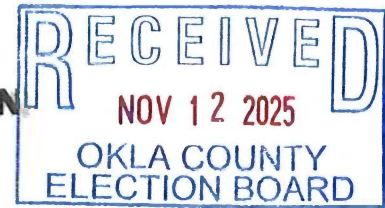


RESOLUTION
CALLING THE 2026 SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION
for the
DISTRICT 5 AND DISTRICT 7 SEATS
of the
OKLAHOMA CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS BOARD OF EDUCATION



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TO: Secretary of the Oklahoma County Election Board

FROM: The Oklahoma City Public Schools District (OKCPS)
aka: Independent School District No. 89 of Oklahoma County, Oklahoma

The Board of Education of the Oklahoma City Public Schools District has approved the following resolution calling for an election to be submitted to the voters of the district.

Date of the Election:

A Board of Education Primary Election shall be held on February 10, 2026, only if three or more candidates file for the Board of Education position scheduled to be on the ballot or for a Board of Education position appearing on the ballot as an unexpired term. A Board of Education General Election shall be held on April 7, 2026, under the following circumstances: if only two candidates file for a position scheduled to be on the ballot or for a position on the ballot for an unexpired term or if no candidate in the Board of Education Primary Election receives more than 50 percent of the votes cast. The polling places shall be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Board Member Positions on Ballot:

The voters shall elect a board member for **board position No. 5, (OKCPS Board Election District 5)**, which has a 4-year term of office.

The voters shall elect a board member for **board position No. 7, (OKCPS Board Election District 7)**, which has a 4-year term of office.

NOTE: *The OKCPS District is divided into seven (7) board districts. Thus, a “board position/election district” refers to a specific subsection of the OKCPS District represented by an individual board member. The one exception to this is the “at large” Board Chairperson position. The incumbent of the same represents all seven OKCPS board election districts.*

Qualifications of Candidates for Office:

To be eligible to be a candidate for member of the board of education of a school district, a person must have resided in the district for at least six months preceding the first day of the filing period, and have been a registered voter registered with the county election board at an address located within the geographical boundaries of the district for six months preceding the first day of the filing period. In school districts that have been divided into election districts, a candidate must have resided in the district for six months

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preceding the first day of the filing period and have been a registered voter registered with the county election board at an address located within the geographical boundaries of the election district for six months preceding the first day of the filing period.

No person shall be eligible to be a candidate for or elected to be a member of the board of education of a school district unless the person has been awarded a high school diploma or certificate of high school equivalency.

A person who has been convicted of a misdemeanor involving embezzlement or a felony under the laws of this state or of the United States or who has entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to such misdemeanor involving embezzlement or felony or who has been convicted of a crime in another state which would have been a misdemeanor involving embezzlement or a felony under the laws of this state or has entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to such crime shall not be eligible to be a candidate for or be elected to any school board office for a period of fifteen years following completion of his sentence or during the pendency of an appeal of such conviction or plea.

No person shall be eligible to be a candidate for or serve on a board of education if he or she is currently employed by the school district governed by the board of education or is related within the second degree by affinity or consanguinity to any other member of the board of education or to any employee of the school district. The following are relatives within the second degree: A candidate's spouse, child, parent, grandchild, grandparent, brother, sister, spouse's child, spouse's grandchild, spouse's brother, spouse's sister, spouse's grandparent, grandchild's spouse, parent's spouse, and child's spouse. The prohibitions in this paragraph shall not apply if the board member candidate is related within the second degree of affinity or consanguinity to an individual employed as a substitute teacher by the school district or as a temporary substitute support employee if the school district has an Average Daily Membership of less than five thousand (5,000).

Candidates must affirm that upon being elected as a new member of the Board of Education, within fifteen (15) months of election, they will complete at least twelve (12) hours of instruction on education issues, including school finance, Oklahoma education laws, and ethics, duties and responsibilities of district board of education members. Three (3) of these twelve (12) credits must be earned as follows: one (1) credit in ethics, one (1) credit in open meeting act and open records act, and one (1) credit in school finance. Incumbents must affirm that they will complete six (6) hours of instruction within fifteen (15) months of election emphasizing changes in school law. Three (3) of these six (6) credits must be earned as follows: one (1) credit in ethics, one (1) credit in open meeting act and open records act, and one (1) credit in school finance.

Voters Eligible to Vote:

To be eligible to vote, a voter must be registered with the county election board at an address within the geographical boundaries of the election district.

Descriptions of the OKCPS Election Districts in the 2026 Election:

Election District Number Five

The below described area designates Election District Number Five:

Bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of the east-west half-section line of Section 13, T12N, R3W (N.E. 42nd Street) and North Bryant, west on the half-section line to a point 990 feet west of M. L. King Avenue (property line east of Casper Drive), north to a point one-half block north of NE 44th Street, east 330 feet, north approximately 165 feet, east approximately 405 feet, north 330 feet, west approximately 75

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feet, north 660 feet to N.E. 48th Street, west on NE 48th Street to a point 174 feet west of the southeast corner of Lot 29, Lincoln View Addition, north 312 feet, west 91 feet, south 312 feet to N.E. 48th Street, west on NE 48th Street to North Lottie, north on North Lottie two blocks to NE 50th Street, west on NE 50th Street to Interstate 235, south on Interstate 235 to 13th Street, west on 13th Street to Union Pacific Railroad, south on Union Pacific Railroad to Interstate 40, east and north on Interstate 40 to approximately 150 east of Bath Avenue if extended, north along this line to East Reno Ave, east on East Reno to Coltrane Road, north on Coltrane Road one mile to NE 10th Street, east on NE 10th Street one-half mile to the half-section line, north on the half-section line to the North Canadian River, northeast along the North Canadian River to NE 23rd Street, west along NE 23rd Street to Coltrane Road, south on Coltrane Road to NE 18th Street, west on NE 18th Street to a point approximately two blocks west of Red Bud Avenue (one-half block east of Overbrook Avenue), from this point 600 feet north to NE 20th Street, west on NE 20th Street to North Bryant, north on North Bryant to NE 30th Street, west on NE 30th Street to Grand Boulevard, northwest on Grand Boulevard to NE 36th Street, east on NE 36th Street approximately one-half mile to point 165 feet west of North Bryant, south 528 feet, east 165 feet to North Bryant, north on North Bryant to place of beginning.

Also, a nonadjacent area described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of Section 36, T13N, R2W (one-half mile north of Wilshire Boulevard on Post Road), west on the half-section line approximately one mile, thence, south to the North Canadian River, southwest along the North Canadian River to Wilshire Boulevard, west on Wilshire Boulevard to the half section line (Spencer Road, if extended), north along this line to the half-section line (center of Section 35, T13N, R2W), west along this half section line to Coltrane, south on Coltrane to NE 63rd Street, east on NE 63rd Street one-fourth mile, south one-half mile to the half-section line, east along the half-section line to Air Depot, south on Air Depot to the North Canadian River, thence, in a northeasterly direction along the North Canadian River approximately one-half mile to the half-section line, south along the half section line one-fourth mile, west one-fourth mile, south one-fourth mile to the half-section line, east on the half-section line one-fourth mile to the center of Section 15, south along the half section line two and one-half miles to NE 10th Street, east on NE 10th Street one-fourth mile, thence, south on Belaire Drive approximately one-half mile to the southwest corner of the Midwest City Country Club, east and southeast along this south boundary of the Midwest City Country Club to the intersection of Midwest Boulevard and the half-section line (between Reno and NE 10th Street), east one mile to Douglas Boulevard, south one-eighth mile, east one-fourth mile, north one-eighth mile, east three-fourths mile to Post Road, north on Post Road one-half mile to NE 10th Street, east on NE 10th Street one-half mile to the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of Section 31, T12N, R1W, north one and one-half miles to NW 32nd Street (half-section line) east on NE 32nd Street (half-section line) to Anderson Road, south on Anderson Road to NE 26th Street, east 400 feet, thence, north to NE 32nd Street, east on NE 32nd Street to the half-section one-half mile east of Hiwassee Road, north on the half-section line to NE 36th Street, east on NE 36th Street to Henny Road, north on Henny Road to the half-section line, west on the half-section line one-half mile to the center of Section 15, T12N, R1W, thence, north on the half-section line to NE 50th Street, west on NE 50th Street to Hiwassee Road, north on Hiwassee Road to NE 63rd Street, west on NE 63rd Street one-fourth mile, north one-half mile to the half-section line, west three-fourths mile to Anderson Road, north on Anderson Road one mile to the half-section line, west on the half-section line one mile to Westminster Road, north on Westminster Road to Britton Road, west on Britton Road to Post Road, south on Post Road to place of beginning.

Election District Number Seven

The below described area designated Election District Number Seven:

Bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of Interstate 40 and Western Ave, south on Western Avenue to the half-section line to the half-section line one-half mile north of County Line, east on the half section line four and one-half miles to the half-section line one-half mile east of South Bryant, north three miles to SE 36th Street (if extended), west two and one-half miles on SE 36th Street to South High, north on South High to SE 29th Street, east on SE 29th Street to Interstate 35, north on Interstate 35 to 22nd Street, west on 22nd Street to South High Ave, north on South High Avenue to 21st Street, west on 21st Street to Laird Ave, north on Laird Avenue to point approximately 180 feet past 18th Street, from point east for approximately 315 feet, north at this point to intersect with 15th Street, east on 15th Street to South High Ave, north on South Santa Fe Railroad, east and north on Santa Fe Railroad to half-line of Section 2, T11N, R3N, north on half line to Interstate 35, west on Interstate 35 transitioning to Interstate 40 to place of beginning.

Ballot Titles:

The ballots to be submitted to the voters shall call for the voters to:

1. Select one candidate for Oklahoma City Public Schools Board Position No. 5, (Election District 5).
2. Select one candidate for Oklahoma City Public Schools Board Position No. 7, (Election District 7).

Filing Dates:

Opens 8 a.m. on Monday, December 1, 2025.
Closes at 5 p.m. on Wednesday, December 3, 2025.

Contesting Candidacy:

Must be filed with the County Election Board Secretary who accepted the Declaration of Candidacy by 5 p.m. on Friday, December 5, 2025.

Withdrawal of Candidate:

Must be filed with the County Election Board Secretary who accepted the Declaration of Candidacy by 5 p.m. on Friday, December 5, 2025.

Approved by the Oklahoma City Public Schools Board of Education this **10th** day of **November, 2025**.

On behalf of the OKCPS Board:

Attestation:



Paula M. Lewis
Chairperson



Craig A. Cates
Clerk of the Board

Candidate/Voter Eligibility Form

(SCHOOL DISTRICTS: IN ADDITION TO OTHER CANDIDATE AND VOTER REQUIREMENTS, PLEASE INCORPORATE THE APPLICABLE LANGUAGE FROM A AND B IN RESOLUTIONS FOR CANDIDATE ELECTIONS)

A. Candidate Eligibility

Pick One

 In our school district candidates file at large. Any candidate otherwise eligible need only to be registered the requisite length of time at an address within the geographical boundaries of our school district.

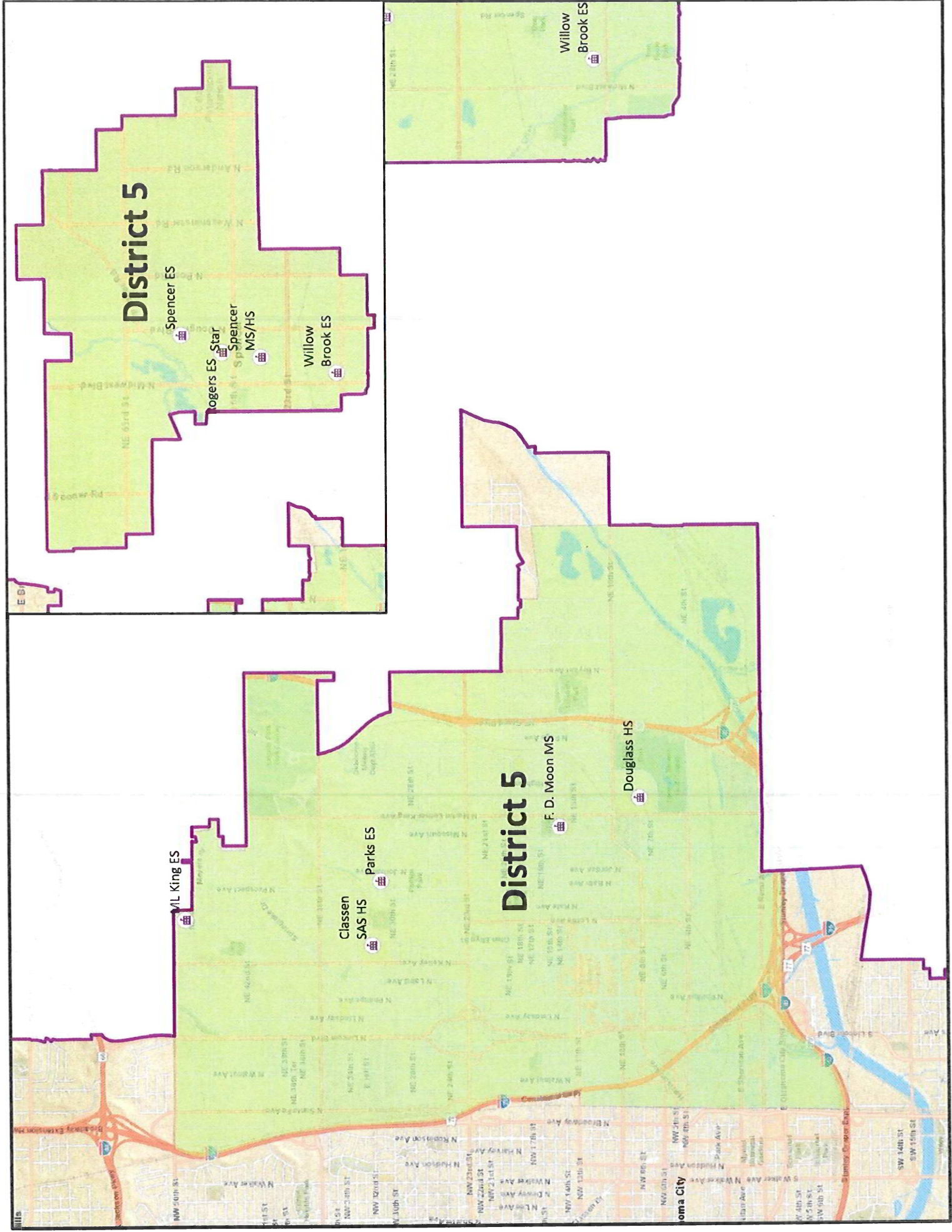
~~XXX~~ In our school district candidates file by election district. Any candidate otherwise eligible, must be registered the requisite length of time at an address within the geographical boundaries of the applicable election district within our school district.

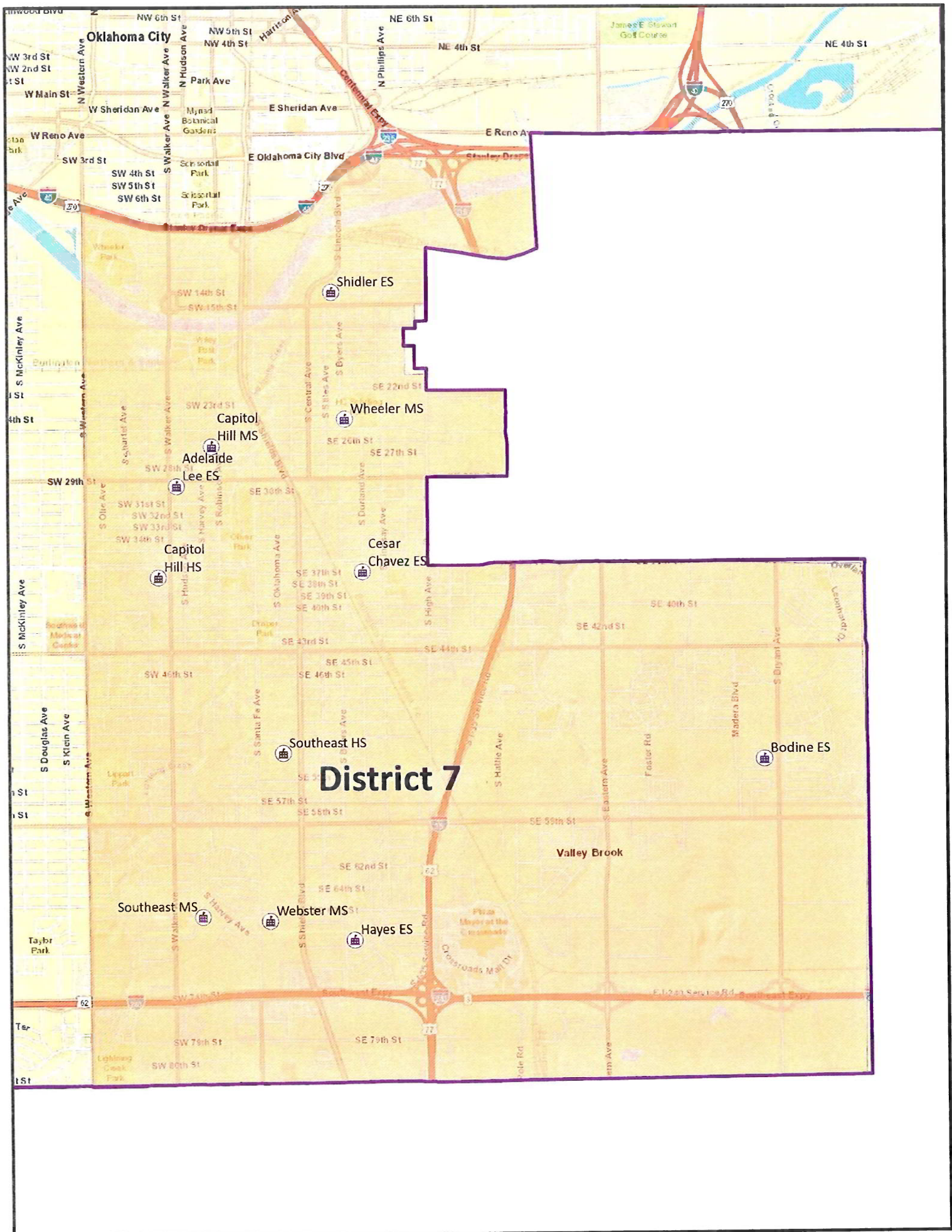
B. Voter Eligibility in Candidate Elections

Pick One

 In our school district candidates are elected at large. Any voter registered at an address within the geographical boundaries of the school district is eligible to vote.

~~XXX~~ In our school district candidates are elected by election district. Only voters registered at an address within the geographical boundaries of the applicable election district within our school district are eligible to vote.





District 7

Legal Notice

The Board of Education of the Oklahoma City Public Schools (OKCPS) District, Independent School District No. 89 of Oklahoma County, hereby provides legal notice that the 2026 annual school board election filing period for candidates will be between the hours of 8:00am on Monday, December 1, 2025, and 5:00pm on Wednesday, December 3, 2025, or when the Oklahoma County Election Board office closes for business that day.

Board Member Positions on Ballot:

The voters shall elect a board member for **board position No. 5**,
(**OKCPS Board Election District 5**), which has a 4-year term of office.

The voters shall elect a board member for **board position No. 7**,
(**OKCPS Board Election District 7**), which has a 4-year term of office.