. ORU-513

Tolbert (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to the prevention of gun violence; providing for short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Proactive Safety” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Prevention”-- the action of stopping something from happening or arising
- B. “Gun violence” -- act from one person or group to another person or group using a fire-arm, whether obtained legally or illegally.
- C. “Student connectivity”-- an ideal that emphasizes students operating in a friendly, sympathetic, and uplifting manner towards one another despite differences.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to

read as follows:

- A. In response to the pattern of gun violence in America, this legislation is meant to ration funds to schools for counselors and staff whose job description includes a commitment to student connectivity.
- B. Studies have shown that individuals who are disconnected, bullied, or otherwise ostracized from their community make up a significant amount of those individuals who choose to act violently using fire-arms.
- C. The goal of of this bill is to push for a higher level of unity throughout the school system, so that even if there are factions of students with different interests, hobbies, and backgrounds, the school can work to connect fringe students with those similar or dissimilar to them in an attempt to connect them to the bigger picture of the community.

Section 4. This act shall become effective August 1, 2021 (the beginning of the 2021-2022) following passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. ORU-514

Woodrich (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to (public schools neurodiversity training sessions) training sessions for all public schools on Tourette Syndrome and other related comorbid disorders; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Neurodiversity and Inclusion” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

1. “Anti-Bullying” – is a campaign that helps to fight and prevent bullying while raising awareness of its existence through education and discussion.
2. “Autism” – a developmental disorder of variable severity that is characterized by difficulty in social interaction and communication and by restricted or repetitive patterns of thought and behavior.
3. “Bullying” – seek to harm, intimidate, or coerce (someone perceived as vulnerable).
4. “Tourette Syndrome” – part of a spectrum of hereditary, childhood-onset, neurological conditions referred to as Tic Disorders. TS affects both children and adults, causing them to make sudden, uncontrollable, repetitive movements and sounds called “tics.”

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

1. It is the intent of this bill to require all public school students and teachers, grades K4-12, to attend a specific training session on anti-bullying, acceptance and inclusion as it relates to Tourette Syndrome, ADHD, OCD, Autism, Anxiety, and other neurological disorders, provided by the Tourette Association of America.
 1. “Teachers” includes, but not limited to, the following:
 - a. Any public school teacher K4-12, Principals, School Psychologists, Board Certified Behavioral Analysts, Social Workers, Educational Diagnosticians Behavioral Management Specialists, and Special Education teachers and Special Education District Administrators.
2. Training, including resource materials for teachers, will be provided to the public schools for free, as the cost for the training program will be covered from a two million dollar (\$2,000,000) grant from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

3. Training sessions will be held once a week on a rotating schedule at a specific location at each public school.
 - a. the school gymnasium or
 - b. performing arts center,
 - c. be given by trained Youth Ambassadors from the Tourette Association of America.
4. The training sessions shall be established for a minimum term of three (3) years.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. The Oklahoma State Department of Education shall be responsible to ensure that every public school adheres to their training schedule as set forth by the Tourette Association of America, or be subject to a fine of not more than two hundred and fifty (\$250), to be paid to the Tourette Association of America.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. ORU-515

Woodrich (ORU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to relieving student debt for frontline health-care workers; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Medical Student Debt Relief” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

1. “COVID-19” – (Novel Coronavirus) first detected at a wildlife market in Wuhan, China in 2019.
2. “Hospital” – an institute providing medical and surgical treatment and nursing care for sick or injured people.
3. “Medical Student” – any health care student, current or previous, enrolled in medical or nursing school.
4. “Pandemic” – (of a disease) prevalent over a whole country or the world.
5. “Frontline health-care workers” – someone who is certified under federal or state law to provide health-care services and who provides Covid related health-care services.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

1. It is the intent of this bill to pardon all student debt loans for any medical student, past or present, who is currently working to provide healthcare for any person or persons who have been or will be diagnosed with COVID-19, as outlined by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the National Institutes of Health (NIH).
 1. “Medical student” includes, but not limited to, the following:
 - a. Any person currently working in the healthcare field, Doctor of Medicine (MD), Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (DO), Specialists, Registered Nurse(RN), Nurse Practitioner (NP), Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN), medical residents, medical interns, medical fellows, home health-care workers, or any medical health professionals.
2. This will apply not only for the current COVID -19 pandemic, but also be applicable for any future pandemics or consequences that may arise from these events in the future.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. The Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education shall be responsible to ensure that every university or institute of higher learning adheres to this, or be subject to a fine of not more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) per student, to be paid directly to the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52th Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-503

By: Doty (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to driver's licenses; providing short title; providing definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the "Senior Citizen Driver's Testing" Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

A. "Senior Citizen" shall be defined as anyone aged over sixty (60) years.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. A driver's test shall be taken once every five (5) years beginning at the age of sixty (60).
- a. Anyone who fails the test may retake it two (2) times as needed.
 - b. After the third (3rd) consecutive failure, the driver is determined to be unfit to drive and their driver's license shall be revoked with immediate effect.

Section 4. This act shall become effective 90 days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-504

By: Doty (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to adoptions; providing short title; providing definitions; providing codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Equal Adoption Rights” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Gender identity” shall be defined as an individual's personal sense of having or being a particular gender.
- B. “Sexual orientation” shall be defined as a person's identity in relation to the gender or genders to which they are sexually attracted.
- C. “Adoption agency” shall be defined as any group or organization that finds homes for children with willing parents.
- D. “Potential parents” shall be defined as any individual or couple that is initiating or engaging in the adoption process.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. All adoption agencies shall be prohibited from discriminating against potential parents based on perceived or actual gender identity or sexual orientation.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-505

By: Dougherty (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to expungement of juvenile court and arrest records; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Fresh Start for Young Oklahomans” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Court costs” means fees charged to defendants to share the costs related to their cases and fines imposed by the courts meant to punish the offender, not including restitution payments.
2. “Expungement” means the sealing of criminal records, as well as any public civil record, involving actions brought by and against the State of Oklahoma arising from the same arrest, transaction or occurrence, as defined in O.S. §22-18.
3. “Petition” means a formal request to a court for an order of the court.
4. “Felony” means an offense as defined by O.S. §21-5.
5. “Misdemeanor” means an offense as defined by O.S. §21-6.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. Juvenile court and arrest records of misdemeanor charges shall be automatically expunged once the individual charged reaches legal adulthood. This expungement process shall occur (1) without requiring the individual to pay a processing fee and (2) without regard to whether all court costs have been paid in relation to their informal adjustment or juvenile proceedings, provided that:
 - a. The individual has successfully completed the informal adjustment agreement, the deferred adjudication, or a period of probation or custody with a juvenile bureau or the Office of Juvenile Affairs; and

- b. The individual's case is being, or has been, dismissed by the court, or the court is closing the case due to lack of jurisdiction upon the person or child reaching eighteen (18) years of age or nineteen (19) years of age if jurisdiction of the court was previously extended by the court pursuant to O.S. §10A-2-7-504; and
 - c. The individual has not been arrested for any adult criminal offense and no charge, indictment, or information has been filed or is pending against the person or child at the time of the petition for an expungement.
2. An individual — or their parent, legal guardian or the attorney for that individual — who is the subject of a juvenile court record regarding felony charges may petition the district court in which the juvenile court record is located for an order to expunge that record and related arrests records.
- a. This petition may be filed either as an oral or written petition for an order to expunge the record pertaining to the defendant at the time the case is before the court for a final review of the ordered disposition pursuant to O.S. §10A-2-2-503, or it may be filed at any time after an informal adjustment agreement has been successfully completed, pursuant to O.S. §10A-2-2-104; and
 - b. This petition may be filed without regard to whether all court costs have been paid for the informal adjustment or the juvenile proceedings, and it may not require a processing fee, provided that:
 - i. The individual has successfully completed the informal adjustment agreement, the deferred adjudication, or a period of probation or custody with a juvenile bureau or the Office of Juvenile Affairs; and
 - ii. The individual's case is being, or has been, dismissed by the court, or the court is closing the case due to lack of jurisdiction upon the individual reaching eighteen (18) years of age or nineteen (19) years of age if jurisdiction of the court was previously extended by the court pursuant to O.S. §10A-2-7-504; and
 - iii. The individual has not been arrested for any adult criminal offense and no charge, indictment, or information has been filed or is pending against the person or child at the time of the petition for an expungement.
 - c. Upon the receipt of the individual's petition, the court shall grant the expungement if it finds that the harm to the individual's privacy and interests or dangers of other unwarranted adverse

consequences outweigh the public interest in retaining the records unsealed.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-506

By: Dougherty (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to voting rights; providing short title; providing for definitions; amending O.S. §26-4-101; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Restoration of Civil Rights” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

“Carceral” means of or involving incarceration in prison or jail

Section 3. AMENDATORY O.S. §26-4-101 is amended to read as follows:

1. Every person who is a qualified elector as defined by Section 1 of Article III of the Oklahoma Constitution shall be entitled to become a registered voter in the precinct of his residence, with the following exceptions:
 - a. Persons convicted of a felony shall be ineligible to register ~~for a period of time equal to the time prescribed in the judgment and sentence.~~ "until they have completed or been released from the carceral portion of their sentence."

Section 4. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. The Oklahoma Department of Corrections shall notify inmates, in writing, of their eligibility to register to vote upon completion of the carceral portion of their sentence. Upon release, the Department shall ensure that formerly incarcerated persons are provided with the following information:
 - a. A voter registration form and written instructions for returning the form by mail; and
 - b. Written information regarding how to register to vote in person and electronically.

Section 5. PENALTIES

1. Agents of the Oklahoma Department of Corrections who are (1) charged with proving the information in sections 4.1.a and 4.1.b of this Act and (2) who fail to do so on more than one occasion shall be subject to sanctions as determined by the Auditing and Compliance Unit of the Department of Corrections.

Section 6. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-507

By: Dougherty (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to laws; providing short title; repealing O.S. §1-85A; providing for penalties; and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Wild Wild West” Act of 2021.

Section 2. REPEALER §1-85A O.S. are hereby repealed

Section 3. PENALTIES

A. Anyone who makes or follows a law shall be legally canceled.

Section 4. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-508

By: Fleschute (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to creating a comprehensive Sex Education course in Oklahoma public schools; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Sex Ed” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. Gender – the social identity of a person with no regard to biological sex.
2. Sex – the biological of the individual with reference to their sex organs.
3. Male Reproductive Anatomy - includes the penis, scrotum, testes, epididymis, vas deferens, prostate, and seminal vesicles.
4. Female Reproductive Anatomy - made up of the vulva, the vagina, the cervix, the uterus, the fallopian tubes and the ovaries.
5. STD - sexually transmitted disease.
6. STD Transmission - infections that are passed from one person to another through sexual contact. The contact is usually vaginal, oral, and anal sex. But sometimes they can *spread* through other intimate physical contact.
7. Contraceptive - a device or drug serving to prevent pregnancy. Including all forms of birth control, male and female condoms, dental dam and abstinence
8. LGBTQIA+ - an acronym for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and queer or questioning. These terms are used to describe a person’s sexual orientation or gender identity.
9. Abortion - the deliberate termination of a human pregnancy, most often performed during the first twenty eight (28) weeks of pregnancy. All forms, effects to the body of the woman, counseling opportunities, cost.
10. Consent – the adamant agreement to take part in sexual acts by both parties of legal age and without coercion.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. All public high schools within the state of Oklahoma must require and provide a comprehensive sex education course with a substitute course available. This course will be required in addition to the basic health course requirement to

graduate. This course will only be one (1) semester long and cover a variety of topics (Section 3.5). Both men and women will be required to take the same course with all the same material covered.

- a. The topics to be included in the original course are: male and female anatomy specifically reproductive organs, STD's , contraceptives and their benefits, a section on sex toys and masturbation, LGBTQIA+ community, abortion , consent, discuss how sexual acts can better or worsen relationships, financial requirements and life style of having children young.

2. For those students with religious objections to the course content will be offered a sub course. This course will cover many general topics included in the original with a few topics excluded (section 3.6). For a student to be exempt from the original course any and all parents and or guardians must sign off and meet with the student's counselor. The student must also meet with a counselor privately to discuss their opinion. After conferring with the parent(s) and or guardian(s) and the student the counselor will decide which course the student will take.

- a. The topics to be included in the sub course are: : male and female anatomy specifically reproductive organs, STD's, contraceptives and their benefits, LGBTQIA+ community, consent, discuss how sexual acts can better or worsen relationships, financial requirements and life style of having children young.

3. No student may be released from the obligations to complete this course either in its original form or the sub course.

4. It will be the responsibility of the school to provide the staff to teach this course and or train any current staff to teach this course along with their courses. As referenced before, all the same material will be provided for all sexes. However, if the community of the school feels more comfortable with the course being taught with only students of the same gender in the class at a time the school may do so.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. If any district within the state of Oklahoma refuses to offer these courses one million dollars (\$1,000,000) will be deducted from their budget. Every year that passes without these courses being offered and required the deduction will double.

Section 5. This act shall become effective at the beginning of the 2022-2023 academic year.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-509

By: Fleschute (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to transgender youth; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “ Supporting Transgender Youth” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. Testosterone - a steroid hormone that stimulates development of male secondary sexual characteristics, produced mainly in the testes, but also in the ovaries and adrenal cortex.
2. Estrogen - any of a group of steroid hormones which promote the development and maintenance of female characteristics of the body.
3. Masculinizing Hormone Therapy - given the male hormone testosterone, which suppresses your menstrual cycles and decreases the production of estrogen from your ovaries. Changes caused by these medications can be temporary or permanent.
4. Feminizing Hormone Therapy - given medication to block the action of the hormone testosterone. You will also be given the hormone estrogen to decrease testosterone production and induce feminine secondary sex characteristics. Changes caused by these medications can be temporary or permanent.
5. Gender Reassignment Surgery - multiple medical and/or surgical treatments related to alleviating gender dysphoria. Surgery to change primary and/or secondary sex characteristics (e.g., breasts/chest, external and/or internal genitalia, facial features, body contouring)
6. Gender - the social identity of a person with no regard to biological sex.
7. Sex – the biology of the individual with reference to their sex organs.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. All persons ages fourteen (14) and older may seek out and receive hormone therapy with parental consent in the state of Oklahoma.
2. All persons ages sixteen (16) and older may seek out and receive hormone therapy without the need of parental consent in the state of Oklahoma.

3. All persons ages eighteen (18) and older may seek out and receive gender reassignment surgery in the state of Oklahoma.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-510

By: Fleschute (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to enacting a fifty-cent tax on all single use plastic bags; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Plastic Tax” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. Single Use Plastic - goods that are made primarily from fossil fuel-based chemicals (petrochemicals) and are meant to be disposed of right after use.
2. Reusable Bag - any bag with handles that is specifically designed and manufactured for multiple reuses, and is made of cloth or other washable fabric, or durable material.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. All businesses within the state of Oklahoma will be required to implement a fifty-cent (.50) tax on all single use plastic bags. It will be the job of the individual business to record and collect this tax. Businesses must notify their patrons about this legislature at least one (1) month in advance of the effective date.
2. This tax revenue will go towards the public-school system of Oklahoma and to support local environmental efforts.
3. This bill only includes the tax on single use plastic bags and does not include the taxation of paper bags.
4. Until the use of single use plastic bags can be properly recorded and taxed they will not be offered at self-checkout.
5. All stores must allow the use of reusable bags by the patrons. No store will be allowed to limit the brand or type of reusable bags allowed for use in their stores.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. Any business who fails to enforce this tax will be fined one thousand dollars (\$1,000). Every subsequent month that the business fails to enforce this tax, they shall be fined double the amount.

2. Any individual who refuses to pay the tax will be denied the use of plastic bags at that store/establishment.

Section 5. This act shall become effective January 1st, 2023.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-511

By: Fleschute (OSU)

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AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to Karens; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Clap Back” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. Karen – an obnoxious, angry, entitled, and often racist and homophobic middle-aged white woman who uses her privilege to get her way or police other people's behaviors.
2. Richard – colloquially referred to as “Dick”, the male counterpart to a Karen, also an obnoxious, angry, entitled, and often racist and homophobic middle-aged white man who uses his privilege to get his way or police other people's behaviors.
3. Customer service – the provision of service to customers before, during, and after a purchase.
4. Assault - act of inflicting physical harm or unwanted physical contact upon a person.
5. Distress - extreme anxiety, sorrow, or pain.
6. Discomfort - extreme anxiety, sorrow, or pain.
7. Irritation - the state of feeling annoyed, impatient, or slightly angry.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. Any customer service worker in the state of Oklahoma may physically and verbally assault any Karen or Richard that causes them distress, discomfort, or irritation.
2. Shoving, slapping, hitting, kicking, punching, and yelling are allowed. No outside weapons are included.
3. No employee can be fired or sued so long as they do not use outside weapons.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. Any person who interferes with the employee's rights, will forfeit to the same actions as taken against a Karen.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-512

By: Hager (OSU)

Valles (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to the sex education in Oklahoma; providing short title; providing definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Assisting in Preventing Teen Pregnancy” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

A. Sex Education: Providing proper education on the dangers of unprotected sex. (i.e. STDS/HIVS, Unplanned Pregnancies, etc.)

B. Secondary Schools: All high school restrooms, ninth grade and up.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of the law to be codified in the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

- A. All public secondary schools in the State of Oklahoma must discuss the dangers of not practicing safe sexual intercourse and assisting in giving the students the resources to do so.
- B. All public secondary schools must provide a condom dispenser in the bathrooms of any secondary school restroom.
- C. All public secondary schools must provide a sex education class to keep students informed of the acts they are performing.
- D. This act will be funded by the health department located in each school district and assisted by local tax dollars.

Section 4. This act shall take effect the next fiscal year after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-513

By: Harbison (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to violent crimes; providing short title; amending 57 O.S. § 571; providing for definitions; providing codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Violent Crime Reform” Act of 2021

Section 2. AMENDATORY 57 O.S. § 571

~~A.— Any operator of a motor vehicle who has received a visual and audible signal, a red light and a siren from a peace officer driving a motor vehicle showing the same to be an official police, sheriff, highway patrol or state game ranger vehicle directing the operator to bring the vehicle to a stop and who willfully increases the speed or extinguishes the lights of the vehicle in an attempt to elude such peace officer, or willfully attempts in any other manner to elude the peace officer, or who does elude such peace officer, is guilty of a misdemeanor. The peace officer, while attempting to stop a violator of this section, may communicate a request for the assistance of other peace officers from any office, department or agency. Any peace officer within this state having knowledge of such request is authorized to render such assistance in stopping the violator and may effect an arrest under this section upon probable cause. Violation of this subsection shall constitute a misdemeanor and shall be punishable by not more than one (1) year imprisonment in the county jail or by a fine of not less than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) nor more than Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) or by both such fine and imprisonment. A second or subsequent violation of this subsection shall be punishable by not more than one (1) year in the county jail or by a fine of not less than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) nor more than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) or both such fine and imprisonment.~~

~~B.— B. Any person who violates the provisions of subsection A of this section in such manner as to endanger any other person shall be deemed guilty of a felony punishable by imprisonment in the State Penitentiary for a term of not less than one (1) year nor more than five (5) years, or by a fine of not less than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) nor more than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or by both such fine and imprisonment.~~

~~C.— C. 1. Any person who causes an accident, while eluding or attempting to elude an officer, resulting in great bodily injury to any other person while driving or operating a motor vehicle within this state and who is in violation of the provisions of subsection A of this section may be charged with a violation of the provisions of this subsection. Any person who is convicted of a violation of the provisions of this subsection shall be deemed guilty of a felony punishable by imprisonment in a state correctional institution for not less than one (1)~~

~~year and not more than five (5) years, and a fine of not more than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00).~~

~~D. — 2. As used in this subsection, "great bodily injury" means bodily injury which creates a substantial risk of death or which causes serious, permanent disfigurement or protracted loss or impairment of the function of any bodily member or organ.~~

Section 3. DEFINITIONS

A. "Police officer, police or peace officer" Any duly appointed person who is charged with the responsibility of maintaining public order, safety, and health by the enforcement of all laws, ordinances or orders of this state or any of its political subdivisions and who is authorized to bear arms in execution of his responsibilities, including reserve for deputies, reserve municipal police officers, and tribal law enforcement officers who are commissioned pursuant to a cross-deputation agreement authorized by Section 1221 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

B. "Violent Crime" means any of the following felony offenses and any attempts to commit or conspiracy or solicitation to commit the following crimes: assault, battery, or assault and battery with a dangerous or deadly weapon, as provided for in [Sections 645 and 652 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; assault, battery, or assault and battery with a deadly weapon or by other means likely to produce death or great bodily harm, as provided for in [Section 652 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; aggravated assault and battery on a police officer, sheriff, highway patrolman, or any other officer of the law, as provided for in [Section 650 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; poisoning with intent to kill, as provided for in [Section 651 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; shooting with intent to kill, as provided for in [Section 652 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; assault with intent to kill, as provided for in [Section 653 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; assault with intent to commit a felony, as provided for in [Section 681 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; assaults with a dangerous weapon while masked or disguised, as provided for in [Section 1303 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; murder in the first degree, as provided for in [Section 701.7 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; murder in the second degree, as provided for in [Section 701.8 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; manslaughter in the first degree, as provided for in [Section 711 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; manslaughter in the second degree, as provided for in [Section 716 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; kidnapping, as provided for in [Section 741 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; burglary in the first degree, as provided for in [Section 1431 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; burglary with explosives, as provided for in [Section 1441 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; kidnapping for extortion, as provided for in [Section 745 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; maiming, as provided for in [Section 751 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; robbery, as provided for in [Section 791 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; robbery in the first degree, as provided for in [Section 797 et seq. of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; robbery in the second degree, as provided for in [Section 797 et seq. of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; armed robbery, as provided for in [Section 801 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; robbery by two or more persons, as provided for in [Section 800 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; robbery with dangerous weapon or

imitation firearm, as provided for in [Section 801 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; child abuse, as provided for in [Section 843.5 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; wiring any equipment, vehicle or structure with explosives, as provided for in [Section 849 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; forcible sodomy, as provided for in [Section 888 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; rape in the first degree, as provided for in [Section 1114 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; rape in the second degree, as provided for in [Section 1114 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; rape by instrumentation, as provided for in [Section 1111.1 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; lewd or indecent proposition or lewd or indecent act with a child under sixteen (16) years of age, as provided for in [Section 1123 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; use of a firearm or offensive weapon to commit or attempt to commit a felony, as provided for in [Section 1287 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; pointing firearms, as provided for in [Section 1279 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; rioting, as provided for in [Section 1311 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; inciting to riot, as provided for in [Section 1320.2 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; arson in the first degree, as provided for in [Section 1401 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; injuring or burning public buildings, as provided for in [Section 349 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; sabotage, as provided for in [Section 1262 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; criminal syndicalism, as provided for in [Section 1261 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; extortion, as provided for in [Section 1481 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; obtaining signature by extortion, as provided for in [Section 1485 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; seizure of a bus, discharging firearm or hurling missile at bus, as provided for in [Section 1903 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; mistreatment of a mental patient, as provided for in [Section 843.1 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; using a vehicle to facilitate the discharge of a weapon pursuant to [Section 652 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; bombing offenses as defined in [Section 1767.1 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; child pornography or aggravated child pornography as defined in Section [1021.2](#), [1021.3](#), [1024.1](#) or [1040.12a](#) of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes; child prostitution as defined in [Section 1030 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; abuse of a vulnerable adult as defined in [Section 10-103 of Title 43A](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes who is a resident of a nursing facility; aggravated trafficking as provided for in subsection C of [Section 2-415 of Title 63](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; aggravated assault and battery upon any person defending another person from assault and battery, as provided for in [Section 646 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; human trafficking, as provided for in [Section 748 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; terrorism crimes as provided in [Section 1268 et seq. of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes; domestic abuse by strangulation, domestic assault with a dangerous weapon, domestic assault and battery with a dangerous weapon, or domestic assault and battery with a deadly weapon, as provided for in [Section 644 of Title 21](#) of the Oklahoma Statutes.

Section 4. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. It shall be considered a violent crime to commit domestic abuse in the presence of a minor.
- B. Any person found guilty of committing domestic abuse in the presence of a minor will be charged with a felony.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-514

By: Hurlbut (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to game and fish; providing for a short title; providing codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Responsible Octopus Fishing” Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. The Oklahoma Wildlife Conservation Commission shall promulgate rules establishing an Octopus fishing season, as well as a reward for the proven capture of an Octopus from lake Oolagah, lake Tenkiller, or lake Thunderbird.
- B. The Commission shall set annual season dates and create any necessary specific fishing licenses and fees.

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-515

By: Hurlbut (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to education; providing for a short title; providing definitions; providing codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Well rounded citizens” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- a. “Secondary School” refers to schools, or divisions of school districts, which teach, at the least, at the tenth (10th), eleventh (11th) and twelfth (12th) grade level.
- b. “Classics” refers to the study of ancient Greece and ancient Rome, including, but not limited to, their history, architecture, art, philosophy, literature, archaeology, and mythology.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. All secondary schools in the state of Oklahoma must require students, as a condition to graduate, one (1) semester-long course in Classics.
- B. Students who are already in secondary school prior to the passing of this bill are not subject to this requirement.

Section 4. This act shall become effective on July 31st, 2021 following passage and approval

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-516

By: McKinnon (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to recycling; providing for short title; providing codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Clean Oklahoma” Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Public parks, businesses, and restaurants will be required to have a minimum of five recycling bin options.
 - 1. Bins shall be labelled as plastic, paper, metal, cardboard, and foam.
- B. Funding shall come from a portion of property taxes.

Section 3. PENALTIES

- A. Businesses and restaurants that fail to provide bins will be fined five hundred dollars (\$500).

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days following passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-517

By: McKinnon (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to contraceptives; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Preventing Pregnancy” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Contraceptives” shall be defined as a device or drug to prevent pregnancy.
2. “Low Income” shall be defined as persons who fall at or below the poverty line.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. The state shall provide free contraceptives once a month to low income persons from age sixteen (16) to forty (40).
2. Funding will come from a portion of consumption taxes.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days following passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-518

By: McKinnon (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to education; providing short title; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Protect Oklahomans” Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Public high schools shall incorporate at least a week of sex trafficking prevention curriculum per year.
 - 1. This educational material will be developed by the Oklahoma Academic Standards, and will be enforced by the Oklahoma State Department of Education.
 - 2. The curriculum shall consist of educational material regarding what human trafficking is, what human trafficking looks like, victim avoidance tactics, and an overview of available resources.
- B. Any necessary funding shall be provided and developed by the Oklahoma Academic Standards, underneath the State’s Department of Education.

Section 3. This act shall become effective the semester following passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-519

By: Micciche (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to sexual education in school; providing short title; amending 70 O.S. §70-11-105.1; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Sex Education” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY 70 O.S. §70-11-105.1, is amended to read as follows:

A. All public schools must provide a sex education course or program between the grades of seventh (7) through twelfth (12) as part of health education curriculum or as a separate class or seminar.

~~AB.~~ All curriculum and materials including supplementary materials which will be used to teach or will be used for or in connection with a sex education class or program which is designed for the exclusive purpose of discussing sexual behavior or attitudes, or any test, survey or questionnaire whose primary purpose is to elicit responses on sexual behavior or attitudes shall be available through the superintendent or a designee of the school district for inspection by parents and guardians of the student who will be involved with the class, program or test, survey or questionnaire. Such curriculum, materials, classes, programs, tests, surveys or questionnaires shall include information about consent and shall provide medically accurate comprehensive information about responsible sexual behaviors that eliminate or reduce the risk of pregnancy and the risk of sexually transmitted diseases including ~~have as one of its primary purposes the teaching of or informing students about the practice of abstinence, however abstinence may not be taught to the exclusion of other material and instruction on contraceptive and infection reduction measures.~~ For the purposes of this section, "consent" shall have the same meaning as that provided by Section 113 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes. The superintendent or a designee of the school district shall provide prior written notification to the parents or guardians of the students involved of their right to inspect the curriculum and material and of their obligation to notify the school in writing if they do not want their child to participate in the class, program, test, survey or questionnaire. Each local board of education shall determine the means of providing written notification to the parents and guardian which will ensure effective notice in an efficient and appropriate manner. No student shall be required to participate in a sex education class or program which discusses sexual behavior or attitudes if a parent or guardian of the student objects in writing to such participation. If the type of program referred to in this section is a part of or is taught during a credit course, a student may be required to enroll in the course but shall not be required to receive instruction in or participate in the program if a parent or guardian objects in writing.

BC. The superintendent or a designee of a school district in which sex education is taught or a program is offered which is designed for the exclusive purpose of discussing sexual behavior or attitudes shall approve all curriculum and materials which will be used for such education and any test, survey or questionnaire whose primary purpose is to elicit responses on sexual behavior or attitudes used in the school prior to their use in the classroom or school. The teacher involved in the class, program, testing or survey shall submit the curriculum, materials, tests or surveys to the superintendent or a designee for approval prior to their use in the classroom or school. This section shall not apply to those students enrolled in classes, programs, testings or surveys offered through an alternative education program.

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-520

By: Micciche (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to a statewide voting holiday; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Celebrate the Vote” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS:

- A. “Election Day”: The first (1st) Tuesday following the first (1st) Monday in November.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Election Day shall be a legal holiday in the State of Oklahoma.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-521

By: Pope (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to labor; providing short title; amending O.S.§40-197.2; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Paying Working People” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY O.S.§40-197.2 is amended to read as follows:

It shall be unlawful to employ workers in any industry or occupation within the State of Oklahoma under conditions of labor detrimental to their health or morals and it shall be unlawful to employ workers in any industry within the State of Oklahoma at wages which are not adequate for their maintenance. Except as otherwise provided in the Oklahoma Minimum Wage Act, no employer within the State of Oklahoma shall pay any employee a wage of less than ~~(the current federal minimum wage)~~ ten dollars and fifty cents (\$10.50) per hour for all hours worked.

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-522

By: Lesnick (OSU) and Pope (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to employment discrimination; providing short title; providing definitions; providing for codification; providing for exceptions; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Ban the Box” Act of 2021

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

1. “Direct and Adverse Relationship” shall be defined as the clearly contrary nature of criminal conduct for which the person was convicted has a direct bearing on their fitness or ability to perform one (1) or more of the duties or responsibilities necessarily related to the opportunity or job in question.
2. “Necessarily Related” shall be defined as the nature of the criminal conduct, for which the person was convicted, has a direct bearing on the fitness or ability to perform one (1) or more of the duties or responsibilities necessarily related to the place of employment
3. “Conviction History” shall include any felony or misdemeanor conviction as well as An arrest for which an individual is out on bail or his or her own recognizance pending trial.

Section 3. NEW LAW to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to as follows

- A. Except as provided in subdivision (d), it is an unlawful employment practice for an employer with five (5) or more employees to do any of the following:
 1. To include on any application for employment, before the employer makes a conditional offer of employment to the applicant, any question seeking the disclosure of an applicant’s conviction history.
 2. To inspect or consider the conviction history of the applicant, including any inquiry about conviction history on any employment application, until after the employer has made a conditional offer of employment to the applicant.
 3. To interfere with, restrain, or deny the exercise of, or the attempt to exercise, any right provided under this section.
- B. Providing clarification for an employer's duties in the denial of an applicant based on their conviction history.
 1. An employer intending to deny an applicant a position of employment solely or in part due to the applicant’s conviction history shall make an individualized assessment of whether the applicant’s conviction history has a direct and adverse relationship with the

specific duties of the job that justify denying the applicant the position. In making the assessment described in this paragraph, the employer shall consider all of the following:

- i. The nature and gravity of the offense or conduct.
 - ii. The time elapsing since the offense or conduct and the completion of the sentence.
 - iii. The nature of the job held or sought.
2. If the employer makes a preliminary decision that the applicant's conviction history disqualifies the applicant from employment, the employer shall notify the applicant of this preliminary decision in writing. That notification must justify or explain the employer's reasoning for making the preliminary decision. The notification shall contain all of the following:
- i. Notice of the disqualifying conviction or convictions that are the basis for the preliminary decision to rescind the offer.
 - ii. A copy of the conviction history report, if any.
 - iii. An explanation of the applicant's right to respond to the notice of the employer's preliminary decision before that decision becomes final and the deadline by which to respond. The explanation shall inform the applicant that the response may include submission of evidence challenging the accuracy of the conviction history report that is the basis for rescinding the offer, evidence of rehabilitation or mitigating circumstances, or any combination of those options.
3. The applicant shall have at least five (5) business days to respond to the notice provided to the applicant under Section 3.B.2 before the employer may make a final decision. If, within the five (5) business days, the applicant notifies the employer in writing that the applicant disputes the accuracy of the conviction history report that was the basis for the preliminary decision to rescind the offer and that the applicant is taking specific steps to obtain evidence supporting that assertion, then the applicant shall have five (5) additional business days to respond to the notice.
4. The employer shall consider information submitted by the applicant pursuant to paragraph (3) before making a final decision.
- C. The remedies under this section shall be in addition to and not in derogation of all other rights and remedies that an applicant may have under any other law, including any local ordinance.

Section 4. EXCEPTIONS

1. The new law does not apply in any of the following circumstances:
 - a. To a position for which a state or local agency is otherwise required by law to conduct a conviction history background check.
 - b. To a position with a criminal justice agency.
 - c. To a position where an employer or agent thereof is required by any state, federal, or local law to conduct criminal background checks for employment purposes or to restrict employment based on criminal history.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-523

By: Pritzlaff (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to elections; providing short title; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Polling Place Protection” Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read
as follows:

1. Possession of firearms within one hundred (100) feet of a polling place shall be prohibited if the location does not already prohibit them.
2. Permit-less carry shall not apply within one hundred (100) feet of any polling place.

Section 3. PENALTIES

1. Individuals found in violation of this act shall upon the first (1st) offense be subject to a one thousand dollar (\$1,000) fine, upon the second (2nd) offense be subject to another one thousand dollar (\$1,000) fine and suspension of concealed carry permit. Upon third (3rd) offense, individuals shall have their concealed carry permits revoked and must pay an additional fine of at least five thousand dollars (\$5,000) and no more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).
 - a. Individuals without a permit shall be subject to the same fines but upon third (3rd) offense will be disqualified for a concealed carry permit in the State of Oklahoma.

Section 4. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-524

By: Quintero (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to Schools; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Period Poverty in Schools” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Feminine Products”: Personal products used during menstruation, including but not limited to pads and tampons.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. Middle schools and High schools in the state of Oklahoma shall be required to provide feminine products in the bathrooms and nurses offices at schools free of charge.
2. Schools shall provide at least pads and tampons for students.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. Any middle school or high school that fails to provide feminine products in the designated areas will receive a warning on the first (1st) offense.
2. On the second (2nd) offense, schools that have less than one hundred (100) students shall be fined one hundred dollars (\$100), schools that have less than five hundred (500) students shall be fined two hundred dollars (\$200), and schools that have more than five hundred and one (501) students shall be fined three hundred dollars (\$300).
3. All subsequent offenses shall be fined double the previous fine.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-525

By: Quintero (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to daylight savings; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Daylight Savings” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. Daylight Savings: Time as adjusted to achieve longer evening daylight by setting the clocks an hour ahead of the standard time

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. As authorized by the Uniform Time Act of 1966, the State of Oklahoma elects to reject such time and elects to begin setting the clocks an hour ahead of Central Station Time year-round.
2. This shall apply to all of the State of Oklahoma and its subdivisions.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-526

By: Quintero (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to Water Conservation; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Tracking Virtual Water” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Virtual Water” is water embodied in the production of food and fiber and non-food commodities, including energy.
2. “Corporation” is a legal entity that is separate from its owners, can make a profit, be taxed, can be held legally liable, and offer the strongest protection to its owners from personal liability.
3. “Tangible product” is a physical object that can be perceived by touch
4. “Purple-pipe” refers to water that has been reclaimed and is delivered to its source through a purple pipe

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. Corporations that are manufacturing tangible products will have to provide the virtual water that was used in the production of said item. This can be recorded by:
 - a. Using a nutrition facts label
 - b. Using a tag on a piece of clothing
 - c. Using a label on the packaging for the tangible product
 - d. Publishing the information through the website of the corporation
2. Corporations will need to note whether the water that is being used is potable or from a purple-pipe

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. Any corporation found in violation of this Act shall receive a fine of no less than two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) but no more than three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000) fine for the first (1st) offense.
2. Any subsequent violation of this Act from a corporation shall result in a five hundred thousand dollar (\$500,000) fine.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-527

By: Rawson (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to concealed carry in public schools; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Conceal Teach” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Teacher” - anyone employed by any Oklahoma School Districts that teach students
- B. “Concealed Carry” - having a weapon either on your person that cannot be seen or out of plain view
- C. “Administrator” - the principal of the institution
- D. “Student Resource Officer” - sworn law enforcement officers responsible for safety and crime prevention in schools
- E. “Biometric Safe” – a safe that uses technology to recognize your fingerprint to open.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. A teacher must apply to be a concealed carry teacher, and must selected by their administrator,
- B. Any teacher selected by the administrator must
 - a. Pass intensive psychological testing and,
 - b. receives their concealed carry license if weapon is a handgun,
 - c. All teachers must be trained by local law enforcement and evaluated every four (4) years to demonstrate proficiency with their firearm as well as comprehensive first aid.
 - d. In addition to all required training through law enforcement, all participating instructors must go through an implicit bias training.
- C. And shall be able to carry any one of the following weapons:
 - a. .45 caliber or smaller handgun
 - b. Pocket knife no bigger than three (3) inches from tip of blade to hilt
- D. Every participating public school with less than fifty (50) students enrolled must have one (1) concealed carry teacher.
 - a. Every participating public school with at least one hundred (100) students enrolled must have at least two (2) concealed carry teachers, with one (1) additional concealed carry teacher for each additional two

hundred (200) students enrolled in the school, up to a maximum of ten (10) concealed carry teachers per school.

- E. Only the administrator of the school and the school's Student Resource Officer (SRO) will be allowed to know which teachers have any kind of weapon
- F. Teachers must keep their weapons in a biometric safe, purchased with their own money, in their desks.
- G. Teachers will be prohibited from accessing the designated weapon(s) without the presence of an immediate danger.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-528

Rawson (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to solitary confinement, providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE GREAT STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Solitary Cell Act” Act of 2021

Section 2.. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Solitary Confinement”- a form of imprisonment in which an inmate is isolated from any human contact, for at least twenty-two (22) to twenty-four 24 hours a day. B. “State Prisons”
- B. “Correctional Facilities” –A place where inmates are kept when they have been arrested and are being punished for a crime
- C. “Single person cell” – changes from prison to prison

Section 3. NEW LAW to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. This subsection applies to:
 - 1. State Correctional Facilities in the State of Oklahoma.
 - 2. Private Correctional Facilities in the State of Oklahoma.
- B. Solitary confinement shall now be defined as:
 - 1. A single person cell in the general population area.
 - i. The inmate may only have one (1) hour of interactive time with others per week.
- C. An annual inspection of correctional facilities practices will be conducted every three (3) years for all state correctional facilities operating in the State of Oklahoma.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- A. If any correctional facility fails to abide by this act they will be subject to a fine determined by the State of Oklahoma Department of Corrections.

- B. If found in violation of this law, said correctional facility will be subjected to a formal investigation into the wrong-doing conducted by the Oklahoma Attorney General's Office.
- C. Annual inspections for Correctional Facilities found to be in violation of this law thereafter will be conducted every sixteen (16) months for a period of ten (10) years after the offense.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-529

By: Rawson (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to rehabilitation testing in the state of Oklahoma; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Test-out” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Rehabilitation Testing” means a series of tests administered that can conclude whether the offender is eligible for rehabilitation.
- B. “Offender” any person being charged for a crime.
- C. “Criminal Psychologist” is one who studies the wills, thoughts, and intentions, and reactions of criminals.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Any offender that commits a crime worthy of prison time, should be tested by professional Criminal Psychologist for any and all relating evidence-based supervision/ rehabilitation programs
- B. If eligible, the offender would be placed in an evidence-based/ rehabilitation program rather than serving prison time.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-530

By: Reese (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to attempting to conceal the death of a child; providing short title; amending O.S. §21-53 ; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Issue of this Statute” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY O.S. §21-53 is amended to read as follows:

Every woman who, having been convicted of endeavoring to conceal the birth of ~~an issue of her body~~ a child which, if born alive, ~~would be a bastard~~, or the death of any ~~such issue~~ child under the age of two (2) years, subsequently to such conviction endeavors to conceal any such birth or death of ~~issue of her body~~ child, shall be guilty of a felony punishable by imprisonment in the State Penitentiary not exceeding five (5) years and not less than two (2) years.

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-531

By: Sengsavang (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to Medical Marijuana; providing short title; providing definitions; providing codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Equal Medical Practice Protection” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Business Plan” - a document setting out a business's future objectives and strategies for achieving them. Including but not limited to detail of the chain of command, disclose where investment funds are from, and what their mission and vision.
- B. “Audit” - to determine the significance, worth, or condition of usually by careful appraisal and study.
- C. “Auditor” - someone whose job is to judge the quality, importance, amount, or value of something.
- D. “Interstate highway” - one of a system of expressways covering the forty-eight (48) contiguous states.
- E. “medical marijuana dispensary licensees” - state agency, sometimes an appointed commission, is a permanent or semi-permanent organization in the machinery of government that is responsible for the oversight and administration of specific functions.
- F. "Manufacture"- means the process of converting harvested plant material into medical marijuana concentrate by physical or chemical means for use as an ingredient in a medical marijuana product
- G. “Medical Facility” - means an institution, office, clinic, or building, not attached to a licensed hospital, where medical services for the diagnosis or treatment of illness or injury or the maintenance of health are offered in an outpatient or ambulatory setting.
- H. “Medical Marijuana“- means marijuana that is grown, processed, dispensed, tested, possessed, or used for a medical purpose.
- I. “School” (private or public) - means an elementary, middle, or high school established under state law, regulated by the local state authorities in the various political subdivisions, funded and maintained by public taxation, and open and free to all children of the particular district where the school is located.
- J. "Marijuana" - means all parts of a plant of the genus cannabis, whether growing or not; the seeds of a plant of that type; the resin extracted from a part of a plant of that type; and every compound, manufacture, salt, derivative, mixture, or preparation of a plant of that type or of its seeds or resin. “Marijuana” does not include the mature stalks of the plant,

fiber produced from the stalks, oils or cake made from the seeds of the plant, or any other compound, manufacture, salt, derivative, mixture, or preparation of the mature stalks, except the resin extracted from the mature stalks, fiber, oil or cake, or the sterilized seed of the plant that is incapable of germination.

- K. "Pharmacy" - a store where medicinal drugs are dispensed and sold.
- L. "Processor" means an entity that has been licensed by the Department pursuant to Title 63 O.S. § 423, which allows the entity to: purchase marijuana from a commercial grower; prepare, manufacture, process, package, sell to, and deliver medical marijuana products to a dispensary licensee or other processor licensee; and may manufacture marijuana received from a qualified patient into a medical marijuana concentrate, for a fee.
- M. "Medical Marijuana" -means marijuana that is grown, processed, dispensed, tested, possessed, or used for a medical purpose.
- N. "Medical Inventory" - record of all capital or products relating directly or indirectly to medical marijuana.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Medical marijuana dispensaries owned and operated by licensed individuals henceforth shall be considered a medical facility, and shall be regulated as pharmacies and subject to relevant regulations. Hereafter, medical marijuana dispensaries shall be referred to as "pharmacies".
- B. Medical marijuana processor licenses and medical marijuana commercial grower licenses authorized in the State of Oklahoma henceforth shall be considered a medical marijuana drug manufacturer.
- C. The Oklahoma Medical Marijuana Association (O.M.M.A.) shall audit the pharmacy regularly every two (2) months, which shall be conducted randomly and without prior notification.
- D. The Oklahoma Medical Marijuana Association is directed to reevaluate their capacity to regulate all the medical marijuana licensees, and if necessary, shall be allocated additional funding for auditors if the reevaluation determines the capacity is insufficient.
- E. Medical marijuana drug manufacturers and medical marijuana pharmacies shall file a monthly report of medical inventory related to the distribution and manufacture of marijuana, which shall be sent to auditors.
- F. Distribution of licenses shall not be restricted, but out of state medical marijuana pharmacies seeking to establish locations in Oklahoma shall need to prove residency of no less than three (3) years, and shall be required to submit a business plan and if applicable, Shall be required to submit a record of previous operated business.
- G. O.M.M.A. will have the power to restrict the amount of product certain pharmacies will have in their inventory.
- H. O.M.M.A. shall be able to deny the location of where pharmacies or manufacturers can be operated, including but not limited to: schools, near liquor stores, near interstate highways, or on Tribal Lands.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-532

By: Slagle (OSU) and Sengsavang (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to trains; providing short title; providing definitions; providing codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Alternative and Accountability Rail Transport Commission of Oklahoma (A.A.R.T.C.O.)” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Locomotives” shall be defined as a rail transport vehicle that provide the motive power for a train;
- B. “Interstate rail transport systems” shall be defined as a means of transferring passengers and goods on wheeled vehicles running on rails across one or more states;
- C. “Corporate rail transport investors” shall be defined as any corporation or company that has assets or investments in the rail transport systems in the state of Oklahoma;
- D. “Commission” shall be defined as the colloquial term for the Alternative and Accountability Rail Transport Commission of Oklahoma.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. The Oklahoma Legislature shall be tasked with creating the Alternative and Accountability Rail Transport Commission of Oklahoma (A.A.R.T.C.O), and have duties consisting of, but not limited to:
 1. Evaluating the government efficiency of locomotives;
 2. Exploring alternatives or improvements to interstate rail transport systems (passenger and freight);
 3. Recommending audits of corporate rail transport investors;
 4. Recommending legislation to the Oklahoma Legislature or to the U.S. Representatives and U.S. Senators of Oklahoma;
- B. The Oklahoma Legislature shall have the power to appoint a Chief Liaison for the Commission, as well as to appoint at least two (2) other members originating from each respective legislative chamber in assisting with the duties outlined in Section 2.1:

1. The Chief Liaison shall serve as the head of the Commission and shall have the power to make any tie-breaking votes that may originate within meetings of the Commission;
 2. The Commission shall have the power to internally nominate an Assistant Liaison should the Chief Liaison be absent or unable to perform required duties;
 3. The Commission shall have the power to internally nominate a Secretary for the purpose of recording all minutes of any meetings the Commission may hold;
 4. All other members shall serve as investigators of the Commission and shall be required to submit any reports or recommendations to the Secretary of the Commission for a vote on approval;
 5. All recommendations and reports shall require a simple majority in a meeting of the Commission to be passed on to the groups or people mentioned in Section 2.1.4;
- C. The conclusion of the Commission shall be determined by:
1. A unanimous vote of the Commission's members, and
 2. Confirmation of one (1) of the state legislative chambers.

Section 4. This act shall become effective one hundred and twenty (120) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-533

By: Valles (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to immigration; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing codification; providing for exceptions; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Protecting The Community” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS

- A. “Law enforcement agency” shall be defined as any state, municipal, college, or university police department, sheriff’s department, correctional facility, prosecutorial office, court, probation office, or program of one or more of the foregoing entities, or any other non-federal entity in the commonwealth charged with the enforcement of laws or the custody of detained persons.
- B. “Immigration enforcement” shall be defined as any and all efforts to investigate, enforce, or assist investigating or enforcing any federal immigration law. Such purposes do not include verification of an applicant’s eligibility for state or federal programs and services.
- C. “Sanctuary city” shall be defined as a city that limits its cooperation with immigration enforcement to protect low-priority immigrants from deportations.
- D. “Serious crimes” shall be defined as felonies including terrorism, murder, rape, kidnapping, drug trafficking, among other situations that can be evaluated.
- E. “Interviews” shall be defined as questioning in order to receive immigration status information and other details.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Tulsa, Oklahoma shall be designated as a sanctuary city.

- B. Within Tulsa, Oklahoma, no one from a law enforcement agency may question any person about their immigration status unless state or federal law requires the inquiry.
- C. There shall be no interviews, formally or informally, between Department of Homeland Security officers or law enforcement and a person in custody conducted for immigration enforcement purposes, unless the person in custody gives informed consent.
- D. Law enforcement agencies must incorporate this information into their introductory and in-service training programs.

Section 4. EXCEPTIONS

- A. This will not apply to persons who have committed serious crimes within the United States.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OSU-534

By: Valles (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to healthcare professionals and implicit bias training; providing short title; providing definitions; providing codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “No Healthcare Bias” Act of 2021.

Section 2: DEFINITIONS

- A. “Implicit bias” shall be defined as attitudes towards people or associate stereotypes with them without our conscious knowledge.
- B. “Healthcare professional” shall be defined as anyone in the medical profession.
- C. “Perinatal care” shall be defined as the care before and after birth.

Section 3: NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes to read as follows:

- A. Every healthcare professional who provides perinatal treatment and care to pregnant women shall go through an evidence-based implicit bias training program.
 - a. The training program shall include:
 - i. Identifying implicit biases and misinformation when providing care to pregnant women
 - ii. Identifying personal, cultural, and institutional barriers to inclusion
 - iii. Discussion on health inequities and racial and ethnic disparities within the field of perinatal care
- B. This will be implemented at every hospital in the state of Oklahoma.

Section 4. This act shall become effective one hundred and eighty (180) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill OSU-535

By: Young (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to prisons; providing short title; providing for definitions; amending O.S. §57-5 ; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Free Religion in Prison” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Religious Texts” refers to a large part of the literature of the world. They vary greatly in form, volume, age, and degree of sacredness, but their common attribute is that their **words** are regarded by the devout as **sacred**.

Section 3. AMENDATORY O.S. §57-5 is amended to read as follows:

1. The keeper of each prison shall provide, at the expense of the county or state, as the case may be, for each prisoner under his charge, who may be able and desirous to read, ~~a copy of the Bible, or New Testament,~~ a religious text to be used by such prisoner during his confinement, and any minister ~~of the gospel~~ disposed to aid in reforming the prisoners, and instructing them in their moral and religious duties, shall have access to them at seasonable and proper times.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-501

By: Barthelemess (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to banning deepfakes and voice cloning software; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Keep the Fakes Away” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Deepfake” shall refer to a video or image in which a person has been digitally altered to replicate another person in a way that makes the photo or video look authentic.
2. “Voice Cloning Software” shall refer to any software that has the capability of manipulating currently existing audio to replicate a human voice that sounds authentic.
3. “Media Production” shall refer to the making of a motion picture, television show, video, commercial, or other viewable program, as well as images used in social media.
4. “Research Facility” shall refer to any school or college of medicine, veterinary medicine, pharmacy, dentistry, or osteopathic medicine, or hospital, diagnostic or research laboratories, or other educational or scientific establishment situated in this state concerned with the investigation of, or instruction concerning, the structure or function of living organisms, the cause, prevention, control or cure of diseases or abnormal conditions of human beings or animals.
5. “Augmentative Alternative Communication” shall refer to the systems and devices that help people with limited verbal skills or who are nonverbal communicate with others.
6. “Interactive Voice Response Systems” shall refer to a technology that allows people to interact with a computer-operated phone system through the use of voice and pre-recorded audio messages.
7. “Virtual Assistant Software” shall refer to a software agent that can perform tasks and/or services for a user by interpreting human speech.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read

as follows:

1. No person or entity in the State of Oklahoma shall be permitted to create, distribute, or store deepfakes unless
 - a. they are using deepfakes as a means of media production with the consent of the person whose image is being replicated
 - b. a museum or research facility is using deepfakes for educational means or for research purposes

2. No person or entity in the State of Oklahoma shall be permitted to create, distribute, or own voice cloning software unless
 - a. they are using voice cloning software as a means of augmentative alternative communication with nonverbal patients or patients with limited verbal skills with the consent of the person whose voice is being replicated
 - b. they are using voice cloning software for the purpose of creating interactive voice response systems or virtual assistant software with the consent of the person whose voice is being replicated
 - c. they are using voice cloning software for the purpose of producing commercial music and/or voice actors, with the consent of the person whose voice is being replicated

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. Any person or entity that creates, distributes, or stores deepfakes shall be subject to a minimum sentence of ninety (90) days in state prison and a two thousand dollar (\$2,000) fine.
2. Any person or entity that creates, distributes, or owns voice cloning software shall be subject to a minimum sentence of ninety (90) days in state prison and a two thousand dollar (\$2,000) fine.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-502

By: Barthelemess (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to the banning of casual wearing of cowboy hats; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

- Section 1. This act shall be known as the “City Slickers Revenge” Act of 2021.
- Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:
1. “Cowboy hat” shall be defined as a hat with a very large brim and a high crown, typically used by ranchers and farm hands.
- Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:
1. It is prohibited to wear a cowboy hat in the state of Oklahoma.
 2. This law does not apply to any manual laborer on a farm, ranch, or other agricultural lands during work hours.
 3. Those wearing cowboy hats for cultural reasons connected to Hispanic/Latino communities shall be exempt from this law.
- Section 4. PENALTIES
1. Should someone wear a cowboy hat, they shall be fined two hundred (\$200) dollars per offense.
 2. Any fines collected as a result of this bill shall be distributed to the Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.
- Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-503

By: Becker (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to misdemeanors; providing short title; amending 21 O.S. § 1202; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Sneaky Sneaky” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. § 1202 is amended to read as follows:

~~Every person guilty of secretly loitering about any building,
with intent to overhear discourse therein, and to repeat or publish
the same to vex, annoy, or injure others, is guilty of a misdemeanor.~~

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-504

By: Becker (OU)

Gillespie (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to communism; providing short title; amending 21 O.S. § 1266.2; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “The Red Fair” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. § 1266.2 is amended to read as follows:

A. ~~The Communist Party of the United States, together with its component or related parts and organizations, no matter under what name known, and all other organizations, incorporated or unincorporated, which engage in or advocate, abet, advise, or teach, or a purpose of which is to engage in or advocate, abet, advise, or teach, any activities intended to overthrow, destroy, or alter, or to assist in the overthrow, destruction, or alteration of, the constitutional form of the government of the United States, or of the State of Oklahoma, or of any political subdivision of either of them, by force or violence, are hereby declared to be illegal and not entitled to any rights, privileges, or immunities attendant upon bodies under the jurisdiction of the State of Oklahoma or any political subdivision thereof. It shall be unlawful for such Party or any of its component or related parts or organizations, or any~~

~~such other organization, to exist, function, or operate in the State of Oklahoma. Any organization which is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to have violated any provisions of this section, in a proceeding brought for that purpose by the County Attorney, shall be dissolved, and if it be a corporation organized and existing under the laws of this state or having a permit to do business in this state, its charter or permit shall be forfeited, and, whether incorporated or unincorporated, all funds, records, and other property belonging to such Party or any component or related part or organization thereof, or to any such other organization, shall be seized by and forfeited to the State of Oklahoma to escheat to the state as in the case of a person dying without heirs. All books, records, and files of any such organizations shall be turned over to the Attorney General.~~

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-505

By: Bigbee (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to making local politics fun; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; amending 11 O.S. § 10-108; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Disco Chambers” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “City” means a municipality which has been incorporated as a city in accordance with the laws of this state.
2. “Chamber space” refers to the physical meeting space of elected city representatives.
3. “Disco ball” refers to a ball covered with mirror facets that rotates to cast reflected light onto surrounding services.
4. “Stage light” refers to a large, mounted, multi-color light meant to provide extra light on an area of focus.
5. “Mailers” refers to a paper leaflet containing information about disco balls and stage lights to be sent through the mail.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. All city chamber spaces in the state of Oklahoma shall be furnished with a minimum of one (1) disco ball and two (2) stage lights to be used in celebration of the passing of legislation.

Section 4. AMENDATORY 11 O.S. § 10-108 is amended to read as follows:

The council shall meet regularly at least monthly at such times as it may prescribe by ordinance or otherwise in a chamber space furnished with a minimum of one (1) disco

ball and two (2) stage lights. The mayor or any three (3) councilmembers may call special meetings.

Section 5. PENALTIES

1. Any city failing to obtain the above fixtures shall be subject to five (5) mailers each month informing each resident of said city that disco balls are fun and city council meetings can be too.

Section 6. This act shall become effective one-hundred and eighty (180) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-506

By: Bigbee (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to independent voter choice; providing short title; providing for definitions; amending 26 O.S. § 1-104; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Independent Voter” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Recognized political parties” shall refer to parties formed according to Oklahoma state law and recognized by the State Election Board.

Section 3. AMENDATORY 26 O.S. § 1-104 is amended to read as follows:

~~A. No registered voter shall be permitted to vote in any Primary Election or Runoff Primary Election of any political party except the political party of which his registration form shows him to be a member, except as otherwise provided by this section.~~

~~B.A. 1. A recognized political party may~~ All recognized political parties shall permit registered voters designated as Independents pursuant to the provisions of Section 26-4-112 of this title to vote in a Primary Election or Runoff Primary Election of the party.

~~2. Registered voters designated as Independents shall be offered to vote in one (1) primary race of a single party they choose at their polling place and no other Primary Election for another party on the same election day.~~

~~2. The state chairman of the party shall, between November 1 and 30 of every odd-numbered year, notify the Secretary of the State Election Board as to whether or not the party intends to permit registered voters designated as Independents to vote in a Primary Election or Runoff Primary Election of the party. If the state chairman notifies the Secretary of the State Election Board of the party's intention to so permit, registered voters designated as Independents shall be permitted to vote in any Primary Election or Runoff Primary Election of the party held in the following two (2) calendar years. If the state chairman of one party notifies the Secretary of the State Election Board of the party's intent to so permit, the notification period specified in this paragraph shall be extended to December 15 for the state chairman of any other party to so notify~~

~~or to change prior notification. A registered voter designated as Independent shall not be permitted to vote in a Primary Election or Runoff Primary Election of more than one party.~~

~~3. Failure to so notify the Secretary of the State Election Board shall serve to prohibit registered voters designated as Independents from voting in a Primary Election or Runoff Primary Election of the party.~~

~~4. A group of persons seeking to form a recognized political party pursuant to the provisions of Section 26-1-108 of this title shall, upon filing of the petitions seeking recognition of the political party with the Secretary of the State Election Board, notify the Secretary of the State Election Board as to whether or not the party intends to permit registered voters designated as Independents to vote in a Primary Election or Runoff Primary Election of the party. If the party is recognized and the group of persons seeking recognition of the party notifies the Secretary of the State Election Board of such intention, registered voters designated as Independents shall be permitted to vote in any Primary Election or Runoff Primary Election of the party held prior to January 1 of the following even-numbered year.~~

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. If a party does not comply, they shall be issued a warning and given thirty (30) days to comply or they shall face revocation of state recognition of the party.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-507

By: Gillespie (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to profanity; providing short title; amending 21 OS. § 904 through 906; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Freedom of Profanity” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. § 904 through 906 is amended to read as follows:

A. ~~Profane swearing.~~

~~Profane swearing consists in any use of the name of God, or Jesus Christ, or the Holy Ghost, either in imprecating divine vengeance upon the utterer, or any other person, or in light, trifling or irreverent speech.~~

~~R.L.1910, § 2401.~~

B. ~~Punishment for profane swearing.~~

~~Every person guilty of profane swearing is punishable by a fine of One Dollar (\$1.00) for each offense.~~

~~R.L.1910, § 2402.~~

C. ~~Obscene language a misdemeanor, when.~~

~~If any person shall utter or speak any obscene or lascivious language or word in any public place, or in the presence of females, or in the presence of children under ten (10) years of age, he shall be liable to a fine of not more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00); or imprisonment for not more than thirty (30) days, or both.~~

~~R.L.1910, § 2403.~~

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-508

By: Gillespie (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to misdemeanors; providing short title; amending 21 O.S. § 901 through 903; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “This Statute is Blasphemous” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. § 901 through 903 is amended to read as

follows:

A. ~~Blasphemy defined.~~

~~Blasphemy consists in wantonly uttering or publishing words, casting contumelious reproach or profane ridicule upon God, Jesus Christ, the Holy Ghost, the Holy Scriptures or the Christian or any other religion. R.L.1910, § 2398.~~

B. ~~Serious discussion not blasphemy.~~

~~If it appears beyond reasonable doubt that the words complained of were used in the course of serious discussion, and with intent to make known or recommend opinions entertained by the accused, such words are not blasphemy. R.L.1910, § 2399.~~

C. ~~Blasphemy a misdemeanor.~~

~~Blasphemy is a misdemeanor.~~

~~R.L.1910, § 2400.~~

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-509

By: Gillespie (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to medical procedures; providing short title; amending OS. §63-1-745 and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Keep Emotional Manipulation out of Medical Procedures” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY OS. §63-1-745 is amended to read as follows:

~~§63-1-745.12. Heartbeat Informed Consent Act. This act shall be known and may be cited as the "Heartbeat Informed Consent Act". Added by Laws 2012, c. 159, § 1, eff. Nov. 1, 2012.~~

~~§63-1-745.13. Definitions. As used in the Heartbeat Informed Consent Act:~~

~~1. "Abortion" means the use or prescription of any instrument, medicine, drug, or any other substance or device to cause the premature termination of the pregnancy of a woman known to be pregnant with an intention other than to increase the probability of a live birth, to preserve the life or health of the child after live birth, or to remove a dead unborn child who died as the result of natural causes in utero, accidental trauma, or a criminal assault on the pregnant woman or her unborn child;~~

~~2. "Abortion provider" means any person legally qualified to perform an abortion under state law;~~

~~3. "Embryonic or fetal heartbeat" means embryonic or fetal cardiac activity or the steady and repetitive rhythmic contraction of the embryonic or fetal heart;~~

~~4. "Medical emergency" means a condition that, in reasonable medical judgment, so complicates the medical condition of the pregnant woman that it~~

necessitates the immediate abortion of her pregnancy to avert her death or for which the delay will create serious risk of substantial and irreversible physical impairment of a major bodily function, not including psychological or emotional conditions. No condition shall be deemed a medical emergency if based on a claim or diagnosis that the woman will engage in conduct which she intends to result in her death or in substantial and irreversible physical impairment of a major bodily function;

5. "Reasonable medical judgment" means a medical judgment that would be made by a reasonably prudent physician;

6. "Unborn child" means a member of the species *Homo sapiens* from fertilization until live birth; and

7. "Woman" means a female human being, whether or not she has reached the age of majority. Added by Laws 2012, c. 159, § 3, eff. Nov. 1, 2012.

§63-1-745.14. Making heartbeat audible before abortion:

A. Any abortion provider who knowingly performs or induces any abortion shall comply with the requirements of the Heartbeat Informed Consent Act.

B. Prior to a woman giving informed consent to having any part of an abortion performed or induced, if the pregnancy is at least eight (8) weeks after fertilization, the abortion provider who is to perform or induce the abortion or an agent of the abortion provider shall tell the woman that it may be possible to make the embryonic or fetal heartbeat of the unborn child audible for the pregnant woman to hear and ask the woman if she would like to hear the heartbeat. If the woman would like to hear the heartbeat, the abortion provider shall, using a Doppler fetal heart rate monitor, make the embryonic or fetal heartbeat of the unborn child audible for the pregnant woman to hear. An abortion provider or an agent of the abortion provider shall not be in violation of the requirements of this subsection if:

1. The provider or agent has attempted, consistent with standard medical practice, to make the embryonic or fetal heartbeat of the unborn child audible for the pregnant woman to hear using a Doppler fetal heart rate monitor;

2. That attempt does not result in the heartbeat being made audible; and

~~3. The provider has offered to attempt to make the heartbeat audible at a subsequent date.~~

~~C. Nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent the pregnant woman from not listening to the sounds detected by the Doppler fetal heart rate monitor pursuant to the requirements of subsection B of this section. Added by Laws 2012, c. 159, § 4, eff. Nov. 1, 2012. §63-1-745.15.~~

~~Application of act.~~

~~A. The provisions of Section 4 of this act shall not apply to an abortion provider in the case that the abortion is necessary to avert the mother's death or in the case of a medical emergency.~~

~~B. Upon a determination by an abortion provider under subsection A of this section that an abortion is necessary to avert the death of the mother or that there is a medical emergency, such provider shall certify the specific medical conditions that support such determination and include such certification in the medical file of the pregnant woman.~~

~~C. An abortion provider who knowingly or recklessly falsifies a certification made pursuant to subsection B of this section shall be deemed to have knowingly or recklessly failed to comply with this act for purposes of Section 6 of this act. Added by Laws 2012, c. 159, § 5, eff. Nov. 1, 2012. §63-1-745.16.~~

~~Violations of act – Penalties – Civil actions.~~

~~A. Any person who intentionally or recklessly performs or induces an abortion in violation of the Heartbeat Informed Consent Act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. No penalty shall be assessed against the woman upon whom the abortion is performed or induced or attempted to be performed or induced.~~

~~B. Any woman upon whom an abortion has been performed or induced in violation of this act, or the father of the unborn child who was the subject of such an abortion, may maintain an action against the person who performed or induced the abortion in intentional or reckless violation of this act for actual and punitive damages. Any woman upon whom an abortion has been attempted in violation of this act may maintain an action against the person who attempted to perform or induce the abortion in an intentional or reckless violation of this act for actual and punitive damages.~~

~~C. A cause of action for injunctive relief against any person who has intentionally or recklessly violated this act may be maintained by the woman upon whom an abortion was performed or induced in violation of this act, by any person who is the spouse, parent, sibling, or guardian of, or a current or former licensed health care provider of, the woman upon whom an abortion has been~~

performed or induced in violation of this act; by a district attorney with appropriate jurisdiction; or by the Attorney General. The injunction shall prevent the abortion provider from performing or inducing further abortions in violation of this act in the state.

~~D. If judgment is rendered in favor of the plaintiff in an action described in this section, the court shall also render judgment for a reasonable attorney fee in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant.~~

~~E. If judgment is rendered in favor of the defendant and the court finds that the plaintiff's suit was frivolous and brought in bad faith, the court shall also render judgment for a reasonable attorney fee in favor of the defendant against the plaintiff.~~

F. No damages or attorney fee may be assessed against the woman upon whom an abortion was performed or attempted to be performed or induced except in accordance with subsection E of this section. Added by Laws 2012, c. 159, § 6, eff. Nov. 1, 2012.

§63-1-745.17. Public disclosure of identity.

In every civil or criminal proceeding or action brought under the Heartbeat Informed Consent Act, the court shall rule whether the identity of any woman upon whom an abortion has been performed or induced or attempted to be performed or induced shall be preserved from public disclosure if she does not give her consent to such disclosure. The court, upon motion or sua sponte, shall make such a ruling and, upon determining that her identity should be preserved from public disclosure, shall issue orders to the parties, witnesses, and counsel and shall direct the sealing of the record and exclusion of individuals from courtrooms or hearing rooms to the extent necessary to safeguard her identity from public disclosure. Such an order shall be accompanied by specific written findings explaining why the identity of the woman should be preserved from public disclosure, why the order is essential to that end, how the order is narrowly tailored to serve that interest, and why no reasonable, less restrictive alternative exists. In the absence of written consent of the woman upon whom an abortion has been performed or induced or attempted to be performed or induced, anyone, other than a public official, who brings an action under Section 6 of this act shall do so under a pseudonym. This section shall not be construed to conceal the identity of the plaintiff or of witnesses from the defendant or from attorneys for the defendant. Added by Laws 2012, c. 159, § 7, eff. Nov. 1, 2012.

§63-1-745.18. Interpretation of statute.

~~Nothing in the Heartbeat Informed Consent Act shall be construed as creating or recognizing a right to abortion. Added by Laws 2012, c. 159, § 8, eff. Nov. 1, 2012.~~

~~§63-1-745.19. Severability of act.~~

~~If any one or more provision, section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is found to be unconstitutional, the same is hereby declared to be severable and the balance of this act shall remain effective notwithstanding such unconstitutionality. The Oklahoma Legislature hereby declares that it would have passed this act, and each provision, section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or word thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more provision, section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or word be declared unconstitutional.~~

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-510

By: Gillespie (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to penal code; providing short title; amending 21 O.S. § 907 through 911; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Stop Trying to Make Sabbath Happen” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. § 907 through 911 is amended to read as

follows:

~~A. Sunday to be observed. The first day of the week being by very general consent set apart for rest and religious uses, the law forbids to be done on that day certain acts deemed useless and serious interruptions of the repose and religious liberty of the community. Any violation of this prohibition is Sabbath-breaking.~~

~~R.L.1910, § 2404.~~

~~B. Sabbath-breaking defined. The following are the acts forbidden to be done on the first day of the week, the doing of any of which is Sabbath-breaking:~~

~~1. Servile labor, except works of necessity or charity.~~

~~2. Trades, manufactures, and mechanical employment.~~

~~3. All horse racing or gaming except as authorized by the Oklahoma Horse Racing Commission pursuant to the provisions of the Oklahoma Horse Racing Act.~~

~~4. All manner of public selling, or offering or exposing for sale publicly, of any commodities, except that meats, bread, fish, and all other foods may be sold at any time, and except that food and drink may be sold to be eaten and drank upon the premises where sold, and drugs, medicines, milk, ice, and surgical appliances and burial appliances and all other necessities may be sold at any time of the day. R.L. 1910, § 2405. Amended by Laws 1913, c. 204, p. 456, § 1; Laws 1949, p. 204, § 1; Laws 1983, c. 11, § 36, emerg. eff. March 22, 1983; Laws 1996, c. 191, § 1, emerg. eff. May 16, 1996.~~

~~C. Persons observing other day as holy. It is a sufficient defense in proceedings for servile labor on the first day of the week, to show that the accused uniformly keeps another day of the week as holy time, and does not labor upon that day, and that the labor complained of was done in such manner as not to interrupt or disturb other persons in observing the first day of the week as holy time. R.L.1910, § 2406.~~

~~D. Punishment for Sabbath-breaking.~~

~~Every person guilty of Sabbath-breaking is punishable by a fine of not more than Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) for each offense.~~

~~R.L.1910, § 2408.~~

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-511

By: Gillespie (OU)

Becker (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to campaigns; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Keep Oklahoma Politics about Oklahoma”
Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the
purposes of this act:

1. Campaign advertisement- Any advertisement on television, radio, or in print aimed to endorse one political candidate or attack or discredit another

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read
as follows:

1. Any political candidate, political party, or third party organization that pays to run a campaign advertisement for or against an individual running for office in the state of Oklahoma, including United States Senate or House of Representatives, shall not use the name or likeness of any living Representative or Senator that does not hold or is not running for political office in the state of Oklahoma.
2. Nothing in this section shall preclude the aforementioned actors from using the name or likeness of members of the United States executive branch, including, but not limited to, the President of the United States in their campaign advertisements

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. Any individual or organization found to be in violation of Section 3 shall be subject to a fine no less than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) but no greater than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000).

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-512

By: Hall (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to the rights of GRSM individuals in Oklahoma; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Oklahoma Civil Rights and Equality” Act of 2021

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Gender, Romantic, and Sexual Minority (GRSM)” refers to any person whose sexual or gender identity or sexual orientation differ from the majority of people. This is including but not limited to people who are homosexual, bisexual, transgender, or asexual
2. “Public accommodations” refers to both governmental entities and private businesses that provide services to the general public including but not limited to restaurants, movie theaters, libraries and shops. It does not encompass private clubs that have a membership or dues process.
3. “Gay panic defense” refers to a legal defense typically used against charges of assault or murder. Typically, a defendant using the defense claims they acted in a state of violent temporary insanity because of unwanted same-sex advances. A transgender variation of this defense, called the trans panic defense, has been used in similar situations as the gay panic defense or when the defendant discovers that a sexual or romantic partner is transgender.
4. “Conversion therapy” refers to any activity with the purpose of changing a person’s sexual orientation or gender identity.
5. “Minor” refers to an individual under the age of eighteen (18).
6. “Sexual orientation” refers to an inherent or immutable enduring emotional, romantic or sexual attraction to other people, including but not limited to homosexuality, heterosexuality, bisexuality, and/or asexuality.
7. “Gender identity” refers to gender-related identity, appearance, mannerisms, or characteristics, regardless of the individual's designated sex at birth.

8. "Child abuse" refers to the willful or malicious harm or threatened harm or failure to protect from harm or threatened harm to the health, safety, or welfare of a child under eighteen (18) years of age, or the act of willfully or maliciously injuring, torturing or maiming a child under eighteen (18) years of age by another.
9. "Kidnapping" refers to the act of, without lawful authority, seizing, confining, abducting, or carrying away another, with intent, either:
 - a. To cause such other person to be confined or imprisoned in this state against the will of the other person; or
 - b. To cause such other person to be sent out of this state against the will of the other person; or
 - c. To cause such a person to be sold as a slave, or in any way held to service against the will of such person.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes as

Section 604 of Title 22, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, to read as follows:

1. It shall be illegal to discriminate in both public and private employment, housing, adoption, and public accommodations on the basis of sexual orientation or gender identity.
2. It shall be illegal to conduct conversion therapy on minors.
3. The Gay Panic Defense and the Trans Panic Defenses shall no longer be valid legal defenses and their use in a state, county, or municipal court of law shall be banned.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. Any organization found to be in violation of Section 3.1 shall be subject to a progressive series of fines, increasing with each offense, depending on the number of employees the organization has.
 - a. For an organization with fewer than fifteen (15) employees, the first (1st) offense shall incur a fine of five thousand (5,000) dollars. The second (2nd) shall incur a fine of ten thousand (10,000) dollars. The third (3rd) shall incur a fine of fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars.
 - b. For an organization with in between fifteen (15) and one hundred (100) employees, the first (1st) offense shall incur a fine of twelve thousand five hundred (12,500) dollars. The second (2nd) shall incur a fine of twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars. The third (3rd) shall incur a fine of thirty-seven thousand five hundred (37,500) dollars.
 - c. For an organization with one hundred (100) or more employees, the first (1st) offense shall incur a fine of seventy-five thousand (75,000) dollars.

The second (2nd) shall incur a fine of one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars. The third (3rd) shall incur a fine of one hundred fifty thousand (150,000) dollars.

2. Guardians of a minor who violate Section 3.2 by knowing of and approving of the attempted conversion of said minor shall be guilty of child abuse. If the attempted conversion is performed by a third party, said third party shall be guilty of child abuse and kidnapping.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-513

By: Hensley (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to income tax; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the "Healthcare Providers for Rural Oklahoma" Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. "Qualifying doctor" means a medical doctor or osteopathic physician:
 - a. who is licensed in Oklahoma by the State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision or the State Board of Osteopathic Examiners,
 - b. who has graduated from a college of medicine or osteopathic medicine located in Oklahoma or has completed his or her residency in Oklahoma, and
 - c. whose primary residence is located within the same county as the rural area where the compensation qualifying for credit under this paragraph was earned or whose primary residence is located within the jurisdiction of a federally recognized tribe and is directly employed by a tribally owned or operated health facility or federal Indian Health Service facility. For purposes of this subparagraph, the qualifying doctor must maintain the primary residence either within the county or within the jurisdiction of the federally recognized tribe for the entire taxable year for which the credit otherwise authorized by this section is claimed.

2. "Rural area" means any municipality or unincorporated location in Oklahoma which:
 - a. has a population not exceeding twenty-five thousand (25,000) as determined by the most recent Federal Decennial Census, and
 - b. is at least twenty-five (25) miles from the boundary of the nearest municipality in Oklahoma with a population exceeding twenty-five

thousand (25,000) as determined by the most recent Federal Decennial Census.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read
as follows:

1. For taxable years beginning after December 31, 2021, there will be a credit against the tax imposed pursuant to Section 2355 of Title 68 of the Oklahoma Statutes on taxable income from compensation directly related to the practice of medicine or osteopathic medicine by a qualifying doctor in a rural area of the state.
2. The amount of the credit provided by this section claimed by a taxpayer in any tax year shall not exceed Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00).
3. The credit authorized by this section shall not be used to reduce the tax liability of the taxpayer to less than zero (0).
4. A qualifying doctor who first claims the credit provided by this section shall be allowed the credit for so long as he or she qualifies.

Section 4. This act shall become effective January 1, 2022 after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-514

By: Hensley (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to illicit drugs; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Methamphetamines, the official state illicit drug of Oklahoma, sponsored by the Oklahoma Dental Association” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

- a. Methamphetamines will be defined (and often known) as: crank, crystal, crystal meth, ice, soluble crystallized methamphetamines, shabu, get go, scante, glass, panzerschokolade (“tank chocolate”), Dr. Ice’s Tooth Loosener, biker speed, cris, cristy, chunky love, pookie, gak, and geep.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

- a. Methamphetamines will forever be recognized as the official illicit drug of Oklahoma.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- a. If any Oklahoma resident fails or refuses to acknowledge methamphetamine as the official state illicit drug of Oklahoma, they will have to enroll in a course that teaches them how to make it, the effects of it, where to find it, and the dangers of it. The goal of this course is to help Oklahomans understand the importance of this illicit drug.

Section 5. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public, peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-515

By: King (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to Kinder® eggs; providing short title; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Free the Eggs” Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read
as follows:

1. It shall be legal to buy, sell, and distribute Kinder® Surprise eggs within the state of Oklahoma.

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-516

By: King (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to the statute of limitations; providing short title; amending O.S. §22-152 ; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “End the Statute of Limitations” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY O.S. §22-152 is amended to read as follows:

1. Prosecutions for the crimes of bribery, embezzlement of public money, bonds, securities, assets or property of the state or any county, school district, municipality or other subdivision thereof, or of any misappropriation of public money, bonds, securities, assets or property of the state or any county, school district, municipality or other subdivision thereof, falsification of public records of the state or any county, school district, municipality or other subdivision thereof, and conspiracy to defraud the State of Oklahoma or any county, school district, municipality or other subdivision thereof in any manner or for any purpose shall be commenced within seven (7) years after the discovery of the crime; provided, however, prosecutions for the crimes of embezzlement or misappropriation of public money, bonds, securities, assets or property of any school district, including those relating to student activity funds, or the crime of falsification of public records of any independent school district, the crime of criminal conspiracy, the crime of embezzlement pursuant to Sections 1451 through 1461 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes, the crime of False Personation or Identity Theft pursuant to Sections 1531 through 1533.3 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes, the financial exploitation of a vulnerable adult pursuant to Sections 843.1, 843.3 and 843.4 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes, or Medicaid fraud pursuant to Section 1005 of Title 56 of the Oklahoma Statutes, shall be commenced within five (5) years after the discovery of the crime.

B. Prosecutions for criminal violations of any state income tax laws shall be commenced within five (5) years after the commission of such violation.

C. 1. Prosecutions for sexual crimes against children, specifically rape or forcible sodomy, sodomy, lewd or indecent proposals or acts against children, involving minors in pornography pursuant to Section 886, 888, 1111, 1111.1, 1113, 1114, 1021.2, 1021.3, 1040.12a or 1123 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes, child abuse pursuant to Section 843.5 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes, and child trafficking pursuant to Section 866 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes shall be commenced ~~by the forty-fifth birthday of the alleged victim at any time.~~ Prosecutions for such crimes committed against victims eighteen (18) years of age or older shall be commenced ~~within twelve (12) years after the discovery of the crime~~ at any time.

~~2. However, prosecutions for the crimes listed in paragraph 1 of this subsection may be commenced at any time after the commission of the offense if:~~

~~a. physical evidence is collected and preserved that is capable of being tested to obtain a profile from deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA), and~~

~~b. the identity of the offender is subsequently established through the use of a DNA profile using evidence listed in subparagraph a of this paragraph.~~

~~A prosecution under this exception must be commenced within three (3) years from the date on which the identity of the suspect is established by DNA testing.~~

D. Prosecutions for criminal violations of any provision of the Oklahoma Wildlife Conservation Code shall be commenced within three (3) years after the commission of such offense.

E. Prosecutions for the crime of criminal fraud or workers' compensation fraud pursuant to Section 1541.1, 1541.2, 1662 or 1663 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes shall commence within three (3) years after the discovery of the crime, but in no event greater than seven (7) years after the commission of the crime.

F. Prosecution for the crime of false or bogus check pursuant to Section 1541.1, 1541.2, 1541.3 or 1541.4 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes shall be commenced within five (5) years after the commission of such offense.

G. Prosecution for the crime of solicitation for murder in the first degree pursuant to Section 701.16 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes shall be commenced within seven (7) years after the discovery of the crime. For purposes of this subsection, "discovery" means the date upon which the crime is made known to anyone other than a person involved in the solicitation.

H. In all other cases a prosecution for a public offense must be commenced within three (3) years after its commission.

I. Prosecution for the crime of accessory after the fact must be commenced within the same statute of limitations as that of the felony for which the person acted as an accessory.

J. Prosecution for the crime of arson pursuant to Section 1401, 1402, 1403, 1404 or 1405 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes shall be commenced within seven (7) years after the commission of the crime.

K. Prosecutions for criminal violations in which a deadly weapon is used to commit a felony or prosecutions for criminal violations in which a deadly weapon is used in an attempt to commit a felony shall be commenced within seven (7) years after the commission of the crime.

L. No prosecution under subsection C of this section shall be based upon the memory of the victim that has been recovered through psychotherapy unless there is some evidence independent of such repressed memory.

Any person who knowingly and willfully makes a false claim pursuant to subsection C of this section or a claim that the person knows lacks factual foundation may be reported to local law enforcement for criminal investigation and, upon conviction, shall be guilty of a felony.

M. As used in paragraph 1 of subsection C of this section, "discovery" means the date that a physical or sexually related crime involving a victim eighteen (18) years of age or older is reported to a law enforcement agency.

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-517

By: King (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to clothing; providing short title; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Texas Sucks” Act of 2021.

Section 2. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read
as follows:

1. It shall be unlawful for any person within the state of Oklahoma to wear any apparel or accessories displaying the logo, hand-sign, mascot, or motto of the Texas Longhorns or the University of Texas.

Section 3. PENALTIES

1. Any person found guilty of wearing such apparel or accessories shall be fined one hundred dollars (\$100).

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-518

By: King (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to human trafficking; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Human Trafficking Awareness” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. Hotel- an establishment that provides paid lodging on a short-term basis.
2. Motel- a roadside hotel designed primarily for motorists.
3. Bed and breakfast- a guest house offering paid sleep accommodations and a morning meal

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. All hotels and motels within the state of Oklahoma shall provide at least twenty (20) minutes of classroom or other effective interactive training and education regarding human trafficking awareness to each employee who may interact or come into contact with victims of human trafficking.
2. A hotel or motel who has provided this training and education to employees before this bill becomes effective shall not be required to provide additional training to that employee to meet the requirements of this subparagraph.
3. A hotel or motel shall, once every two (2) years, provide human trafficking awareness training and education to each employee who may interact or come into contact with victims of human trafficking and, within six (6) months of his or her employment in that role, to each new employee who is may interact or come into contact with victims of human trafficking.
4. The human trafficking awareness training and education required shall include, but is not limited to, the following:
 - a. The definition of human trafficking and commercial exploitation of children.

- b. Guidance on how to identify individuals who are most at risk for human trafficking.
 - c. The difference between labor and sex trafficking specific to the hotel sector.
 - d. Guidance on the role of hospitality employees in reporting and responding to this issue.
 - e. The contact information of appropriate agencies, including, but not limited to, the National Human Trafficking Hotline toll-free telephone number, 1-888-373-7888, and text line, 233733, and the telephone numbers of the appropriate local law enforcement agencies.
5. Bed and breakfasts shall be excluded from this mandatory training.

Section 4. PENALTIES

- 1. All hotels and motels that do not provide this training shall be subject to a fine of five hundred dollars (\$500).

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-519

By: McCumber (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to protecting LGBTQ students; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Protect LGBTQ Students” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “LGBTQ” refers to anyone who is non-heterosexual or non-cisgender, as the acronym stands for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer or questioning.
2. “Public school” refers to all schools supported by public taxation and shall include primary and secondary schools, as well as universities primarily funded by the Oklahoma state government.
3. “Gender and sexual diversity training” refers to training that creates an understanding of the complexity of a person’s many facets—biological sex, gender identity, gender expression, and sexual orientation.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. Every public school shall conduct gender and sexual diversity training once each year.
 - a. This training shall be created by a panel of LGBTQ professionals within six (6) months after the bill passing.
2. No public school teacher, counselor, official, or employee may disclose the sexuality or gender identity of LGBTQ students to their parent(s), guardian(s), or to any other adult(s).

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. After one (1) year of the bill passing, public schools without gender and sexual diversity training will be fined two thousand dollars (\$2,000) and will be denied funding until the training program is implemented.

2. Public school teachers, counselors, officials, or employees who out LGBTQ students will be fined five thousand dollars (\$5,000) and teachers and school counselors will have their licenses revoked.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2st Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-520

By: Yanchick (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to tribal regalia and school dress codes; providing short title; providing for definitions; amending O.S. §70-24-100.4; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Tafv” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. "Tribal regalia" means clothing, accessories, and objects of cultural significance worn or carried during traditional tribal ceremonies, celebrations, or gatherings, including but not limited to: eagle feathers, beadwork, moccasins, etc.

Section 3. AMENDATORY O.S. §70-24-100.4 is amended to read as follows:

15. Establish a procedure whereby a school may request the disclosure of any information concerning students who have received mental health, substance abuse, or other care pursuant to paragraph 14 of this subsection that indicates an explicit threat to the safety of students or school personnel, provided the disclosure of the information does not violate the requirements and provisions of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, Section 2503 of Title 12 of the Oklahoma Statutes, Section 1376 of Title 59 of the Oklahoma Statutes, or any other state or federal laws regarding the disclosure of confidential information.

B. In developing the policy, the district board of education shall make an effort to involve the teachers, parents, administrators, school staff, school volunteers, community representatives, local law enforcement agencies and students. The students, teachers, and parents or guardian of every child residing within a school district shall be notified by the district board of education of its adoption of the policy and shall receive a copy upon request. The school district policy shall be implemented in a manner that is ongoing throughout the school year and is integrated with other violence prevention efforts.

C. The teacher of a child attending a public school shall have the same right as a parent or guardian to control and discipline such child according to district policies during the time the child is in attendance or in transit to or from the school or any other school function authorized by the school district or classroom presided over by the teacher.

D. Except concerning students on individualized education plans (IEP) pursuant to the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), P.L. No. 101-476, the State Board of Education shall not have authority to prescribe student disciplinary policies for school districts or to proscribe corporal punishment in the public schools. The State Board of Education shall not have authority to require school districts to file student disciplinary action reports more often than once each year and shall not use disciplinary action reports in determining a school district's or school site's eligibility for program assistance including competitive grants.

E. The board of education of each school district in this state shall have the option of adopting a dress code for students enrolled in the school district. The board of education of a school district shall also have the option of adopting a dress code which includes school uniforms.

1. No board of education or individual school may prohibit individuals from wearing tribal regalia or recognized objects of religious or cultural significance at graduation ceremonies.

F. The board of education of each school district in this state shall have the option of adopting a procedure that requires students to perform campus-site service for violating the district's policy.

G. The State Board of Education shall:

1. Promulgate rules for periodically monitoring school districts for compliance with this section and providing sanctions for noncompliance with this section;
2. Establish and maintain a central repository for the collection of information regarding documented and verified incidents of bullying;
and
3. Publish a report annually on the State Department of Education website regarding the number of documented and verified incidents of bullying in the public schools in the state.

1. Any educational institution deemed in violation of this policy will lose accreditation until compliance is proven.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-521

By: Yanchick (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to recommendations for suspension of driving privileges; providing short title; providing for definitions; amending O.S. § 22-983; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Free to Drive” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Moving traffic violation” refers to whenever a traffic law is violated by a vehicle in motion. Some examples of moving violations are speeding, running a stop sign or red light, and drunk driving. A non-moving violation, by contrast, is usually related to parking or faulty equipment.
2. “Suspension of driving privileges” refers to the temporary revocation of one’s driver’s license. While suspended, one cannot legally drive a motor vehicle until reinstated or else risk heavy fines, extended suspension, or potential permanent revocation.

Section 3. AMENDATORY O.S. § 22-983 is amended to read as follows:

A. Any defendant found guilty of an offense in any court of this state may be imprisoned for nonpayment of the fine, cost, fee, or assessment when the trial court finds after notice and hearing that the defendant is financially able but refuses or neglects to pay the fine, cost, fee, or assessment. A sentence to pay a fine, cost, fee, or assessment may be converted into a jail sentence only after a hearing and a judicial determination, memorialized of record, that the defendant is able to satisfy the fine, cost, fee, or assessment by payment, but refuses or neglects so to do.

B. After a judicial determination that the defendant is able to pay the fine, cost, fee, or assessment in installments, the court may order the fine, cost, fee, or assessment to be paid in installments and shall set the amount and date for each installment.

~~C. In addition, the district court or municipal court, within one hundred twenty (120) days from the date upon which the person was originally ordered to make payment, may send notice of nonpayment of any court ordered fine and costs for a moving traffic violation to the Department of Public Safety with a recommendation of suspension of driving~~

~~privileges of the defendant until the total amount of any fine and costs has been paid. Upon receipt of payment of the total amount of the fine and costs for the moving traffic violation, the court shall send notice thereof to the Department, if a nonpayment notice was sent as provided for in this subsection. Notices sent to the Department shall be on forms or by a method approved by the Department.~~

C. The Court of Criminal Appeals shall implement procedures and rules for methods of payment of fines, costs, fees, and assessments by indigents, which procedures and rules shall be distributed to all district courts and municipal courts by the Administrative Office of the Courts.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-522

By: Yanchick (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to limiting excusable homicide; providing short title; providing for definitions; amending O.S. § 21-731; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Ending Gay/Trans Panic Defense” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Gay/Trans panic defense” is a legal strategy which asks a jury to find that a victim’s sexual orientation or gender identity is to blame for the defendant’s violent reaction, including murder.
2. “Heat of passion” is a phrase used to describe an intensely emotional state of mind induced by a type of provocation that would cause a reasonable person to act on impulse or without reflection.
3. “Gender identity” is one’s concept of self as male, female, a blend of both or neither, regardless of their sex assigned at birth.
4. “Gender expression” is the external appearance of one’s gender identity, usually expressed through behavior, clothing, haircut, or voice, and which may or may not conform to socially defined behaviors and characteristics typically associated with being either masculine or feminine.
5. “Sexual orientation” is a person’s enduring physical, romantic, and/or emotional attraction to another person

Section 3. AMENDATORY O.S. § 21-731 is amended to read as follows:

Homicide is excusable in the following cases:

1. When committed by accident and misfortune in doing any lawful act, by lawful means, with usual and ordinary caution, and without any unlawful intent.
2. When committed by accident and misfortune in the heat of passion, upon any sudden and sufficient provocation, or upon a sudden combat provided that no undue advantage is taken, nor any dangerous weapon used, and that the killing is not done in a cruel or unusual manner.

A. Acts committed by a defendant based on the discovery of, knowledge about, or potential disclosure of the victim's actual or perceived gender identity, gender expression, or sexual orientation, including under circumstances in which the victim made an unwanted non-forcible romantic or sexual advance towards the defendant, or if the defendant and victim dated or had a romantic or sexual relationship are not to be included in the heat of passion or sudden and sufficient provocation exceptions.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-523

Rep. Yanez (OU)

Sen. Boren (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to civic participation; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Civic Tax Break” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. "Tax credit" shall be defined as a credit against tax liability that is a credit administered by the Tax Commission.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. Oklahomans that participate in any municipal, county, state, or federal election shall be given a tax credit of two hundred dollars (\$200) per election, not exceeding one (1) credit per year.
2. The State of Oklahoma’s Tax Commission shall be responsible for verifying the qualification of individuals for this tax credit and shall be responsible for proper distribution of individuals’ due credits.

Section 4. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. OU-524

By: Yanez (OU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to lowering the legal alcohol consumption age to eighteen (18); providing short title; providing for definitions; amending O.S. §37A-2-140; amending O.S. § 37A-6-101; amending O.S. §37A-6-114; amending O.S. §37A-6-120; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Decriminalize Teenagers” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. Alcohol- "Alcohol" means and includes hydrated oxide of ethyl, ethyl alcohol, ethanol or spirits of wine, from whatever source or by whatever process produced. It does not include wood alcohol or alcohol which has been denatured or produced as denatured in accordance with Acts of Congress and regulations promulgated thereunder;

2. Alcoholic Beverage- "Alcoholic beverage" means alcohol, spirits, beer and wine as those terms are defined herein and also includes every liquid or solid, patented or not, containing alcohol, spirits, wine or beer and capable of being consumed as a beverage by human beings;

3. Person - “ Person” means an individual, any type of partnership, corporation, association, limited liability company or any individual involved in the legal structure of any such business entity;

Section 3. AMENDATORY O.S. §37A-2-140

A winemaker license shall authorize the holder thereof:

1. To manufacture (including such mixing, blending and cellar treatment as authorized by federal law), bottle, package and store on licensed premises wine containing not more than twenty-four percent (24%) alcohol by volume, provided the bottle or package sizes authorized shall be limited to the capacities approved by the United States Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau;

2. To sell wine in this state to licensed wholesalers and manufacturers;
 3. To sell wine produced at the winery from grapes and other fruits and berries grown in this state, if available, for either on-premises or off-premises consumption to consumers on the premises of the winery;
 4. To serve free samples of wine produced at the winery to visitors ~~twenty-one (21)~~ eighteen (18) years of age and older. For purposes of this section, no visitor may sample more than a total of six (6) fluid ounces of wine per day. The winery shall restrict the distribution and consumption of wine samples to an area within the licensed premises designated by the winery. A current floor plan that includes the designated sampling area shall be on file with the ABLE Commission. No visitor under ~~twenty-one (21)~~ eighteen (18) years of age shall be permitted to enter the designated sampling area when samples are being distributed and consumed. Samples of wine served by a winery under this section shall not be considered a sale of wine within the meaning of Article XXVIII-A of the Oklahoma Constitution or Section 1-103 of this title; provided, such samples of wine shall be considered removed or withdrawn from the winery for use or consumption within the meaning of Section 5-110 of this title for excise tax determination and reporting requirements;
 5. To serve free samples of wine produced at the winery at public events such as festivals and trade shows;
 6. To sell wine produced at the winery, for either on-premises or off-premises consumption at public events such as festivals and trade shows;
7. To sell wine out of this state to qualified persons;
 8. To purchase from licensed winemakers, distillers and rectifiers in this state, and to import into this state wine, brandy and fruit spirits for use in manufacturing in accordance with federal laws and regulations;
 9. To sell and serve Oklahoma-manufactured wine, mulled wine, or spiced wine, mixed with nonalcoholic beverages or food items such as water, sugar, fruits and vegetables, at any temperature for either on-premises or off-premises consumption;
 10. To purchase beer in retail containers from the holder of a wholesaler, beer distributor, small brewer self-distributor or brewpub self-distributor license or as specifically provided by law;
11. To sell, offer for sale and possess beer for on-premises consumption; and
 12. To establish satellite tasting rooms as defined and authorized in this act where the winemaker's products may be tasted, sampled, sold and served for on-premises consumption and the winemaker is permitted to sell its products in sealed containers; provided, the small farm winery license or winemaker license is active and in good standing. The wine sold at a satellite tasting room must have been produced/manufactured by the holder of a small farm winery license or winemaker license and must have all manufacturing taxes paid.

Section 4. AMENDATORY O.S. §37A-6-101

A. No person shall:

1. Knowingly sell, deliver or furnish alcoholic beverages to any person under ~~twenty-one (21)~~ eighteen (18) years of age;
2. Sell, deliver or knowingly furnish alcoholic beverages to an intoxicated person or to any person who has been adjudged insane or mentally deficient;
3. Open a retail container or consume alcoholic beverages on the premises of a package store, grocery store, convenience store or drug store, unless otherwise permitted by law;
4. Import into this state, except as provided for in the Oklahoma Alcoholic Beverage Control Act, any alcoholic beverages; provided, that nothing herein shall prohibit the importation or possession for personal use of not more than one (1) liter of alcoholic beverages upon which the Oklahoma excise tax is delinquent;
5. Receive, possess or use any alcoholic beverage in violation of the provisions of the Oklahoma Alcoholic Beverage Control Act;
6. Knowingly transport into, within or through this state more than one (1) liter of alcoholic beverages upon which the Oklahoma excise tax has not been paid unless the person accompanying or in charge of the vehicle transporting same shall possess a true copy of a bill of lading, invoice, manifest or other document particularly identifying that alcoholic beverages are being transported and showing the name and address of the consignor and consignee; provided, this prohibition shall not apply to the first one hundred eighty (180) liters of alcoholic beverages classified as household goods by military personnel, age ~~twenty-one (21)~~ eighteen (18) or older, when entering Oklahoma from temporary active assignment outside the contiguous United States;
7. Knowingly transport in any vehicle upon a public highway, street or alley any alcoholic beverage except in the original container which shall not have been opened and the seal upon which shall not have been broken and from which the original cap or cork shall not have been removed, unless the opened container be in the rear trunk or rear compartment, which shall include the spare tire compartment in a vehicle commonly known as a station wagon and panel truck, or any outside compartment which is not accessible to the driver or any other person in the vehicle while it is in motion;
8. Consume spirits in public except on the premises of a licensee of the ABLE Commission who is authorized to sell or serve spirits by the individual drink, or be intoxicated in a public place. This provision shall be cumulative and in addition to existing law;
9. Forcibly resist lawful arrest, or by physical contact interfere with an investigation of any infringement of the Oklahoma Alcoholic Beverage Control Act or with any lawful search or seizure being made by a law enforcement officer or an employee of the ABLE Commission,

when such person knows or should know that such acts are being performed by a state, county or municipal officer or employee of the ABLE Commission;

10. Manufacture, duplicate, counterfeit or in any way imitate any bottle club membership card required to be issued by the ABLE Commission without the permission of the ABLE Commission;

11. Consume or possess alcoholic beverages on the licensed premises of a bottle club unless such person possesses a valid membership card for that club issued by the club;

12. Knowingly possess any bottle club membership card required to be issued by the ABLE Commission which has been manufactured, counterfeited, imitated or in any way duplicated without the permission of the ABLE Commission; or

13. Knowingly and willfully permit any individual under ~~twenty-one (21)~~ eighteen (18) years of age who is an invitee to the person's residence, any building, structure or room owned, occupied, leased or otherwise procured by the person or on any land owned, occupied, leased or otherwise procured by the person, to possess or consume any alcoholic beverage as defined by Section 1-103 of this title, any controlled dangerous substance as defined in the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Act, or any combination thereof, in such place.

~~B. Except as provided for in subsection C of this section, punishment for violation of paragraph 13 of subsection A of this section shall be as follows:~~

~~1. Any person who is convicted of a violation of the provisions of paragraph 13 of subsection A of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor for the first offense and be punished by a fine of not more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00);~~

~~2. Any person who, within ten (10) years after previous convictions of a violation:~~

~~a. of paragraph 13 of subsection A of this section,~~

~~b. of the provisions of any law of another state prohibiting the offense provided for in paragraph 13 of subsection A of this section, or~~

~~c. in a municipal criminal court of record for the violation of a municipal ordinance prohibiting the offense provided for in paragraph 13 of subsection A of this section,~~

~~shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not more than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00);~~

~~3. Any person who, within ten (10) years after two or more previous convictions of a violation:~~

~~a. of paragraph 13 of subsection A of this section,~~

~~b. of the provisions of any law of another state prohibiting the offense provided for in paragraph 13 of subsection A of this section, or~~

~~e. in a municipal criminal court of record for the violation of a municipal ordinance prohibiting the offense provided for in paragraph 13 of subsection A of this section, or~~

~~d. or any combination of two or more thereof,~~

~~shall be guilty of a felony and shall be punished by a fine of not more than Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00), or by imprisonment in the custody of the Department of Corrections for not more than five (5) years, or by both such fine and imprisonment.~~

~~C. Any person who violates paragraph 13 of subsection A of this section, and such actions cause great bodily injury or the death of a person, shall, in addition to any other penalty provided by law, be guilty of a felony, punishable by imprisonment in the custody of the Department of Corrections for not more than five (5) years, a fine of not less than Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00) nor more than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or both such fine and imprisonment.~~

~~D. Except as provided in subsection C of Section 6-126 of this title, any person who shall engage in any of the following and disturb the peace of any person:~~

~~1. In any public place, or in or upon any passenger coach, streetcar, or in or upon any other vehicle commonly used for the transportation of passengers, or in or about any depot, platform, waiting station or room, drink or otherwise consume any intoxicating liquor unless authorized by the Oklahoma Alcoholic Beverage Control Act, intoxicating substance or intoxicating compound of any kind, or inhale glue, paint or other intoxicating substance;~~

~~2. Be drunk or intoxicated in any public or private road, or in any passenger coach, streetcar or any public place or building, or at any public gathering, from drinking or consuming such intoxicating liquor, intoxicating substance or intoxicating compound or from inhalation of glue, paint or other intoxicating substance; or~~

~~3. Be drunk or intoxicated from any cause,~~

~~shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than Ten Dollars (\$10.00), nor more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) or by imprisonment for not less than five (5) days nor more than thirty (30) days or by both such fine and imprisonment.~~

Section 5. AMENDATORY O.S. §37A-6-114,

A. 1. If the premises of a licensee of the ABLE Commission contains a separate or enclosed lounge or bar area, which has as its main purpose the sale or distribution of alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption, notwithstanding that as an incidental service, meals or short order foods are made available therein, no person under twenty-one (21) eighteen (18) years of age shall be admitted to such area, except for members of a musical band employed or hired as provided in paragraph 2 of Section 142 of this act when the band is to perform within such area, or persons under twenty-one (21) eighteen (18) years of age who are on the licensed premises for

the limited purpose of performing maintenance, construction, remodeling, painting or other similar services relating to the building or equipment installation, repair or maintenance on the premises during those hours when the licensed establishment is closed for business. The provisions of this section shall not prohibit persons under ~~twenty-one (21)~~ eighteen (18) years of age from being admitted to an area which has as its main purpose some objective other than the sale or mixing or serving of alcoholic beverages, in which sales or serving of alcoholic beverages are incidental to the main purpose, as long as the persons under ~~twenty-one (21)~~ eighteen (18) years of age are not sold or served alcoholic beverages. The incidental service of food in the bar area shall not exempt a licensee from the provisions of this section. The ABLE Commission shall have the authority to designate the portions of the premises of a licensee where persons under ~~twenty-one (21)~~ eighteen (18) years of age shall not be admitted pursuant to this section. When determining a licensee's main purpose, a licensee that operates a full kitchen, sells food items from a full menu, and has thirty-five percent (35%) or more of its monthly gross sales attributable to food items, shall have as its main purpose other than the sale of alcoholic beverages. The main purpose of those mixed beverage establishments whose main purpose was other than the sale of alcoholic beverages prior to October 1, 2018, shall not automatically lose that designation upon the elimination of low-point beer in the state. If the ABLE Commission wishes to change said mixed beverage establishments' main purpose designation, it shall be the burden of the ABLE Commission to prove by clear and convincing evidence that said mixed beverage establishments no longer qualify for that designation.

2. A new licensee that claims as its main purpose some objective other than the sale of alcoholic beverages may be granted a separate or enclosed lounge or bar area for a period of ninety (90) days. At the end of that ninety-day period, the licensee shall have the burden of showing that the business continues to qualify for a separate or enclosed bar area. If the licensee fails to satisfy this burden, then that licensee's main purpose shall automatically convert to the sale of alcoholic beverages.

B. Except as otherwise provided, an admission charge shall not be considered in any calculation designed to determine the main purpose of an establishment pursuant to subsection A of this section. As used in this section, "admission charge" means any form of consideration received by an establishment from a person in order for that person to gain entrance into the establishment.

C. ~~The provisions of subsection B of this section shall not apply:~~

~~1. If only persons eighteen (18) years of age or older are permitted to enter the licensed premises; provided, if the licensee is claiming an exception from the requirements of subsection B of this section pursuant to this paragraph and fails to restrict the entry by persons under age eighteen (18) into the licensed premises, the ABLE Commission shall designate that only persons twenty-one (21) years of age or older are allowed on the licensed premises;~~

~~2. If the licensed premises are owned or operated by a service organization or fraternal establishment which is exempt under Section 501(c)(19), (8), or (10) of the Internal Revenue Code; or~~

~~3. To a public event held in a facility owned or operated by any agency, political subdivision or public trust of this state.~~

~~D. The ABLE Commission shall promulgate rules necessary to implement the provisions of this section.~~

Section 6. AMENDATORY O.S. §37A-6-120

~~Any person who shall sell, furnish or give alcoholic beverage to a person under twenty-one (21) years of age shall be guilty of a misdemeanor for a first violation, and upon conviction shall be fined not more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), or imprisoned in the county jail for not more than one (1) year, or by both such fine and imprisonment. Any person convicted of a second or subsequent violation shall be guilty of a felony, and shall be fined not less than Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00) nor more than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or imprisoned in the State Penitentiary for not more than five (5) years, or by both such fine and imprisonment. The ABLE Commission shall revoke the license of any person convicted of a violation of this section.~~

Section 7. PENALTIES

1. Any person under the age of eighteen (18) who consumes or purchases alcohol or alcoholic beverages will be sent to a mandated drug and alcohol rehabilitation for no less than thirty (30) days
2. Any person or entity caught selling alcohol to persons under the age of eighteen (18) will be subject to a fine of no less than five hundred dollars (\$500) and subject to removal of any alcohol serving license owned at that time
3. Any person or entity who permits any individual under the age of eighteen (18) into a bar will be subject to a fine of no less than five hundred dollars (\$500)

Section 8. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. TU-501

By: Giovannetti (TU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to AIDS prevention education; providing short title; amending O.S. § 70-11-103.3; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Reduce Stigma” Act of 2021

Section 2. AMENDATORY O.S. § 70-11-103.3 is amended to read as follows:

A. Acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS) prevention education shall be taught in the public schools of this state. AIDS prevention education shall be limited to the discussion of the disease AIDS and its spread and prevention. Students shall receive such education:

1. at the option of the local school district, a minimum of once during the period from grade five through grade six;
2. a minimum of once during the period from grade seven through grade nine; and
3. a minimum of once during the period from grade ten through grade twelve.

B. The State Department of Education shall develop curriculum and materials for AIDS prevention education in conjunction with the State Department of Health. A school district may also develop its own AIDS prevention education curriculum and materials. Any curriculum and materials developed for use in the public schools shall be approved for medical accuracy by the State Department of Health. A school district may use any curriculum and materials which have been developed and approved pursuant to this subsection.

C. School districts shall make the curriculum and materials that will be used to teach AIDS prevention education available for inspection by the parents and guardians of the students that will be involved with the curriculum and materials. Furthermore, the curriculum must be limited in time frame to deal only with factual medical information for AIDS prevention. The school districts, at least one (1) month prior to teaching AIDS prevention education in any classroom, shall conduct for the parents and guardians of the students involved during weekend and evening hours at least one (1) presentation concerning the curriculum and materials that will be used for such education. No student shall be required to participate in AIDS prevention education if a parent or guardian of the student objects in writing to such participation.

D. AIDS prevention education shall specifically teach students that:

1. engaging in ~~homosexual activity, promiscuous~~ risky sexual activity, intravenous drug use and the sharing of drug injection equipment, or contact with contaminated blood products is now known to be primarily responsible for contact with the AIDS virus;
2. avoiding the activities specified in paragraph 1 of this subsection and using HIV prevention medicines ~~is are~~ the only methods of preventing the spread of the virus;
3. sexual intercourse, with or without condoms, vaginal or anal, with any person testing positive for human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) antibodies, or any other person infected with HIV, places that individual in a high risk category for developing AIDS.

E. The program of AIDS prevention education shall teach that abstinence from sexual activity is the only certain means for the prevention of the spread or contraction of the AIDS virus through sexual contact. It shall also teach that artificial means of birth control are not a certain means of preventing the spread of the AIDS virus and reliance on such methods puts a person at risk for exposure to the disease.

F. The State Department of Health and the State Department of Education shall update AIDS education curriculum material as newly discovered medical facts make it necessary.

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. TU-502

By: Thomason (TU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to the practice of eminent domain; providing short title; providing for definitions; amending O.S. § 27-1; amending O.S. § 27- 2; amending O.S. § 27-3; amending O.S. § 27-5; amending O.S. § 27-6; amending O.S. § 27-13-2; amending O.S. § 27-13-5; amending O.S. § 27-13-6; amending O.S. § 27-16-B; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as “The Landowner Rights Act of 2021.”

Section 2. DEFINITIONS: The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. “Private property” shall be defined as any private land and any and every structure that lies on that land which is owned by a citizen.
2. “Necessary” as used in “necessary public purposes” or “necessary public projects” shall be defined as a building or structure that is necessary for the public well-being. It shall not refer to any building or structure that is recreational and/or for private purposes.
3. “Public” as used in “public programs,” “public purposes,” or “public projects” shall be defined as a project that uses federal, state, or local funds to construct a building or structure for the public well-being. It shall not refer to any building or structure to be built for solely private purposes.
4. For the purposes of this act, the terms “county,” “city,” “town,” “township,” and “municipality” shall be used interchangeably to refer to a local government that shall have the power to condemn private property via eminent domain under the laws of this act.
5. For the purposes of this act, the terms “private individual,” “company,” and “corporation” shall be used interchangeably to refer to private entities that are not entities of local governments that either provide utility services or are contracted by cities, towns, townships, or municipalities to construct and/or provide public services outlined in this act. Private individuals, companies, and corporations shall have the power to condemn private property via eminent domain under the laws of this act.
6. “Utility services” shall be defined as necessary infrastructural services that enter a residential area that citizens pay to receive, such as water, gas, electricity, sewerage, and telephone/internet cables.

Section 3. AMENDATORY 27 O.S. § 1 is amended to read as follows:

The lands set apart for the use and benefit of the State of Oklahoma ~~for public schools, for public buildings and educational institutions,~~ either by congressional enactment or executive reservation, are hereby declared to be subject to the right of eminent domain in behalf of any public enterprises, cities or municipalities now authorized by law to condemn private property for ~~sewers, railroads, side tracks, station grounds and other municipal or corporate public uses~~ utility services, and all of the laws of this state with reference to the taking of private property for public use are hereby made applicable to the said lands.

Section 4.

AMENDATORY 27 O.S. § 2 is amended to read as follows:

Before any public corporation, municipality or other entity or person authorized to exercise the right of eminent domain under existing law, shall have the right to condemn or take any part of such lands, a plat of the grounds proposed to be taken, showing the part of the particular subdivision, shall be prepared and filed with the Governor of said state, together with a sworn statement of the engineer or superintendent in charge of such public work, that the taking of such lands is necessary to the exercise of the powers of such municipality or corporation; and it shall be the duty of ~~the Governor to appoint the~~ owner of the private property to select three disinterested, unbiased, and non-relative persons, resident householders of the county in which such land is located, who shall first take an oath to fairly and impartially appraise the value of the ground so taken, and the damage to the remaining parts of such subdivision by the taking thereof, and the said appraisers shall notify the Governor ~~and the officers of such corporation~~, the officials of the entity requesting a condemnation via eminent domain (whether a municipality or corporation) and the owner of the private property of the time and place when they will proceed to appraise such damage, and at such time and place, upon actual view of the premises, the said appraisers shall meet and appraise the damage, in writing, and return one copy thereof under their signatures to the Governor of the state, one (1) copy to the owner of the private property and one (1) copy to the principal officer of such corporation or municipality in charge of such construction, and if ~~either~~ any party is aggrieved they may, within ~~ten (10)~~ thirty (30) days, appeal to the district court of the county where such land is located, in the same manner that appeals are taken from judgment of justices of the peace, where the amount of such damage shall be tried by a jury, as other causes are tried. ~~In case no appeal is taken from the award of such appraisers, such corporation or municipality shall have the right to occupy such by the paying into the State Treasury the amount of such award. In case either party appeals, such corporation or municipality shall have the right to occupy such grounds upon giving bond in treble the amount of the award, with sureties to be approved by the clerk of the district court where such appeal is pending, to the effect that the corporation or municipality will pay said award if such appeal be dismissed, or shall pay any judgment finally rendered in said action if the same shall be tried. In case no appeal is taken from the award of such appraisers by either the~~ entity requesting a condemnation via eminent domain or the owner of the private property, such entity wishing to execute a public project shall have the right to occupy such grounds after a period of six (6) months has passed. In case of a conflict between either the entity requesting a condemnation via eminent domain or the owner of the

private property and subsequent appeal, the private property shall remain in complete possession of the private property owner until the conflict is tried by a jury of the same district as the private property and until any and all appeals methods are exhausted by the property owner. After receiving a judgement against him, the property owner shall have thirty (30) days to appeal the judgement; upon failure to submit a formal appeal within this deadline, the most recent judgement shall stand.

Section 5. AMENDATORY 27 O.S. § 3 is amended to read as follows:

The said appraisers shall receive compensation for the time actually engaged in making such appraisal, to be verified by them under their oath, and which shall be paid, in addition to the award, by ~~the company or corporation requiring their services~~ the entity requesting a condemnation of private property via eminent domain, whether it be a municipality or corporation.

Section 6. AMENDATORY 27 O.S. § 5 is amended to read as follows:

Any county, city, town, township, ~~or municipality school district, or board of education, or any board or official having charge of cemeteries created and existing under the laws of this state,~~ shall have power to condemn lands ~~in like manner as railroad companies,~~ for highways, rights-of-way, ~~building sites, cemeteries, public parks and other necessary public transportation purposes.~~

Section 7. AMENDATORY 27 O.S. § 6 is amended to read as follows:

~~Any private person, firm or corporation shall have power to exercise the right of eminent domain in like manner as railroad companies for private ways of necessity or for agriculture, mining and sanitary purposes.~~

Any private individual, company, or corporation that provides necessary utility services to the public shall have the power to condemn private property via eminent domain and shall follow the same laws that are applied to cities and municipalities under this act. Private individuals, companies, or corporations that provide public utility services shall only condemn private property via eminent domain for their services that enter residential areas. They shall be prohibited from conducting eminent domain condemnations for non-residential purposes.

Section 8. AMENDATORY 27 O.S. § 13-2 is amended to read as follows:

Real property shall be appraised by three appraisers selected by the owner of the property before the initiation of negotiations, and the ~~owner or his designated representative official(s) of the municipality in which the private property is located or the official(s) of the corporation requesting a condemnation via eminent domain~~ shall be given an opportunity to accompany the ~~appraiser~~ appraisers during ~~his~~ their inspection of the property, except that the head or governing body of the entity acquiring real property, if so mandated by federal law or regulation, may prescribe a procedure to waive the

appraisal in cases involving the acquisition by sale or donation of property with a low fair market value as such value is defined by federal law or regulation.

Section 9. AMENDATORY 27 O.S. § 13-5 is amended to read as follows:

The construction or development of a public improvement shall be so scheduled that, ~~to the greatest extent practicable~~, no person lawfully occupying real property shall be required to move from a dwelling, assuming a replacement dwelling, as required by the Oklahoma Relocation Assistance Act, will be available, or to move his business or farm operation ~~without at least ninety (90) days' written notice from the date by which such move is required~~. within a period of six (6) months from the date on which all parties agreed to a condemnation of private property via eminent domain or six (6) months from the date on which a court rules in favor of a condemnation of private property via eminent domain.

Section 10. AMENDATORY 27 O.S. § 13-6 is amended to read as follows:

~~If any owner or tenant is permitted to occupy the real property acquired on a rental basis for a short term or for a period subject to termination on short notice, the amount of rent required shall not exceed the fair rental value of the property to a short-term occupier.~~

Section 11. AMENDATORY 27 O.S. § 16 is amended to read as follows:

- A. In every case wherein private property is taken or damaged for public use, the person whose property is taken or damaged shall be entitled to just compensation.
- B. "Just compensation", as used in subsection A of this section, shall mean the value of the property taken determined by three (3) disinterested, unbiased, and non-relative appraisers selected by the private property owner, and in addition, any injury to any part of the property not taken. Any special and direct benefits to the part of the property not taken may be offset only against any injury to the property not taken. If only a part of a tract is taken, just compensation ~~shall be ascertained by determining the difference between the fair market value of the whole tract immediately before the taking and the fair market value of that portion left remaining immediately after the taking~~. shall be granted to the private property owner that reflects the fair market value of the whole tract.

- 1. "Just compensation" shall also include a stipend given to the owner of private property that contains a residential dwelling to assist the private property owner in unforeseen, miscellaneous moving expenses. The stipend shall be ten percent (10%) of the fair market value of the private property condemned as determined by up to three (3) disinterested, unbiased, and non-relative appraisers selected by the private property owner. This stipend shall not be taxed and shall be used however the recipient sees fit.

- C. The just compensation that the private property owner is entitled to, the amount of which shall either be mutually agreed upon or determined by a court in the case of conflict, shall not be taxed by the State of Oklahoma. Any and all federal taxes shall be paid by the municipality or corporation requesting a condemnation of private property via eminent domain.

Section 12. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 19 of Title 27, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

- A. Should the entity, whether a municipality or corporation, successfully condemn private property for public utility uses, that entity shall have a period of one (1) year to begin construction. Should the entity fail to begin construction within this timeframe, the private property that was condemned via eminent domain shall revert to the original private property owner's possession.
- B. Should the unconstructed private property condemned via eminent domain that reverts to the original owner contain a residential dwelling, the original owner of the private property shall receive an additional stipend equivalent to the original stipend provided in Section 12 Subsection B of this act to assist the private property owner in unforeseen, miscellaneous moving expenses.

Section 13. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 20 of Title 27, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

- A. Employees or associates of any city, county, or municipality of the State of Oklahoma, or of the State of Oklahoma itself, or of the private individual or corporation requesting a condemnation via eminent domain shall be prohibited from sitting on a jury whose purpose is related to eminent domain disputes whatsoever.

Section 14. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. TU-503

By: Williams (TU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to the representation of votes by congressional district in presidential elections; providing short title; amending O.S. §26-10-103; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Congressional Electors” Act of 2021.

Section 2. AMENDATORY O.S. § 26-10-103 is hereby amended as follows:

On the first (1st) Tuesday after the first (1st) Monday in November in each year next preceding the expiration of the term of office of each President of the United States, the registered voters of this state shall elect a number of electors for President and Vice President equal to the number of United States Senators and United States Representatives which the state is entitled to elect. These electors shall be determined in the following manner:

(1) There shall be two (2) electors that mark their ballot for the presidential and vice-presidential candidates who received the highest number of votes in the state and remain consistent with their pledge.

(2) The remaining electors shall each represent a distinct congressional district. Each congressional district’s presidential elector shall mark their ballot for the presidential and vice-presidential candidates who received the highest number of votes in their congressional district and remain consistent with their pledge.

Said electors shall be elected in the same manner as is provided for state officers.

Section 3. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Bill No. TU-504

By: Williams (TU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to education; providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Equity Through Data” Act of 2021.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

- a. Disproportionate impact/disparity means the percentage of an affected student group is greater than five (5) percentage points of the population percentage that the group represents within the school.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. All school superintendents, or their designees, shall review biannually, the discipline data for their school district, as collected by the U.S. Department of Education’s Office for Civil Rights in their biannual Civil Rights Data Collection, to determine whether the discipline imposed has had a disproportionate impact on students based on race, ethnicity, or disability status and to appropriately respond to any such disparity. If a disparity exists, the school district shall submit a report to the Oklahoma Department of Education describing:
 - a. the conduct of the students,
 - b. the frequency of the conduct,
 - c. prior disciplinary actions for the conduct,

and any other relevant information and corrective actions to address the disparity, after consultation with representatives of the faculty has been taken to address the disparity. The reports shall be deemed to be public records.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. Schools that fail to comply will be subject to a loss of funding to be determined by the Oklahoma Department of Education.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and approval.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature

2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

House Joint Resolution No. OSU-601

By: Pritzlaff (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

A Joint Resolution directing the Secretary of State to refer to the people for their approval or rejection of a proposed amendment to Article V Section 17 of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma; reapportionment; providing ballot title; and directing filing.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
2nd SESSION OF THE 52nd OKLAHOMA INTERCOLLEGIATE LEGISLATURE:

Section 1. The Secretary of State shall refer to the people for their approval or rejection, as and in the manner provided by law, the following proposed amendment to Article V Section 17 of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma to read as follows:

SECTION V-17

Age - Qualified electors - Residents.

Members of the Senate shall be at least twenty-five years of age, and members of the House of Representatives twenty-one years of age at the time of their election. They shall be qualified electors in their respective counties or districts and shall reside in their respective counties or districts during their term of office.

SECTION V-17A

~~Limitation of time served in the Legislature.~~

~~Any member of the Legislature who is elected to office after the effective date of this amendment shall be eligible to serve no more than 12 years in the Oklahoma State Legislature. Years in Legislative office need not be consecutive and years of service in both the Senate and the House of Representatives shall be added together and included in determining the total number of Legislative years in office. The years served by any member elected or appointed to serve less than a full Legislative term to fill a vacancy in office shall not be included in the 12-year limitation set forth herein, but no member who has completed 12 years in office shall thereafter be eligible to serve a partial term. Any member who is serving a Legislative term in office or who has been elected or appointed to serve a term in office on the effective date hereof shall be entitled to complete his or her term and shall be eligible to serve an additional 12 years thereafter. This amendment shall be effective on the 1st day of the year following its adoption.~~

Section 2. The Ballot Title for the proposed Constitutional amendment as set forth in
Section 1 of the resolution shall be in the following form:

BALLOT TITLE

Legislative Referendum No. _____

State Question No. _____

THE GIST OF THE PROPOSITION IS AS FOLLOWS:

This measure amends of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma, Article V Section 17.
This amendment removes term limits on state legislators.

SHALL THIS AMENDMENT BE APPROVED BY THE PEOPLE?

_____ YES, FOR THE AMENDMENT

_____ NO, AGAINST THE AMENDMENT

Section 3. The Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, immediately after the
passage of this resolution, shall prepare and file one copy thereof,
including the Ballot Title set forth in Section 2 hereof, with the Secretary
of State and one copy with the Attorney General.

ADDENDUM: SENATE (OR HOUSE) LEGISLATION

Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature
2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2021)

Senate Bill No. OSU-014

By: Fenderson (OSU)

AS INTRODUCED

An act relating to public schools providing short title; providing for definitions; providing for codification; providing for penalties; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Section 1. This act shall be known as the “Transgender Student Protection” Act of 2019.

Section 2. DEFINITIONS The following terms are to be defined as follows for the purposes of this act:

1. discrimination. -discriminating against people belonging to certain categories in enjoying full right to education.
2. gender expression- a person's behavior, mannerisms, interests, and appearance that are associated with gender in a particular cultural context, specifically with the categories of femininity or masculinity.
3. gender identity-One’s innermost concept of self as male, female, a blend of both or neither – how individuals perceive themselves and what they call themselves.
4. Superintendent. - Shall refer to the Oklahoma Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Section 3. NEW LAW A new law to be codified into the Oklahoma statutes to read as follows:

1. No later than one (1) year after the Act is established, the Superintendent must publish guidelines prohibiting discrimination by any Oklahoma State Department of Education Employee or student on basis of gender expression or gender identity.
2. The Superintendent will then be responsible for enforcement and monitoring guidelines set forth.

Section 4. PENALTIES

1. Failure of the Oklahoma Superintendent of Public Instruction to fulfill the requirements will results in no less than-
 - a. The introduction of judicial committee oversight into failure to complete responsibilities of office.
 - i. If the committee finds evidence of personal bias resulting in failure to fulfill any of the above requirements, removal from office will be immediately effective on the Oklahoma Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Section 5. This act shall become effective ninety (90) days after passage and

approval.