



Incarcerated men help struggling Oklahoma families with critical food donations

Incarcerated men in the Oklahoma Department of Corrections are giving back from behind bars. In a remarkable display of compassion and community spirit, inmates at Joseph Harp Correctional Center and Lexington Reception and Assessment Center are launching a "food and funds drive" this holiday season to support struggling families during difficult times.

At the JHCC prison barber shop, men use their small salaries to buy food items from the prison canteen. So far, their efforts have successfully stocked three area food pantries in Purcell, Lexington, and Noble. Their contributions provide an essential resource to those in need.

"Seeing the government shutdown and the holidays upon us, we know there are a lot of people in need," an inmate said.

Inmate Billy Bradford added, "It feels good to be able to give back. Everyone is happy with it and it makes me feel great to be a small part of it."

The ongoing food drive will run through Christmas,

highlighting the inmates' dedication to giving back and their wish to make a positive difference in the community.

"These guys are great and a lot of people don't get to see that," said JHCC secretary Jami Tijerina. "Being a part of this food drive lets people see that everyone in prison is a bad guy."

In another meaningful effort, men at the Lexington Assessment and Reception Center are giving back. Students from Oklahoma Baptist University's Divinity program started a fundraising campaign to help hungry families. They encouraged the incarcerated men to contribute as much as they could.

"We motivated guys, can you give a quarter, can you give ten cents? Those cents will add up to dollars." Inmate Jason Cline shared. "The scripture tells us about the woman who gave two pennies. She gave what she didn't have. We used that to inspire others to give what they can, even if it's only a few cents."

Together, they raised an amazing \$6,000, which was donated to a local church food pantry serving families in need.

"All the guys will say it's very heartwarming to know on Thanksgiving there are going to be children who wake up and get to have a meal," Cline added. There are families who were worried about putting food on the table."

"This speaks highly of these men thinking beyond themselves," OBU Director of Prison Divinity Program Dr. Bruce Perkins said. "They are giving to a worthy cause outside the fence and they deserve to be recognized for something good."

Both initiatives emphasize a powerful message of redemption and community spirit. Even in tough circumstances, the desire to help others stays strong, even behind prison walls and fences.

LEGALS

CITY OF GROVE BID PACKET

Section I Notice to Bidder

The City of Grove is currently accepting bids from a single supplier for oil and materials for the second half of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, according to the following specifications:

Specifications need to conform to Section 708.1 2009 Edition of the Oklahoma State Highway specifications and the following requirements:

- Estimated quantities for Hot Mix - Type S3: Per Ton

- Estimated quantities for Hot Mix - Type S4: Per Ton

- Estimated quantities for Cold Mix - Bulk: 50 Ton

- Bids must include any or all Asphaltic Concrete Price Escalator/De-Escalator, and any or all estimated surcharges for oil and materials (method of formula must be indicated on the bid proposal).

- All bids will be FOB bidder's specified plant.

- All bids will be considered as a whole bid, not line item by line item.

All bids must be "Sealed Bids" and be received in the office of the City Clerk on or before Tuesday, December 16, 2025, by 10:00 AM, at which time they will be opened. Mail or deliver bids to the Sheriff of Delaware County, commanding such Sheriff to levy upon, advertise and sell said real property, with appraisement, as provided by law; and whereas, the judgment in favor of the Plaintiff remains wholly unpaid and the Plaintiff has requested a Special Execution and Order of Sale to issue in accordance with said judgment.

WITNESS my hand this 14th day of November, 2025.

/s/ Thurman Ray Thomas Sheriff of Delaware County, Oklahoma

DISTRICT COURT OF DELAWARE COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA

THE SEQUOIAH LEWIS AND MARIE ELIZABETH ROGERS FAMILY REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST DATED MAY 1, 2003, Plaintiff,

v.

THE HEIRS, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, DESESSIVES AND TRUSTEES, DESESSIVES AND ASSIGNS IMMEDIATE AND REMOTE, WHETHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN OF DAVID H. MCLENNAN, DECEASED, Defendants,

No. CJ-2025-189
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of December, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. at the Courthouse at Jay, Delaware County, Oklahoma, the undersigned Sheriff of said County of Delaware will offer for sale and sell for cash at time of sale at public auction to the highest and best bidder, with appraisement, that certain real

property situated in Delaware County, Oklahoma described as follows:

Lot 6, Block 1, Price Acres, Addition to the Town of Jay, Oklahoma, according to the recorded plat thereof, Delaware County, Oklahoma.

subject to taxes and tax sales, said property being duly appraised at a value of \$43,000.

Sale will be made pursuant to an Order of Sale issued upon a judgment entered in the District Court of Delaware County, Oklahoma, in Case No. CJ-2025-189 in favor of Plaintiff The Sequoia Lewis and Mary Elizabeth Rogers Family Revocable Trust dated May 1, 2003 against Defendants The Heirs, Executors, Administrators, Trustees, Deesives and Assigns Immediate and Remote, known or unknown of David H. McLeenan, Deceased in personam and in rem for the sum of \$29,076.98 which includes principal, accrued interest, and late charges; plus additional interest at the Contract rate of five percent (5%) per annum beginning January 1, 2003, accruing for each day thereafter; and reasonable attorneys' fees to be determined by the Court and a further judgment finding that the Plaintiff's Contract lien is valid, subsisting first upon the real property and ordering that if said Plaintiff is not paid, that a Special Execution and Order of Sale to issue in accordance with said judgment.

And,

That the Plaintiff alleges that the tract, piece or parcel of land being a part of Lots Thirteen (13), and Fourteen (14) in Dripping Springs Addition, a Subdivision in Delaware County, according to the recorded Plat thereof, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the Northernly line of Lot 14, 40.00 feet to the Northeast corner thereof in a Northeast corner direction on a straight line to the South line of Lot 13 a distance of 66.00 feet to the Southeast corner of the said Lot 13, thence North 6°10'59" West a distance of 85.99 feet to the North line of Lot 13, 30 feet from the Northeast corner thereof. Then North 64°11'10" West along the North line of Lot 13 and 14 a distance of 76.00 feet to the Point of Beginning. (The "Brennen Property")

That the Plaintiff alleges that Plaintiff Lester R. Hale and Alice M. Hale, if living, and if deceased, their heirs, executors, administrators, deesives, trustees, and assigns, immediate and remote, known and unknown, may claim some right, title, interest or estate in the above property adverse to Plaintiff Bremen, which constitutes a cloud upon Plaintiff's title to the above described real property.

That the Plaintiff alleges that Plaintiff Lester R. Hale and Alice M. Hale, if living, and if deceased, their heirs, executors, administrators, deesives, trustees, and assigns, immediate and remote, known and unknown, may claim some right, title, interest or estate in the above property adverse to Plaintiff Bremen, which constitutes a cloud upon Plaintiff's title to the above described real property.

WITNESS my hand seal of said Court this 31st day of October, 2025.

DELAWARE COUNTY COURT CLERK
By /s/ Ashlynn Roberson Deputy

DISTRICT COURT OF DELAWARE COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA

TRIENT BRENNEN and PAULA BRENNEN, wife and husband Plaintiffs

vs.

LESTER R. HALE and ALICE M. HALE, if living, and if deceased, their heirs, executors, administrators, deesives, trustees and assigns, immediate and remote, known and unknown, Defendants.

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Case No. CV-2015-14 PUBLICATION NOTICE

THE STATE OF OKLAHOMATO THE DEFENDANTS AND THEIR UNKNOWN SUCCESSORS:

YOUNG, TAKA, ROTHE, that you and your unknown successors have been sued in the above-named Court by Trent Bremen and Paula Bremen, husband and wife, in an action to quiet title in the real property described as follows:

Lot Twelve (12) in DIPPING SPRINGS ADDITION, a Subdivision in Delaware County, according to the recorded Plat thereof

And,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the duly appointed and qualified Personal Representative of the above-captioned Estate has filed in this Court a Final Account of Administration of Estate of Estate and Petition for Distribution of Heirs, Legatees and Devisees, and Decree of Distribution of said Estate and Discharge; hearing of the same has been fixed by the Judge of the District Court for the 2nd day of December, 2025, at the hour of 1:30 p.m. of said date, at the Courtroom of said Court, located at 100 W. Main Street, Room 101, in the City of Del City, Oklahoma, and all persons interested in said Estate are notified then and there to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said Final Account should not be settled and allowed, heirs determined, said Estate distributed and the Personal Representative discharged.

/s/ Dave Crutchfield
JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT

/s/ Clayton M. Baker
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR DELAWARE COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARION L. BORCHARDT, DECEASED

Case No. PB-2024-192
NOTICE OF HEARING
FINAL ACCOUNT AND
REPORT OF PERSONAL
REPRESENTATIVE, PETITION
FOR DETERMINATION OF
HEIRS, LEGATEES AND
DEVISEES, AND DECREE
OF DISTRIBUTION AND
DISCHARGE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the duly appointed and qualified Personal Representative of the above-captioned Estate has filed in this Court a Final Account of Administration of Estate of Estate and Petition for Distribution of Heirs, Legatees and Devisees, and Decree of Distribution of said Estate and Discharge; hearing of the same has been fixed by the Judge of the District Court for the 2nd day of December, 2025, at the hour of 1:30 p.m. of said date, at the Courtroom of said Court, located at 100 W. Main Street, Room 101, in the City of Del City, Oklahoma, and all persons interested in said Estate are notified then and there to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said Final Account should not be settled and allowed, heirs determined, said Estate distributed and the Personal Representative discharged.

CASE NO. PB-2025-75
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

STATE OF OKLAHOMA
ss.
COUNTY OF DELAWARE

All creditors having claims against Estate of Loyd David Christensen, 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 named Special Personal Representative at the address of the Attorney for the Special Personal Representative, set forth below, on or before the following presentation date January 18, 2026, or the same will be forever barred.

If the presentation date stated is a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday, the presentation date shall be deemed to be the next succeeding day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday.

Dated: November 18, 2025
#52347

/s/ David A. Carpenter
David A. Carpenter, Attorney
for Xirong Su, Personal
Representative of the Estate
of Loyd David Christensen,
Deceased

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LOYD DAVID CHRISTENSEN, Deceased

CASE NO. PB-2025-75
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

STATE OF OKLAHOMA
ss.
COUNTY OF DELAWARE

All creditors having claims against Estate of Loyd David Christensen, 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 named Special Personal Representative at the address of the Attorney for the Special Personal Representative, set forth below, on or before the following presentation date January 18, 2026, or the same will be forever barred.

DATED this 18th day of November, 2025.

/s/ Randall G. Vaughan
Randall G. Vaughan,
OBA #11554

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before the following presentation date: January 26, 2026 or the same will be forever barred.

DATED this 18th day of November, 2025.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Larry Joe Bingham, Deceased.

CASE NO. PB-2025-88
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All creditors having claims against Larry Joe Bingham, 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 named Special Personal Representative at the address of the Attorney for the Special Personal Representative, set forth below, on or before the following presentation date January 18, 2026, or the same will be forever barred.

DATED this 18th day of November, 2025.

/s/ Tommy R. Dyer, Jr.
Tommy R. Dyer, Jr.
Attorney for Personal Representative

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LEACH PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT

Legal Notice

The Board of Education of Leach Public School District hereby provides legal notice that the school board election filing period for candidates will open on Monday, December 1, 2025 at 8:00 a.m. and will end at the county election board office at close of business on Wednesday, December 3, 2025.

Board Member Position on Ballot:

The voters shall elect a board member for board position No. 2, which has a 3-year term of office.

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