

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 53rd Legislature (2011)

3 HOUSE BILL 1971

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to counties and county officers;  
8 permitting counties to solicit and accept bids from  
9 newspapers to publish certain notices; stating  
10 publication on newspaper's website meets legal  
11 requirements of publication in hard copy form;  
12 providing for codification; and providing an  
13 effective date.

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

15 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
16 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 444.1 of Title 19, unless there  
17 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

18 In lieu of publishing any proceedings, minutes, notices,  
19 advertisements or any other document required by law to be published  
20 by the board of county commissioners or any other county officer,  
21 the board or county officer may instead solicit bids or quotes to  
22 publish such proceedings, minutes, notices, advertisements or other  
23 documents on the website of a qualifying newspaper.  
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1 Publishing on the newspaper's website shall have the same legal  
2 force and effect as publication in the newspaper's hard copy  
3 version.

4 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2011.

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