



## Oklahoma County Home and Community Education Week May 4-10, 2025

**WHEREAS,** this organization began in 1910 and their original goal was to teach farm women in rural Oklahoma better methods for getting their work done, in areas such as gardening, canning, nutrition, and sewing, and to encourage them to improve their families' living conditions; and

WHEREAS, currently, the organization develops leadership skills and finds ways through volunteering to strengthen the community to produce a higher standard of living and a better way of life for all its citizens and

**WHEREAS**, one-hundred and fifteen years later, the Oklahoma County OHCE members are still serving their community. In 2024, they donated around 22,000 hours of service to organizations such as Oklahoma Veterans Medical Center, the Juvenile Detention Center, Grandparents Raising Grandchildren, Oklahoma Literacy Coalition, and the Oklahoma Mental Health Association; and

*WHEREAS*, Oklahoma County OHCE recognizes their great responsibility toward Oklahoma families and continues to safeguard the primary ideals of family life;

**WHEREAS,** Oklahoma County OHCE provides a healthy outlet for its 8 groups and over 90 members to reach out to others in their communities through personal service and education; and

**NOW, THEREFORE,** let it be resolved that Oklahoma County Oklahoma Home and Community Education asks the Oklahoma County Commissioners to proclaim May 4 through May 10, 2025, as

## **OKLAHOMA HOME & COMMUNITY EDUCATION WEEK**

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF*, we have hereunto set our hands and caused the seal of Oklahoma County to be affixed on this 5th day of May 2025.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF OKLAHOMA COUNTY, OKLAHOMA

Chairman

Member

Member

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\_County Clerk