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HOLDENVILLE MAYOR ELECTED TO OKLAHOMA MUNICIPAL LEAGUE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

(January 14, 2016) Holdenville Mayor Beverly Rodgers was appointed to the Oklahoma Municipal League (OML) Board of Directors during their January 6th meeting to be the District 5 representative.

Mayor Rodgers became an elected official in 1983 and has dedicated her life to public service. She was elected Mayor of Holdenville in 1983 and served this position until 1987. After four years as Mayor, she returned to school to obtain her Juris Doctorate from the University of Tulsa. After law school Rodgers held positions of City Attorney, Midwest City; Assistant City Manager, Sapulpa and City Manager of Okmulgee. In 2015 she was once again elected Mayor of Holdenville. Municipal government is truly her passion.

Just as she returned to Holdenville as Mayor, she has returned to be a member of the OML Board; as she previously served on the Board from 1986-1987. Asked about her election to the Board, Rodgers said "I think it is exciting to once again be able to serve on the Board of Directors for OML. It will be interesting to note the changes."

The Oklahoma Municipal League is a statewide, non-profit corporation whose membership is composed of over 470 Oklahoma cities and towns. The League works to ensure that municipalities have trained leaders to run and facilitate their communities. OML serves as the collective voice for those municipalities at state and federal government levels to achieve local objectives. Municipal officials work together through the League to formulate programs and unite in concerted action, which benefit their communities.

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About Oklahoma Municipal League

The mission of the OML is to provide services and programs required by municipal officials to assist them in better serving their citizens, and to act as the representative of Oklahoma municipalities in interactions requiring a united voice. Since 1913, the League has served as the individual and collective voice of local officials on the state and national level.