



Council of the Cherokee Nation

Agenda - Final

EDUCATION COMMITTEE

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Thursday, October 30, 2025

1:00 PM

Tribal Council Offices

CALL TO ORDER

INVOCATION

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

September 15, 2025 - Regular session

REPORTS:

Vocational Programs/Talking Leaves Job Corp/Career Services - Diane Kelley

Executive Director's Report - Mark Vance

Head Start - Verna Thompson

Sequoyah High School - Terry Heustis

Cherokee Nation Foundation - Janice Randall

OLD BUSINESS

None pending.

NEW BUSINESS

A. [25-103](#)

A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF JOHN SPARKS AS A
COMMISSIONER OF THE CHEROKEE NATION GAMING COMMISSION

Sponsors: Johnny Kidwell, Kevin Easley, Daryl Legg, Julia Coates, Joe Deere,
Candessa Tehee, Kendra McGeady and Joshua Sam

- B. [25-104](#) A RESOLUTION REAPPOINTING LYNDON EMBERTON TO THE CITIZEN COMMITTEE
ON COMPENSATION

Sponsors: Johnny Kidwell

- C. [25-105](#) A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF CLARICE DOYLE AS A
COUNCIL APPOINTMENT TO A BOARD SEAT AS AN EDITORIAL BOARD MEMBER
OF THE CHEROKEE PHOENIX

Sponsors: Kevin Easley, Johnny Kidwell, Danny Callison, Kendra McGeady, Clifton
Hughes, Joe Deere, Melvina Shotpouch, Dora Patzkowski, Daryl Legg and
Lisa Hall

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*The next meeting is tentatively scheduled for Monday, November 10th at 2:00
p.m.*

ADJOURNMENT