

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 2nd Session of the 58th Legislature (2022)

4 HOUSE JOINT
5 RESOLUTION 1048

By: West (Josh), **Olsen**, and
Roberts (Sean)

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8 AS INTRODUCED

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10 A Joint Resolution directing the Secretary of State
11 to refer to the people for their approval or
12 rejection a proposed amendment to Section 1 of
13 Article III of the Oklahoma Constitution; clarifying
14 certain voting requirement; providing ballot title;
15 and directing filing.

16 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE OF THE
17 2ND SESSION OF THE 58TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

18 SECTION 1. The Secretary of State shall refer to the people for
19 their approval or rejection, as and in the manner provided by law,
20 the following proposed amendment to Section 1 of Article III of the
21 Oklahoma Constitution to read as follows:

22 Section 1. Subject to such exceptions as the Legislature may
23 prescribe, ~~all~~ only citizens of the United States, who are over the
24 age of eighteen (18) years, and who are bona fide residents of this
 state, are qualified electors of this state.

1 SECTION 2. The Ballot Title for the proposed Constitutional
2 amendment as set forth in SECTION 1 of this resolution shall be in
3 the following form:

4 BALLOT TITLE

5 Legislative Referendum No. _____ State Question No. _____

6 THE GIST OF THE PROPOSITION IS AS FOLLOWS:

7 This measure amends Section 1 of Article 3 of the Oklahoma
8 Constitution. It clarifies that only citizens of the United
9 States are qualified to vote in this state.

10 SHALL THE PROPOSAL BE APPROVED?

11 FOR THE PROPOSAL - YES _____

12 AGAINST THE PROPOSAL - NO _____

13 SECTION 3. The Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives,
14 immediately after the passage of this resolution, shall prepare and
15 file one copy thereof, including the Ballot Title set forth in
16 SECTION 2 hereof, with the Secretary of State and one copy with the
17 Attorney General.

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19 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON RULES, dated 03/03/2022 - DO PASS,
20 As Coauthored.

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