

Resolution

ENROLLED SENATE
JOINT
RESOLUTION NO. 41

By: Maddox and Williams of the
Senate

and

Winchester, Armes,
McClain, Hutchison and
Erwin of the House

A Joint Resolution encouraging all local, state and federal agencies to purchase Oklahoma Green Power or Oklahoma Green Tags when available; further encouraging the use of renewable energy by citizens; and directing distribution.

WHEREAS, the State of Oklahoma has been blessed with abundant natural resources useful for the production of energy, including our wind power resources which rank among the highest in the nation; and

WHEREAS, it is beneficial for the future growth of our state to ensure an adequate supply of electric energy for our residents, encourage the generation of energy from our renewable and indigenous resources and improve the air quality; and

WHEREAS, while promotion of renewable energy should be a goal of our state, such promotion should be in the form of assisting, as much as possible, our state's electric power providers and our consumers.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 2ND SESSION OF THE 49TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

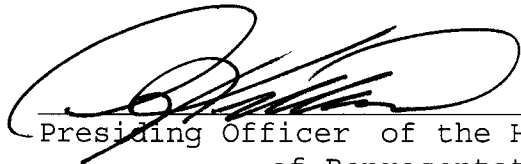
SECTION 1. It shall be the goal of the State of Oklahoma to encourage federal agencies, state agencies and all county and municipal governments to purchase Oklahoma Green Power or Oklahoma Green Tags, also known as Renewable Energy Credits, when available. Green Power is created from renewable energy sources which may include wind, sun, geothermal, biomass/bioenergy, and hydroelectric power. It shall further be a goal of this state to promote the use of renewable energy and encourage Oklahoma citizens to consider utilizing renewable energy sources in our homes and businesses.

SECTION 2. The Secretary of State is hereby directed to distribute copies of this resolution to the Governor of the State of Oklahoma.

Passed the Senate the 3rd day of March, 2004.


Presiding Officer of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the 7th day of April, 2004.



Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Received by the Governor this 8th
day of April, 2004,
at 3:30 o'clock P. M.

By: Lauri Parra

Approved by the Governor of the State of Oklahoma the 14th day of
April, 2004, at 5:30 o'clock P. M.


Governor of the State of Oklahoma

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

Received by the Secretary of State this
14th day of April, 2004,
at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

By: M. Susan Lewis