

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 February 11, 2025

3 SENATE BILL NO. 563

By: Haste

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6 An Act relating to county employee leave; authorizing  
7 board of county commissioners to develop certain  
8 policy; allowing county employees to use certain  
9 leave to serve as certain election officials;  
10 providing for codification; and providing an  
11 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 180.91 of Title 19, unless there  
15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 The board of county commissioners may develop a policy in  
17 accordance with the secretary of the county election board to  
18 authorize county employees to receive up to three (3) working days'  
19 paid administrative leave per calendar year for the purpose of  
20 serving as a precinct official pursuant to Section 2-124 of Title 26  
21 of the Oklahoma Statutes, absentee voting board member pursuant to  
22 Section 14-115.5 of Title 26 of the Oklahoma Statutes, or other  
23 election worker authorized by law, if the employee is qualified to  
24 serve in such position.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2025.

2 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON LOCAL AND COUNTY GOVERNMENT  
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