

LEGALS

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT
IN AND FOR
DELAWARE COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

SOUTHWEST STAGE
FUNDING, LLC DBA CASCADE
FINANCIAL SERVICES; Plaintiff,

vs.

WILLIAM WARREN; TAMRA
WARREN; et al. Defendants.

**Case No. CJ-2025-215
Judge McAffrey, Jennifer
NOTICE BY PUBLICATION**

**THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO
COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY
INFORMATION OBTAINED
WILL BE USED FOR THAT
PURPOSE.**

THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA
TO: WILLIAM WARREN; TAMRA
WARREN, IF LIVING, AND IF
DECEASED, THEIR HEIRS,
PERSONAL REPRESENTA-
TIVES, DEVISEES, TRUSTEES,
SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS
AND THE UNKNOWN
SUCCESSORS

GREETINGS:

You are hereby notified that
you have been sued by Plaintiff
in the above cause in the District
Court of Delaware County,
Oklahoma, entitled Southwest
Stage Funding, LLC dba Cascade
Financial Services, Plaintiff v.
William Warren; Tamra Warren,
et al., Defendants, and that you
must answer the Petition of said
Plaintiff on or before the 30 day
of January, 2026, or the allegations
of said Petition will be taken
as true and a judgment will be
entered for the sums due under
the Note and Mortgage which
are the subject of said suit in
the amount of \$182,384.76 with
interest; attorney fees and all costs
and a Decree ordering foreclosure
of said Mortgage, barring your
interest in the following described
real property:

Lot 191, Block 16, WALNUT HILL
AREA, FLINT RIDGE NO. 4,
a subdivision, according to the
recorded plat thereof, Delaware
County, Oklahoma
Together with all improvements
constructed upon, affixed to or
located upon the above-described
real property, including without
limitation, any residential dwelling
located thereon, which dwelling
is or may be a manufactured
home, which manufactured
home shall be conclusively
deemed to be real estate - VIN
#BEL021419TXABAC, commonly
known as 16191 Black Walnut
Rd., Kansas, OK 74347 (the
"Property")

DATED this 1st day of
December, 2025.

**COURT CLERK OF
DELAWARE COUNTY
By: /s/ Natasha Isaac
Deputy Clerk**

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FRANCIS
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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT
IN AND FOR
DELAWARE COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

Don Vaught, Plaintiff,

vs.

The Successors, Heirs,
Executors, Administrators,
Trustees, Devisees and
Assigns, Immediate or Remote,
Whether Known or Unknown
of Ella G. Glass a/k/a Ellen G.
Glass a/k/a Ella G. Billingsley,
Cherokee Role No. 25028,
Deceased, Thomas Junia
Vaught, Deceased, Frankie May
Vaught, Deceased, Freddie
Vaught, Deceased, Thomas
Edward Vaught, Deceased,
Preshia Vaught, Deceased, Dent
Lanas Vaught, Deceased, and
Blanquita Vaught, Michael Grant
Vaught, Teresa Jean Searls,
Cathy Lynn Poppen, Dale
Vaught, Ricky Vaught and Denita
Vaught Hancock, Defendants.

**Case No. CV-2025-161
NOTICE BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA,
TO: Successors, Heirs, Executors,
Administrators, Trustees,
Devisees and Assigns, Immediate
and Remote, Whether Known
or Unknown of Ella G. Glass
a/k/a Ellen G. Glass a/k/a Ella
G. Billingsley, Cherokee Role
No. 25028, Deceased, Thomas
Junia Vaught, Deceased, Frankie
May Vaught, Deceased, Freddie
Vaught, Deceased, Thomas
Edward Vaught, Deceased,
Preshia Vaught, Deceased, Dent

Lanas Vaught, Deceased

You are hereby notified that
you have been sued in the District
Court of Delaware County, State
of Oklahoma, in Case No. CV-
2025-161, by the above-named
Plaintiff, wherein the Plaintiff is
seeking to judicially determine
the Successors, Heirs, Executors,
Administrators, Trustees,
Devisees and Assigns, Immediate
and Remote, Whether Known
or Unknown of Ella G. Glass
a/k/a Ellen G. Glass a/k/a Ella
G. Billingsley, Cherokee Role
No. 25028, Deceased, half-blood
Cherokee, Thomas Junia Vaught,
Deceased, Frankie May Vaught,
Deceased, Freddie Vaught,
Deceased, Thomas Edward
Vaught, Deceased, Preshia
Vaught, Deceased, and Dent
Lanas Vaught, Deceased, and
to quiet title to the following-
described real property situated
in Delaware County, Oklahoma,
to-wit:

The SW/4 SW/4 SE/4 of Section
32, Township 22 North, Range
22 East of the Indian Base and
Meridian, Delaware County,
Oklahoma, containing 10 acres
more or less.

You are further notified that
unless you answer the Petition
of the Plaintiff on or before the
12th day of January, 2026, the
allegations of the Petition will
be taken as true and judgment
rendered determining the identity
of the heirs and all of the persons
who are and were entitled to
inherit the above-described real
property upon the death of Ella G.
Glass, a/k/a Ellen G. Glass a/k/a
Ella G. Billingsley, Cherokee Role
No. 25028, Deceased, half-blood
Cherokee, Thomas Junia Vaught,
Deceased, Frankie May Vaught,
Deceased, Freddie Vaught,
Deceased, Thomas Edward
Vaught, Deceased, Preshia
Vaught, Deceased, and Dent
Lanas Vaught, Deceased, and a
further judgment determining that
Successors, Heirs, Executors,
Administrators, Trustees,
Devisees and Assigns, Immediate
and Remote, Whether Known
or Unknown of Ella G. Glass
a/k/a Ellen G. Glass a/k/a Ella
G. Billingsley, Cherokee Role
No. 25028, Deceased, Thomas
Junia Vaught, Deceased, Frankie
May Vaught, Deceased, Freddie
Vaught, Deceased, Thomas
Edward Vaught, Deceased,
Preshia Vaught, Deceased, and
Dent Lanas Vaught, Deceased,
if any other than the Defendants
named herein, have no right, title
or interest in and to the above-
described property. Judgment will
further be rendered determining
that Blanquita Vaught, Michael
Grant Vaught, Teresa Jean Searls,
Cathy Lynn Poppen, Don Vaught,
Dale Vaught, Ricky Vaught and
Denita Vaught Hancock are the
owners of the real property. You
are referred to the Petition for
further details.

WITNESS my hand this 20th
day of November, 2025,

**KARMA SAPP, Court Clerk
DELAWARE County, Oklahoma
By: /s/ R. Karleskint
Deputy**

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT
IN AND FOR
DELAWARE COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

EASTON WIGGINS, Plaintiff,

v

The Successors, Heirs,
Executors, Administrators,
Trustees, Devisees and Assigns,
Immediate and Remote,
Whether Known or Unknown of
RANDY WIGGINS a/k/a RANDY
FLOYD WIGGINS, Deceased,
Defendants.

**Case No. CV-2025-162
ALIAS NOTICE BY
PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA,
TO: The Successors, Heirs,
Executors, Administrators,
Trustees, Devisees and Assigns,
Immediate and Remote, Whether
Known or Unknown of Randy
Wiggins a/k/a Randy Floyd
Wiggins, Deceased

You are hereby notified that
you have been sued in the District
Court of Delaware County, State
of Oklahoma, in Case No. CV-2025-
162, by the above-named Plaintiff,
wherein the Plaintiff is seeking to
judicially determine the heirs of
Randy Wiggins, a/k/a Randy Floyd
Wiggins, deceased, and to quiet

title to the following-described
real property situated in Delaware
County, Oklahoma, to-wit:

W/2 SW/4 SE/4 of Section 20,
Township 20 North, Range 24
East, Containing 20 acres, more
or less.

You are further notified that
unless you answer the Petition
of the Plaintiff on or before the
12th day of January, 2026, the
allegations of the Petition will
be taken as true and judgment
rendered determining that Randy
Jack Wiggins is the sole and only
heir and person who was and
is entitled to inherit the above-
described real property upon the
death of Randy Wiggins, a/k/a
Randy Floyd Wiggins, deceased,
and a further judgment determining
that the unknown successors,
heirs, executors, administrators,
trustees, devisees and assigns of
Randy Wiggins, a/k/a Randy Floyd
Wiggins, deceased, if any other
than Randy Jack Wiggins, have no
right, title or interest in quieting
title in and to the real property in
the name of the Plaintiff based
upon the laws of intestate succession
and a Deed executed by Randy
Jack Wiggins in favor of Plaintiff.
You are referred to the Petition for
further details.

WITNESS my hand this 21st
day of November, 2025.

**KARMA SAPP, Court Clerk
DELAWARE County, Oklahoma
By: /s/ R. Karleskint
Deputy**

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT
IN AND FOR
DELAWARE COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

GREG W. BUTCHER and
JANET M. BUTCHER, Plaintiffs,
vs.

The Known and Unknown Heirs,
Executors, Administrators,
Trustees, Devisees, Successors
and Assigns of JEFFERSON
HAIR, FULL BLOOD CITIZEN
OF THE CHEROKEE NATION,
ROLL NUMBER 26402,
DECEASED,

AND JOE HAIR, MOSE
HAIR, and LUCY HAIR now
LUCY STUDY, or if any party
is deceased, the Known and
Unknown Heirs, Executors,
Administrators, Trustees,
Devisees, Successors and
Assigns, of each such party.
Defendants.

**Case No. CV-2025-166
NOTICE BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA
TO: The known and unknown
heirs, executors, administrators,
trustees, devisees, successors
and assigns, if any, of JEFFERSON
HAIR, Deceased, Full Blood
Citizen of The Cherokee Nation,
Roll Number 26402, AND JOE
HAIR, MOSE HAIR and LUCY
HAIR now LUCY STUDY, or
if any party be Deceased, the
Known and Unknown Heirs,
Executors, Administrators,
Devisees, Trustees, Successors,
and Assigns of each such party.

YOU, and each of you will take
notice that you have been sued
in the District Court of Delaware
County, State of Oklahoma, in
Cause No. CV-2025-166, by
GREG W. BUTCHER and JANET
M. BUTCHER, as the Plaintiffs.

Unless you answer the petition
on or before the 14th day of
January, 2026, the allegations
of the petition will be taken as
confessed, and judgment will be
rendered accordingly determining
that the Plaintiffs are the absolute
owners of, and are in the actual,
lawful and peaceable possession
of the following described real
property in Delaware County,
State of Oklahoma, to-wit:

Government Lot 4 (NW¼ NW¼)
and the Southwest Quarter of the
Northwest Quarter (SW¼ NW¼)
of Section Five (5), Township
Twenty-one (21) North, Range
Twenty-two (22) East of the Indian
Base and Meridian, Delaware
County, State of Oklahoma,
subject to any and all easements,
LESS AND EXCEPT

A tract of land being a part of
Government Lot 4 (NW¼ NW¼)
and part of the SW¼ of the NW¼
of Section 5, Township 21 North,
Range 22 East, Delaware County
Oklahoma, more particularly
described as follows:
Beginning at the SE corner of
said SW¼ of the NW¼; THENCE

West 650 Feet along the South
line of said SW¼ of the NW¼;
THENCE North 22° 08' 50" East
1538.51 Feet to a point in said
Government Lot 4; THENCE
East 70 Feet to the East line of
said Government Lot 4; THENCE
South 1425 Feet along said East
line of said Government Lot 4 and
the East line of said SW¼ of the
NW¼ to the Point of Beginning;

settling, confirming and quieting
title to the real property in the
Plaintiffs against you.

You are referred to the Plaintiffs'
Petition filed in the cause for
further particulars.

DATED this 25th day of
November, 2025.

**KARMA SAPP, Court Clerk
By: /s/ Amber Dudley
Deputy**

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**DISTRICT COURT OF
DELAWARE COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

IN RE: The name of: Diane
Marie (Sandahl) Wolfenbarger

**CV-2025-169
NOTICE OF HEARING
ON CHANGE ON PETITION
TO CHANGE NAME**

TO: All interested parties.

Take notice that Diane Marie
Wolfenbarger has petitioned to
change his/her name to Diane
Marie Sandahl.

A Hearing on said petition is
set for 2:30 o'clock P.M. on the
22nd day of December, 2025,
before Judge Lelecas at 2:30
o'clock in his/her courtroom in
the Delaware County Courthouse.
Should you know of some reason
why this change of name should
not be allowed you must file a
written protest in the above styled
and numbered cause prior to the
above date with the Clerk of this
Court. Should you fail to do so, the
petition for change of name will be
granted as prayed.

**COURT CLERK
/s/ Natasha Isaac
By: DEPUTY**

APPROVED:
/s/ Diane Marie Sandahl

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT
WITHIN AND FOR
DELAWARE COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

IN THE MATTER OF THE
ESTATE OF KENNETH WAYNE
COLE SR, Deceased

**Case No. PB-2025-101
NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

All creditors having claims
against Kenny Wayne Cole Sr.,
Deceased, are required to present
the same with a description of
all security interests and other
collateral (if any) held by each
creditor with respect to such claim,
to the Personal Representative,
KENNETH WAYNE COLE JR.,
c/o his attorney, SUSAN A.
MUSCARI, Muscari Law, PLLC,
P. O. Box 452409, Grove, OK
74345, on or before the following
presentment date: the 25th day of
January, 2026, or the same will be
forever barred.

DATED 25th day of November,
2025.

**/s/ Kenneth Wayne Cole Jr
KENNETH WAYNE COLE JR.**

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT
IN AND FOR
DELAWARE COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

IN THE MATTER OF THE
ESTATE OF GENE ELDON
CHANCELLOR, DECEASED.

**CASE NO.: PB-2025-107
NOTICE OF HEARING
PETITION TO ADMIT
THE LAST WILL AND
TESTAMENT OF GENE ELDON
CHANCELLOR, DECEASED,
APPOINTMENT OF
PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE
AND DETERMINATION OF
HEIRS, DEVISEES, AND
LEGATEES**

TO: BONNIE CHANCELLOR,
SHIRLEY BLACK, RANDALL
CHANCELLOR, STEVE
CHANCELLOR, AND KERRY
CHANCELLOR, and the heirs,
devisees & legatees of Gene
Eldon Chancellor, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO
THE ABOVE NAMED PERSONS
that a hearing will be held on
the 30th day of December 2025,
at 1:30 o'clock p.m. before the
Honorable David Crutchfield,
Associate District Judge of
Delaware County, State of
Oklahoma, in the Delaware County
Courthouse, Jay, Oklahoma to
consider the Petition to Admit the
Last Will and Testament of Gene
Eldon Chancellor, Appointment
of Personal Representative and
Determine the Heirs, Devisees,
and Legatees of Gene Eldon
Chancellor, deceased, filed by
Bonnie Chancellor and to
appoint Bonnie Marie Chancellor,
Personal Representative of the
estate of Gene Eldon Chancellor,
deceased.

You have the right to object
to the Petition for Appointment
of Personal Representative and
Determination of Heirs. IF YOU
OBJECT TO THE PETITION
TO THE APPOINTMENT OF
PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE
AND DETERMINATION OF
HEIRS YOU SHOULD APPEAR
TO EXPRESS THE OBJECTION
OR FILE A WRITTEN OBJECTION
STATING THE REASONS
THEREOF ON OR BEFORE
THE DATE AND TIME OF THE
HEARING.

**Karma Sapp,
Delaware County District
Court Clerk
By: /s/ Natasha Isaac
Deputy**

**SEAL
Gerald R. Lee
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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT
IN AND FOR
DELAWARE COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

In the matter of the estate of
Colten L. Woods, deceased.

**Case No. PB-2025-110
COMBINED NOTICE
FOR HEARING:
NOTICE TO CREDITORS,
PETITION FOR SUMMARY
ADMINISTRATION,
DETERMINATION OF HEIRS,
FINAL ACCOUNT AND
DISTRIBUTION AND
DISCHARGE OF PERSONAL
REPRESENTATIVE**

To all creditors, heirs and any
others having interest in the estate
of Colten L. Woods deceased,
please take notice of the following:

1. Colten L. Woods, (the
"Decedent"), age 35, departed
this life on June 30, 2025, and at
the time of his demise he resided
in Delaware County, State of
Oklahoma.

2. The petitioner, Leann Barnwell,
resides in Delaware County, State
of Oklahoma.

3. Due search and inquiry
has been made to ascertain if
decendent left a Will, and according
to the best information and belief
of Petitioner, no will was left by
the decedent. After the exercise
of due diligence, Petitioner does
not believe that Decedent's Will

has been admitted to probate in
any other jurisdiction.

4. Petitioner is entitled to be
appointed Personal representative
of this Estate pursuant to 58 O.S.
§ 122 and consents to serve in
that capacity.

5. That the names, ages, and
residences of the heirs at law of
Decedent, so far as known to your
Petitioner, are as follows:

Name/Address, Age/Relationship

Ty C. Woods/Red Rock 8-A-
221 8607 SE Flower Mound Rd.
Lawton, OK 73501, Adult/Sibling

6. The probable value of the
Decedent's estate is less than
\$200,000.00.

7. Any person receiving notice,
or any interested party may file
objections at any time before the
final hearing and send a copy to
Petitioner or that person will
be deemed to have waived any
objections to the petition.

8. The claim of any creditor
will be barred unless the claim
is presented to the personal
representative no more than thirty
(30) days following the granting of
the order admitting the petition and
combined notice.

9. The final hearing on the Petition
for Summary Administration,
Determination of Heirs, Final
Account and Distribution and
Discharge is set for the 20th day of
January, 2026 at 1:30 o'clock p.m.
before the undersigned Judge at
the Delaware County Courthouse,
Jay, Oklahoma.

**/s/ Nicholas Lelecas
Judge of the District Court**

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT
IN AND FOR
DELAWARE COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

In the matter of the estate of
Charlene Pritchard, deceased.

**Case No. PB-2025-111
COMBINED NOTICE
FOR HEARING:
NOTICE TO CREDITORS,
PETITION FOR SUMMARY
ADMINISTRATION,
DETERMINATION OF HEIRS,
LEGATEES AND DEVISEES,
FINAL ACCOUNT AND
DISTRIBUTION AND
DISCHARGE OF PERSONAL
REPRESENTATIVE**

To all creditors, heirs and any
others having interest in the estate
of CHARLENE PRITCHARD
deceased, please take notice of
the following:

1. Charlene Pritchard, (the
"Decedent") age 67, departed
this life on August 9, 2025, and
at the time of her demise she
resided at 29670 S 630 Rd.,
Grove, Delaware County, OK
74344.

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Angel of Hope ceremony at Lendonwood

A candlelight ceremony was held at the Angel of Hope statue at Lendonwood Gardens on Saturday, Dec. 6. The ceremony was led by Lendonwood President Pauline Hale and is designed to remember lost loved ones, especially children.

According to Carolyn Williams, one of the committee of three who were responsible for establishing the Angel of Hope statue to Grove, the statue was first introduced to the world in the international best-selling book and television movie “The Christmas Box,” written in 1993, by Richard Paul Evans. The Original Angel of Hope statue, inspired by the book, was dedicated on Dec. 6, 1994, in Utah.

Since the placement of the first statue, it has become known as a place of hope and healing for anyone who has suffered the loss of a person, especially a child. Each year, individuals and agencies in support of grieving parents sponsor new statues to be placed throughout the world. As of this year, nearly 190 Angel of Hope statues have been erected in the United States, Japan, and Canada.

At Lendonwood, the ceremony included prayers and music by Trinity Church Pastor Robert Carter who sang the traditional hymn, “Holy Ground.” Guests were invited to read messages of hope. Several spoke out about the loss of a child and Pastor Carter mentioned the loss of Hayzel Jones in Afton last Sunday.

Hale quoted Dr. Elisabeth Kubler-Ross stating, “The reality is you will grieve forever. You will not get over the loss of a loved one. You will learn to live with it. You will heal and you will rebuild yourself around the loss you have suffered. You will be whole again but you will never be the same again. Nor should you be same nor should you want to be.”

“‘We at Lendonwood are pleased to host this beautiful event,” said Hale. “The statue and surrounding garden offer a peaceful place for people to remember and honor those they have lost.”

Memorial bricks inscribed with personalized messages are installed around the base of the Angel of Hope statue.



Carolyn Williams speaks about the history of the Angel of Hope. She is one of the original members of the committee of three responsible for establishing the Angel of Hope statue in Grove.



Those attending Lendonwood’s annual Angel of Hope ceremony are invited to read quotes on hope. The Lendonwood statute was dedicated on April 17, 2004.



Lendonwood President Pauline Hale and Trinity Baptist Church Rev. Robert Carter lead the ceremony on Saturday.



Lights and carnations representing loved ones are placed by visitors at the base of the statue.

OKLAHOMA GUARD DEPLOYING TO WASHINGTON

Kayla Hawley
 Gaylord News

The Oklahoma National Guard sent approximately 160 guardsmen to Washington D.C. last week to “supplement the DC National Guard” for a 90-day deployment. This influx of troops comes less than a week after two members of the West Virginia National Guard were shot on Nov. 26, while on duty in Washington.

In a message posted on Instagram and Facebook, the guard said they had gathered earlier at the Armed Forces center in Mustang for a ceremony honoring the members of Task Force Thunder that began deploying to Washington on Tuesday, Dec. 2. Requests for volunteers for the mission were posted as early as Oct. 31, according to some guard members.

“Our Guardsmen routinely answer the call to serve and support their community, state and nation,” said Maj. Gen. Thomas H. Mancino, adjutant general for Oklahoma. “As with many state-side support missions, this mission is voluntary,

and I am so proud of each and every one of our Guardsmen as they continue to step forward.”

Gov. Kevin Stitt authorized Oklahoma Guardsmen to volunteer for the mission, which is scheduled for approximately 90 days.

The mission falls under the direction of Joint Task Force D.C., but the troops technically remain under the command and control of Oklahoma Governor Kevin Stitt, while federal funds pay for the duty.

However, the size of the deployed force has been reduced from original estimates due to fiscal adjustments. Since the initial call for volunteers went out, budget cuts have been implemented, meaning only about half of those originally scheduled to go are heading to the capital, with some remaining in Oklahoma on standby.

Requests for comment sent to both the Oklahoma National Guard and Governor Kevin Stitt’s office since Nov. 12 have gone unanswered regarding the confirmation, details, and budget of the deployment.

Since June, National Guard troops



Sgt. Haden Tolbert / Oklahoma National Guard

Oklahoma National Guard gather at farewell ceremony in Mustang on Dec. 1.

from 10 states have been mobilized to patrol such cities as Los Angeles, Portland, Chicago, Memphis and Washington, D.C.

President Trump ordered in June the deployment of California’s National Guard to Los Angeles without the request of Gov. Gavin Newsom, the first such instance since 1965, when President Lyndon B. Johnson sent federal troops to Alabama to protect Civil Rights marchers despite the objection of Gov. George Wallace. Trump also deployed troops against

the wishes of the governors of Illinois and Oregon.

The Oklahoma guard members are going to be joined by members of the Arkansas National Guard which also began its deployment on Tuesday.

Oklahoma Sen. James Lankford the National Guard members are not law enforcement officers.

“Short-term to help local police is not uncommon,” Lankford said. “But it is short term, they’re not local law enforcement. You need local law enforcement to take the lead.”

LEGALS

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2. The petitioner, Leann Barnwell resides at 55571 East 365 Rd., Jay, Delaware County, OK 74346.

Ila Gibson Pyron/1704 Winterpark Dr. Sallisaw, OK 74955, Adult/ Sibling

3. Decedent left a Will bearing the date of the 20th day of October, 2022, which Petitioner believes to the best of his knowledge to have been validly executed, and after the exercise of due diligence, Petitioner is unaware of any instrument revoking said Will, that the original of said Will is attached to the Petition on file herein and is believed to be Decedent’s Last Will and Testament.

Name/Address

Ila Gibson Pyron/1704 Winterpark Dr. Sallisaw, OK 74955

Leann Barnwell/55571 East 365 Rd. Jay, OK 74346

4. Pursuant to Decedent’s Will, Ila Gibson is nominated and appointed to serve as Personal Representative of the estate, and Petitioner is nominated and appointed to serve as successor Personal Representative. Ila Gibson consents to Petitioner serving as Personal Representative and Petitioner consents to serve in that capacity.

5. That the names, ages, and residences of the heirs at law of Decedent, so far as known to your Petitioner, are as follows:

Name/Address, Age/Relationship

6. That the names, ages and residences of the legatees and devisees of Decedent are as follows:

7. The probable value of the Decedent’s estate is less than \$200,000.00.

8. Any person receiving notice, or any interested party may file objections at any time before the final hearing and send a copy to Petitioner or that person will be deemed to have waived any objections to the petition.

9. The claim of any creditor will be barred unless the claim is presented to the personal representative no more than thirty (30) days following the granting of

the order admitting the petition and combined notice.

10. The final hearing on the Petition for Summary Administration, Determination of Heirs, Legatees and Devisees, Final Account and Distribution and Discharge is set for the 20th day of January 2026 at 1:30 o’clock p.m. before the undersigned Judge at the Delaware County Courthouse, Jay, Oklahoma.

/s/ Nicholas Lelecas
Judge of the District Court

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT
 IN AND FOR
 DELAWARE COUNTY
 STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

In the Matter of the Estate of MARY JO GOLDSBOROUGH, Deceased.

**Case No. PB-2025-112
 NOTICE OF HEARING
 PETITION FOR LETTERS
 OF ADMINISTRATION**

TO THE HEIRS, NEXT OF KIN AND CREDITORS OF MARY JO GOLDSBOROUGH:

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested in the Estate of Mary Jo Goldsborough, that on the 5th day of December, 2025, Haley Furr filed in the District Court of Delaware County and State of Oklahoma, her petition praying for the issuance of Letters of Administration of the estate of the decedent and the Court determine the heirs of Mary Jo

Goldsborough, Deceased.

THAT said Petition will be heard at the courtroom of said Court in the City of Jay, in said County on the 30th day of December, 2025 at the hour of 1:30 p.m. when and where all persons interested may appear and show cause, if any they have, why such petition should not be granted.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court here unto affixed this 5th day of December, 2025.

/s/ David Crutchfield
Judge of the District Court

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT
 IN AND FOR
 DELAWARE COUNTY
 STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GLENN EDWARD WICKLINE, Deceased

**Case No. PB-25-79
 NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

All creditors having claims against Glenn Edward Wickline, deceased, are requested to present the same, with a description of all security interests and other collateral (if any) held by each creditor with respect to such claim, to the named

Administrator at the address indicated below, on or before the following presentment date: February 6, 2026, or the same will be forever barred.

**Andrew Carl Wickline,
 Administrator
 c/o Carrie Griffith,
 Attorney for Estate
 ELROD LAW FIRM
 123 S. Broadway
 Siloam Springs, AR 72761
 (479) 524-8191**

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT
 WITHIN AND FOR
 DELAWARE COUNTY
 STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DANNY LEE COTRILL, Deceased

CASE NO.: PB-2025-86

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All creditors having claims against DANNY LEE COTRILL, Deceased, are required to present the same with a description of all security interests and other collateral (if any) held by each creditor with respect to such claim, to the Administrator, REGENA M. COTRILL, c/o her attorney, SUSAN A. MUSCARI, PO BOX 452409, GROVE, OK 74345, on or before the following presentment date: the 25th day of January, 2026, or the same will be forever barred.

/s/ Regena M. Cotrill
 REGENA M. COTRILL,

Administrator

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT
 OF DELAWARE COUNTY
 STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

IN THE MATTER OF GUARDIANSHIP OF: Alexis Campbell, A Minor Child

**CASE NO. PG-25-60
 NOTICE &
 ORDER OF SETTING**

Now, on this 25th day of November, 2025, the Court finds this matter should be set before me on the 30th day of December, 2025, at 2:00 pm in the Court Courthouse of Delaware County Courtroom #2.

IT IS SO ORDERED

/s/ David Crutchfield
**HON. DAVID CRUTCHFIELD
 ASSOCIATE DISTRICT JUDGE**

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Meet Ziggy,
 Ziggy is 2-4 years old, and prefers to be in a single-pet household. He's definately a couch potato, who likes short walks followed by a good snuggle. He is kennel trained and VERY food motivated.

Grove Animal Shelter
 130 E. O'Daniel Parkway • Grove
 (539) 228-1372 or (918) 786-6967

Ziggy
 • 2-4 years old
 • Boxer/Bulldog mix