

Oklahoma Legislative Fellowship Program Graduates Third Class at Opportunity Summit Hosted by Congresswoman Stephanie Bice

April 8, 2024 – Oklahoma City, OK: Oklahoma Capitol Culture hosted the third annual Opportunity Summit and Graduation event for the Oklahoma Legislative Fellowship Program at the Oklahoma State Capitol on Friday, April 5, 2024.

The Opportunity Summit is the culmination of the year-long leadership development program for emerging leaders, ages 18 to 22, representing legislative districts across Oklahoma. Congresswoman Stephanie Bice hosted the Opportunity Summit and spoke to the class and guests on the importance of cultivating the program's core principles of civility, integrity, and servant leadership in public service locally and in the nation's capitol.

This year's graduating class presented solutions proposals to Oklahoma policy makers including current and former legislators and legislative policy directors. The five solutions proposals were:

- Telehealth Health Care: Abby Harris, Bridget Nye, Cameron Decker, and Isabella York.
- Improving Civic Engagement: Kyle Quigley, Keldon Morgan, Trenton Ripp, and Jack Brookshire.
- Farm to Table: Rhett Glazier, Ava Voth, Parker Robinson, Christian Camberos
- Tribal Relations: Fatima Jaime, Austin Remington, Ryan Barnett, Aria Murell
- Complete Streets Transportation: Rhoda Osei, Anissa Alvarez, and Jonah Kramer

ABOUT THE OKLAHOMA LEGISLATIVE FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

The Oklahoma Legislative Fellows Program launched with the Inaugural Leadership Summit at the Oklahoma City National Memorial & Museum on August 7, 2021. With support and participation from current and former legislators, Fellows develop leadership skills, network with young leaders from across the state, and participate in a year-long program engaging with a diversity of industries and the policy issues effecting the future of Oklahoma. The program features bi-partisan discussions on the three pillars of the fellowship program: civility, integrity, and servant leadership. Applications for the 2024-2025 Oklahoma Legislative Fellowship Program are now being accepted at www.CapitolCulture.com

Emerging leaders (age 18-23) from across Oklahoma can apply for the Fellowship Program. One applicant from each Oklahoma House and Senate district is selected to participate in the Fellowship Program. Fellows participate in live and virtual events throughout the year, benefitting from the leadership, network and support of former and current Oklahoma leaders. At the conclusion of the program, Fellow's work in groups to present a solution to an issue or topic and dialogue with current policy makers at the Opportunity Summit. A graduation reception follows the Opportunity Summit and fellows are invited to participate in future alumni opportunities and events.

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Oklahoma Capitol Culture is a 501(c)(3), non-profit organization shaping a culture of civility, integrity, and servant leadership among current and future policy makers in Oklahoma.