

State of Oklahoma  
Application for Surviving Spouse of  
Veterans Deceased in the Line of Duty  
Acquired Homestead Property



Tax Year: \_\_\_\_\_

(To be completed by applicant)

**PART ONE**

**Applicant**

County: \_\_\_\_\_ Account Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Telephone: ( \_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

Current Property Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE MARK THE APPROPRIATE BOX...

Y  N Did you have a Surviving Spouse Exemption on your previous property?

If so, list address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_

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**PART TWO**

**Ownership**

PLEASE MARK THE APPROPRIATE BOX...

Y  N Did you own this property after January 1 of this year?

If not, when? Date: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / 20 \_\_\_\_\_

Y  N Are you currently occupying this property as your homestead?

Y  N Is your deed or other evidence of ownership of record in the County Clerk's Office?

**NOTE:** Your deed or other evidence of ownership must be recorded with the County Clerks Office in the year of the requested exemption.

**PART THREE**

**Qualification**

PLEASE MARK THE APPROPRIATE BOX...

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Y  N Have you remarried before the age of 57?

Y  N Is the spouse Head of Household?

Y  N Is the applicant an unmarried surviving spouse of a person certified by the Department of Defense to have deceased in the line of duty?

**NOTE:** The county assessor is authorized to request and verify any information from the applicant or a state or federal agency they may feel is relevant.

**PART FOUR**

**NOTICE OF TERMINATION ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

**Assessor**

The applicant attests to the validity of the claim for exemption and shall notify the county assessor at such time when the applicant or surviving spouse does not meet the qualifications as set forth by the above cited requirements.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature and Acknowledgment Date

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION:**

School District

Approved beginning \_\_\_\_\_ tax year.

Disapproved. Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
County Assessor or Deputy Date

## Oklahoma Constitution

### Article 10, Section 8F

#### Section 8F.

- A. Despite any provision to the contrary, and except as otherwise provided by subsection D of this section, beginning January 1, 2015, the surviving spouse of the head of household who is determined by the United States Department of Defense or any branch of the United States military to have died while in the line of duty shall be entitled to claim an exemption for the full amount of the fair cash value of the homestead until such surviving spouse remarries.
- B. In order to be eligible for the exemption authorized by this section, the surviving spouse shall be required to prove residency within the State of Oklahoma and must have previously qualified for the homestead exemption authorized by law or be eligible for the homestead exemption pursuant to law.
- C. If a homestead otherwise eligible for the exemption authorized by this section is transferred on or after January 1 of a calendar year, another homestead property acquired by the surviving spouse shall be exempt to the same extent as the homestead property previously owned by such person for the year during which the new homestead is acquired and, subject to the requirement of this section, for each year thereafter.
- D. The provisions of this section shall be applicable for the 2014 calendar year with respect to an existing homestead property owned by the surviving spouse of a person previously determined to have died while in the line of duty by the United States Department of Defense or applicable branch of the United States military.