PRESS RELEASE #18 – MUNICIPAL (CANDIDATE FILING)

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CANDIDATE FILING BEGINS FOR MUNICIPAL OFFICES

Candidates interested in filing for municipal office in two Blaine County municipalities will file Declarations of Candidacy beginning 8 a.m. (Monday), December 18.

Brenda Rice, Secretary of the Blaine County Election Board, said Declaration of Candidacy forms must be completed and submitted to the County Election Board no later than 5 p.m. (DAY), December 20 when the filing period ends. Rice reminds voters that Contests of Candidacy must be filed no later than 5 p.m. Friday, December 22 and may only be filed by another candidate for that office, unless a candidate files unopposed.

Declarations of Candidacy will be accepted for the following offices:

Town of Okeene - 1 Board of Trustee

Town of Longdale - 1 Board of Trustee

Declaration of Candidacy forms can be downloaded from the State Election Board website at oklahoma.gov/elections or by contacting your County Election Board office at 580-623-5518 or blainecounty@elections.ok.gov.

The Blaine County Election Board is located 212 N. Weigle and is open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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