

ORDER DECLARING CONSOLIDATION

Whereas, on the 3rd day of January, 2017, a joint resolution for the consolidation of all of the Olustee Public School District (33I035), of Jackson County, Oklahoma, and the Eldorado Public School District (33I025), of Jackson and Harmon Counties, Oklahoma, were delivered to the Oklahoma State Department of Education and;

Whereas, the State Board of Education, published a call for an election for approval of such consolidation by the eligible school district electors, which said election was given as prescribed by law, and;

Whereas, said majority of the school district electors of both said school districts have approved such consolidation, the vote being 145 for consolidation and 6 against consolidation from the Olustee Public School District electors, the vote being 123 for the consolidation, and 6 against the consolidation from the Eldorado Public School District electors, at an election held on March 7, 2017, for such purpose, pursuant to sufficient School Board Resolutions therefore, and;

Whereas, all of the Olustee and Eldorado Public School District's property, facilities, assets, liabilities, debt, and equipment, etc., known or unknown, will become the property of the new Olustee-Eldorado Public School District on the effective date of this consolidation.

Legal Description: See attached hereto Exhibit A for Olustee Public School District legal description and Exhibit B for Eldorado Public School District legal description.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED and DECLARED by the State Board of Education, that the **entire** Olustee Public School District (33I035) of Jackson County, Oklahoma, and Eldorado Public School District (33I025), of Jackson and Harmon Counties, Oklahoma, is hereby dissolved, and a new school district, comprising the territory of said dissolved school districts, is hereby order and declared to be in existence, and that said newly-formed school district shall hereafter be governed by the provisions of the Oklahoma School Code and other pertinent laws. The newly formed school district's name is now Olustee-Eldorado Public School District (33I040) of Jackson and Harmon Counties, Oklahoma, as provided by law.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of the Order be sent to the County Election Board, the County Assessor, the County Clerk, and the County Treasurer of each county affected, the Oklahoma Tax Commission, the Olustee School Board and the Eldorado School Board.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF SAID CONSOLIDATION IS TO BE JUNE 26, 2017.

Joy Hofmeister, State Superintendent of Public Instruction

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Signed before me on this 27th day of March, 2017.

My Commission Expires: 10/05/19 Rebecca A. Thompson
Signature of Notary

My Commission Number: 15009250 Rebecca A. Thompson
Print Name of Notary