# An Act

#### LEGISLATIVE ACT \_\_\_14-02

# AN ACT AMENDING LEGISLATIVE ACT #37-01 AUTHORIZING THE COMPREHENSIVE BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2002 – Mod. 5; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

#### BE IT ENACTED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION:

#### **SECTION 1. TITLE AND CODIFICATION**

This legislative act shall be titled and codified as "An Act Amending Legislative Act #37-01 Authorizing the Comprehensive Budget for Fiscal Year 2002 – Mod. 5".

#### **SECTION 2. PURPOSE**

The purpose of this amendment is to authorize and approve the use of funds, subject to the availability of such funds, in accordance with Section 4, changing the amounts of certain cost centers approved in the "Comprehensive Budget Act for Fiscal Year 2002" or subsequent amendment. The cumulative total of the budget is increased by \$970,981 for a total budget authority of \$264,169,014. The following items are identified as estimated funding sources in excess of appropriated uses to wit:

A. Motor Fuels Tax	\$1,247,535	(	\$435,000 Appropriated)	Balance:	\$812,535
B. G/F special div.	\$250,000	(	\$0 Appropriated)	Balance:	\$250,000
C. Gammon Trust	\$290,625	(	\$290,625 Restricted)	Balance:	\$0
D. G/F settlement	\$253,685	(	\$253,685 Restricted)	Balance:	\$0

#### **SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE HISTORY**

The provisions of compliance, policy of accountability, authorities and severability provided in Legislative Act 37-01 are applicable to this amendment.

#### **SECTION 4. FUNDING AUTHORIZATIONS**

The changes reflect increases to cost centers set forth in the program budget justifications incorporated herein. This amendment changes the total amount of the comprehensive budget authorization by an increase of \$970,981, to wit:

- A. An increase in the **Motor Fuels Tax** budget authority of <u>\$116,442</u> for the Scattered Housing program.
- B. A net decrease in the **DOI-General** budget authority of <\\$1,153,983> for the BIA funded Road Projects.
- C. A net increase in the **DOI-Self Governance Roads** budget authority of \$308.862 for OSG funded Road Projects.
- D. A net increase in the **DHHS-General** budget authority of \$1,206,352 for the Headstart and Early Headstart programs.
- E. A net increase in the **H.U.D.** budget authority of \$493,308 for the 2000 and 2001 NAHASDA grants as well as an increase on the ROSS grant.

## **SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY**

The provisions of this Act are severable and if any part or provision hereof shall be held void the decision of the court so holding shall not affect or impair any of the remaining parts or provisions of this Act.

## SECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE: EMERGENCY DECLARED

It being immediately necessary for the welfare of the Cherokee Nation, the Council hereby declares that an emergency exists, by reason whereof this Act shall take effect immediately upon its approval and signatures.

Passed by the Cherokee Council on the \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2002.

Hastings Shade, President Council of the Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:

Stephanie Shepherd, Secretary Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this 21st day of MAY

Chadwick Smith, Principal Chief

Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:

Jay Hannah Cherokee Nation

#### YEAS AND NAYS AS RECORDED:

John A. Ketcher	YEA	Melvina Shotpouch	YEA
Don Crittenden	YEA	Stephanie Shepherd	ABSENT
Harold "Jiggs" Phillips	YEA_	John F. Keener	YEA
Jackie Bob Martin	YEA	Harold DeMoss	YEA
Mary Flute-Cooksey	YEA	Dorothy Jean McIntosh	
David W. Thornton, Sr.	YEA	Nick Lay	YEA
Don Garvin	YEA	Charles "Chuck" Hoskin	YEA
Barbara Starr-Scott	YEA		