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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF GARFIELD COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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STATE OF OKLAHOMA,)
Plaintiff,)
v.)
BRIAN LOVELL,)
Defendant.)

Caso No. CF-2024-111

JANELLE M. SHARP
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BY *[Signature]*
DEPUTY COURT CLERK

DEFENDANT’S NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF HIS MOTION FOR CHANGE OF VENUE AND HIS DEMAND FOR THE CRIMINAL PROSECUTION AGAINST HIM IN “THE COUNTY IN WHICH THE CRIME SHALL HAVE BEEN COMMITTED...” AND PURUSANT TO THE PROVISIONS FURTHER OF 22 O.S. §561

COMES NOW, the Defendant, Brian Lovell, by and through his attorneys of record, Stephen Jones, William Jewell, and Blake Trekell of JONES, OTJEN, & JEWELL, withdrawing his Motion for Change of Venue.

The Defendant has heretofore filed a Motion of Change of Venue from Garfield County, where the alleged crime occurred, and which the venue of the trial was located pursuant to an order of the presiding judge of the multicounty grand jury. The motion was presented and argued before the District Court and judge assigned to this case on Friday, August 8, 2025. Inquiry having been made by the Court of the prosecution as to whether it objected to a change of venue. The prosecution answered, through the Assistant Attorney General, that it had no objection to the change of venue. The Court took the matter under advisement and notified the parties that before 5:00 pm (the close of business) on Monday, August 11, 2025, the Court would enter an order respecting the Motion for a Change of Venue.

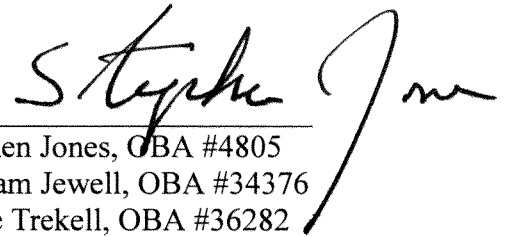
After having further consulted with his attorney, his wife, and others, the Defendant instructed his attorney to withdraw the motion. Such instruction came on Sunday afternoon, August 10, at approximately 3:30 pm in Defendant’s Counsel’s office. The Defendant decided

that he wanted to be judged by a jury of his peers in a public trial in Garfield County and withdrew his Motion for Change of Venue, and does **not** waive his right to be tried in Garfield County, as set forth in Article II, Section 20, Oklahoma Constitution. Defendant notes that only the Defendant may seek a removal from the county in which it is pending to some other county.

No order of removal from the county where the alleged crime occurred has been entered by the Court or upon the minutes of the court clerk, and no Certificate of Transfer has been entered as of the time this notice was filed. A copy of the notice was emailed to the District Judge assigned to this case on Sunday, August 10, 2025, at approximately 4:30 pm.

The accused wishes to be tried in the county in which the alleged crime was committed, to wit Garfield County, by a jury of his peers in a public trial. The Court may disregard the Motion for Change of Venue filed by the Defendant, and the arguments and relief requested all therein.

Respectfully Submitted,



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I, Brian Lovell, have read the foregoing notice that I wish the Change of Venue be denied, and I withdraw my motion and demand my right to have the trial in the county in which the crime was alleged to have occurred, which is Garfield County.

Signed

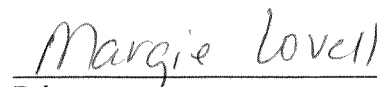


Brian Lovell

Witness,

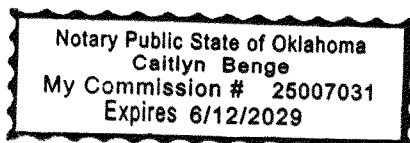


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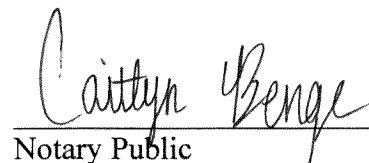


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Subscribed and sworn to me on this 10th day of August, 2025.



(Seal)
My Commission No: 25007031
My Commission Expires: 6/12/2029



Notary Public

CERTIFICATE OF DELIVERY

This is to certify that on the 10th day of August, 2025, a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing was emailed upon the following:

Colleen Galaviz
Jimmy Harmon
Assistant Attorney General

Judge Emmit Tayloe
District Judge of Comanche County

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Steph J.", is written over a solid horizontal line.