# Emergency Request to Change Polling Place

Pursuant to OAC 230:10-7-109, when it is determined that a polling place cannot be utilized due to an emergency occurring less than 30 days before an election, the Secretary of the State Election Board may grant a County Election Board Secretary's request to temporarily move that polling place upon written approval.

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**County Election Board Secretary to complete the following information:**

County: Cimarron County Secretary's name: Candice Baird

Precinct(s) affected: 130006 Election date(s) affected: 11/03/2026

Complete name and address of polling place: Keyes Community Center

401 Jefferson Avenue

Keyes, OK. 73947

Describe the emergency affecting the polling place(s): The polling place was hit by a possible tornado late last night (11/01/2026) which produced considerable structral damage rendering the polling place unsafe.

Proposed new polling place location (complete name and address): Keyes City Hall

300 Polk Avenue

Keyes, OK. 73947

Describe the distance from the previous location, whether it is within the same precinct boundaries, and the methods that will be utilized to alert voters and the public about the change:

The distance from the previous location to the current location is approximately .2 mile. The polling place is in the same precinct. We will place signs on the previous polling place alerting voters of the location of the new polling place. A notice will be provided to News Channel 10 as well as the Newspaper Facebook page. Additionally, a notice will be posted on the Keyes Happenings Facebook page. Additional signage will be posted in around Keyes and Boise City as well.

Date of Request: 11/02/2026 Secretary's Signature: Candice Baird

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**To be completed by the Secretary of the State Election Board:**

The above request to temporarily relocate the polling places due to an emergency situation for the affected precincts to the above-mentioned new location for the affected election date(s) is hereby:

☒ Approved ☐ Not approved

Secretary's comments:

Signature of the Secretary of the State Election Board: Paul Zuno

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Date: 11/02/2026

Upon approval of any temporary change to a polling place, the Secretary should contact the news media and place the information on the county's website or social media page (if any) to announce the change in the polling place. If possible, notice should also be placed on the door or other conspicuous location at the previous polling place.