

RESOLUTION NO. 25-08

COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

**A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF PAMELA BICKFORD AS A
BOARD MEMBER OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TRUST AUTHORITY
BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation since time immemorial has exercised the sovereign rights of self-government in behalf of the Cherokee people;

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation is a federally recognized Indian Nation with a historic and continual government to government relationship with the United States of America;

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation Economic Development Trust Authority Board of Directors was created and authorized by Legislative Act 36-89;

WHEREAS, the appointment of the Board of Directors in Legislative Act 36-89 was nullified by JAT 97-01;

WHEREAS, the appointment of members of the Board, replacing that portion of #36-89 previously addressing the appointment of said Board members, is provided for in Legislative Act 4-02;


WHEREAS, a vacancy exist on the Board of Directors and Pamela Bickford has been selected to be nominated by the Principal Chief; and

WHEREAS, Pamela Bickford is duly qualified to fill this vacancy pursuant to the laws of the Cherokee Nation.

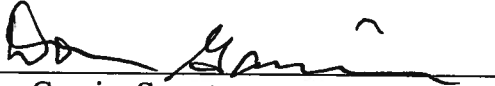
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION, that Pamela Bickford is hereby confirmed as a Board Member of the Cherokee Nation Economic Development Trust Authority Board of Directors for the term of two (2) years from March 2008 until March 2010.

CERTIFICATION

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the 14th day of April, 2008, having 17 members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of 17 yea; 0 nay; 0 abstaining.



Meredith A. Frailey, Speaker
Council of the Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:



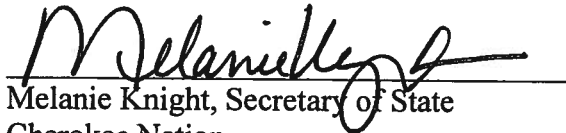
Don Garvin, Secretary
Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this 18th day of APRIL, 2008.



Chadwick Smith, Principal Chief
Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:



Melanie Knight, Secretary of State
Cherokee Nation

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Administrative Clearance

Program/Project Manager

Signature/Initial _____ Date _____

Department Director:

[Signature] 3/15/08
Signature/Initial _____ Date _____

Executive Director:

Signature/Initial _____ Date _____

Controller: (If Needed)

Signature/Initial _____ Date _____

Government Resources Dept:

[Signature] 3/13/08
Signature/Initial _____ Date _____

Administration Approval:

[Signature] 3/6/08
Signature/Initial _____ Date _____

Legislative Clearance

Legislative Aide:

[Signature] 3/14/08
Signature/Initial _____ Date _____

Standing Committee:

[Signature]

3/27/08
Next Meeting Date

Chairperson:

[Signature]
Signature/Initial _____ Date _____

Returned to Presenter: _____
Date

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Act

Resolution

TITLE: A Resolution Confirming the Nomination of Pamela Bickford as a Board Member of the Economic Development Trust Authority Board of Directors

DEPARTMENT CONTACT: Anna Knight, Group Leader
Commerce

Resolution Presenter: Anna Knight, Group Leader
Commerce

SPONSOR: _____

NARRATIVE:

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The appointment of the Board of Directors in Legislative Act 36-89 was nullified by JAT 97-01.

The appointment of members of the Board, replacing that portion of #36-89 previously addressing the appointment of said Board members, is provided for in Legislative Act 4-02.

A vacant seat exists on the Board of Directors and Pamela Bickford has been selected to be nominated by the Principal Chief; and

Pamela Bickford is duly qualified to fill this vacancy pursuant to the laws of the Cherokee Nation for a term of three (2) years from March 2008 until March 2010.