

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to county libraries; authorizing  
8 certain counties to reduce millage rate of special  
9 levy; prescribing information requirements for  
resolution to reduce levy; providing for  
codification; and providing an effective date.

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

13 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
14 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 170 of Title 65, unless there is  
15 created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 A. For any county that funds a county library or metropolitan  
17 library by a special levy approved by the voters pursuant to Section  
18 10A of Article X of the Oklahoma Constitution, the board of county  
19 commissioners may reduce such levy by resolution. Provided, the  
20 reduced special levy shall not be less than the minimum of one (1)  
21 mill, as required pursuant to Section 10A of Article X of the  
22 Oklahoma Constitution.

1       B. The resolution to reduce the special levy, as provided for  
2 in subsection A of this section, shall include the following  
3 information:

4           1. The current and proposed millage rate;  
5           2. Findings that the proposed millage rate provides sufficient  
6 funding for the library;  
7           3. A determination that the reduction is in the best interests  
8 of the taxpayers in the county; and  
9           4. The effective tax year of the levy reduction.

10       SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2026.

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