

ENGROSSED HOUSE
BILL NO. 2208

BY: DAVIS and FERGUSON of
the HOUSE

and

FAIR of the SENATE

AN ACT RELATING TO COUNTIES AND COUNTY OFFICERS;
AMENDING 19 O.S. 1991, SECTION 902.16, WHICH
RELATES TO THE OKLAHOMA RURAL ROAD IMPROVEMENT
DISTRICT ACT; AUTHORIZING CERTAIN ADDITIONAL
MILLAGE LEVY; SPECIFYING MAXIMUM NUMBER OF MILLS
WHICH MAY BE LEVIED; PROVIDING FOR CERTAIN ELECTION
PROCEDURES; PROVIDING FOR INCREASE OR DECREASE OF
THE ADDITIONAL MILLAGE LEVY; AND DECLARING AN
EMERGENCY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 19 O.S. 1991, Section 902.16, is
amended to read as follows:

Section 902.16 A. The board may also levy an additional annual
assessment sufficient to care for the cost of operation of the
district and the maintenance of its roads, equipment and for payment
of the salaries of employees of the district, provided that no such
annual assessment for operations, maintenance and salaries shall
exceed three (3) mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of
the property in the district; ~~provided, if Article X, Section 8 of
the Oklahoma Constitution requires one hundred percent (100%) of~~

~~fair cash value to be taxable for purposes of ad valorem taxation, the maximum number of mills authorized by this section shall be six-tenths (6/10) of one (1) mill.~~

B. The board may call an election of the registered voters of the district, in the manner provided for in Section 902.12 of this title, to determine whether or not the board shall levy an annual assessment not to exceed three (3) mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the property in the district for the purpose of providing additional funds for the operation of the district, the maintenance of its roads, equipment and salaries of the employees of the district. Such annual assessment shall be in addition to the annual assessment provided for in subsection A of this section. The number of mills shall be set forth in the resolution calling the election and, if approved, shall remain in effect until increased or decreased in a later election called in the manner provided for in Section 902.12 of this title, but the total additional annual levy shall not exceed three (3) mills.

SECTION 2. 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.

Passed the House of Representatives the 12th day of March, 1992.

Speaker of the House of
Representatives

Passed the Senate the ____ day of _____, 1992.

President of the Senate