

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 2nd Session of the 57th Legislature (2020)

4 HOUSE
5 RESOLUTION 1030

By: Humphrey

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8 AS INTRODUCED

9 A Resolution proclaiming certain counties in
10 southeastern Oklahoma to be the home of Oklahoma's
11 treasured rivers and lakes.

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13 WHEREAS, the scarcity of water in the western states has been an
14 issue since the first peoples came to inhabit the region; and

15 WHEREAS, areas with an abundance of water resources are vital to
16 those regions' wildlife, vegetation growth, natural beauty, tourism
17 and to the populations of people that live in those areas; and

18 WHEREAS, with the convergence of numerous rivers, creeks and
19 streams and its many water reservoirs, the Choctaw Nation in
20 southeastern Oklahoma contains more water than any other region in
21 this state; and

22 WHEREAS, the Choctaw Nation in southeastern Oklahoma is
23 comprised of these eleven (11) counties: Atoka, Bryan, Choctaw,
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1 Coal, Haskell, Hughes, Latimer, Leflore, McCurtain, Pittsburg and
2 Pushmataha.

3 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
4 OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 57TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

5 THAT the eleven (11) counties of the Choctaw Nation are hereby
6 proclaimed by the Oklahoma House of Representatives as the home of
7 Oklahoma's treasured rivers and lakes.

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