

Group: Marshal Service Month/Year of Report: Feb. 11 for Mar. 11 mtg.

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I. Program Highlights All Districts

Within budget amounts

Adair County –	0 arrests on warrants; 0 arrests for other
Rogers County –	0 arrests on warrants; 6 arrests on alcohol/narcotics/other
Cherokee County –	1 arrest on warrants; 4 arrests on alcohol/narcotics/other
Sequoyah County-	0 arrest on warrant; 0 arrests on alcohol/narcotics/other
Delaware County-	0 arrest on warrant; 0 arrests on alcohol/narcotics/other
Wagner County-	0 arrest on warrants; 0 arrests on alcohol/narcotics/other
Muskogee County-	0 arrest on warrants; 0 arrests on alcohol/narcotics/other
Mayes County-	0 arrest on warrants; 1 arrests on alcohol/narcotics/other

Current Investigations- Assault and Battery case in Bell community, Arson case on Duck Lane, Meth production and lab case in Delaware County

Community – Planning for Cherokee youth camp and remember the removal bike ride

Training/other – Implementation of new Marshal Service policy and procedures handbook to better comply with BIA audit requirements, all have taken and passed CJIC (Criminal Justice in Indian Country)

Upcoming Events: RAD Training for community in Rogers County, Preparing Purchases for DOJ Grant for new radio communications equipment for compliance with DHS.

NAHASDA Patrols Feb 2011

District I: 135 Patrols

District II: 159 Patrols

District III: 325 Patrols

Total: 619 separate patrols

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
Report to Rules Committee
March 2011

The Office of the Attorney General welcomes Nancy Rineheart. Nancy was recently hired by our office for the position of Victim Advocate. She will be assisting our Victim/Witness Coordinator under the DOJ Grant that was awarded to our office in 2010.

Dockets attended for the month of February:

Criminal Dockets- Cherokee Nation Tribal Court (2)

Juvenile Dockets- Cherokee Nation Tribal Court (2)
Washington County
Muskogee County
Rogers County
Sequoyah County

Child Support Dockets- Cherokee Nation Tribal Court
Adair County
Cherokee County Muskogee County
Sequoyah County
(Satellite Docket for Tribal Court)

Civil Dockets- Cherokee County

TERO Appeals- 1
Employee Appeals-0

Diane Hammons- Argued and prevailed Motion for Stay in Nash vs. Cherokee Nation Registrar. Filed Appeal to Cherokee Nation Supreme Court in Nash vs. Cherokee Nation.

Chrissi Nimmo- Attended Leadership Tahlequah Class which was Public Utilities and UKB day.

Cynthia Burlison-Attended Prosecutors Boot Camp in North Carolina which is a no-cost training program set up for first time member prosecutors through the National District Attorneys Association.

Susan Work-Attended Oklahoma Scenic Rivers Commission meeting in Tahlequah, attended tribal water group meeting in Norman, participated in teleconference of National Zinc Trustee Council re: Natural Resources Damages Assessment (NRDA), participated in Tar Creek Council Trustee Tribes' teleconference re: funding efforts related to Natural Resources Damages Assessment (NRDA) and attended Exceptional Customer Service passport class.

Robert Garcia-spoke to Locust Grove High School students on the legal consequences of drug and alcohol use for the Mayes County Prevention Program. Defended and prevailed in a quiet title action against Beaver Church in Adair County, a long standing church composed of tribal citizens.

Nason Morton-initiated work on the Tort Claims Act Project and assisted with the ongoing codification project.

Sara Hill- conducted CLI's Hot Topics session regarding Tar Creek.

Sherry Chennault- attended Coordinated Tribal Assistance Orientation for Grants to Indian Tribal Governments at Talking Stick Resort in Scottsdale, Arizona February 7-11. This training was hosted by the Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women, and was covered under grant funding.

**COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION
RULES COMMITTEE REPORT**

Group: Election Commission

Month/Year of Report: February 2011

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I. Budget Highlights

- a.) None
- b.)
- c.)

II. Program Highlights

a.) Balanced Scorecard Measures

- 1. n/a
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

b.) Accomplishments

- 1. Registration of 133 new voters
- 2. Relinquished information current through 2/28/2011
- 3. Update Addresses
- 4. Remove all verifiable deceased voters via Registration report and local newspaper

c.) Future Plans/New Initiatives

- 1. Registration of new voters
- 2. Update addresses
- 3. Establish remaining precincts



CHEROKEE NATION TRIBAL COUNCIL RULES COMMITTEE REPORT

Group: Tax Commission

Month/Year of Report: March, 2011

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I. Budget Highlights

- a.) Please refer to the monthly financial report from Finance.

II. Program Highlights

a.) Motor Vehicle

1. Year to Date Motor Vehicle revenue for FY11 compared to FY10 as of January 31, had an overall increase of 13.38 %.
2. The month to month revenue comparison for January 2010 (FY10) compared to January 2011 (FY11) shows an increase of 18.12%.
3. The detail for all areas of revenue for motor vehicle is shown on the attached graphs.
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b.) Revenue and Taxation Division

1. Year to Date Revenue and Taxation (Tobacco) for FY11 compared to FY10 as of January 31, had an overall decrease of 1.08%.
3. A month to month revenue comparison January 2010 (FY10) compared to January 2011 (FY11) shows a decrease of 6.32%.
3. The detail for all areas of tax is shown on the attached graphs.
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c.) Future Plans/New Initiatives

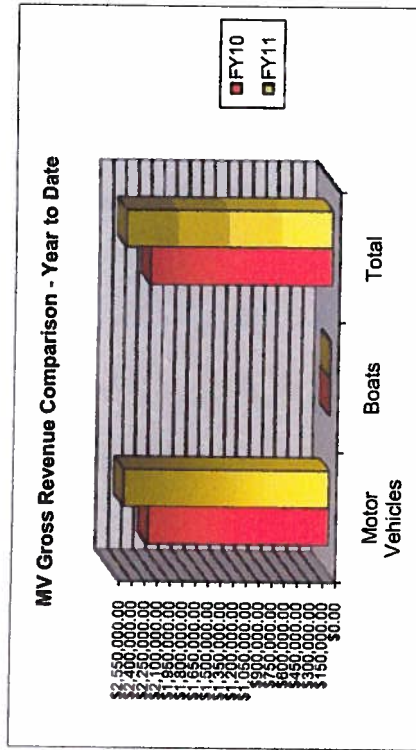
1. The next Tax Commission meeting is tentatively scheduled for June 8, 2011 at 4:30 pm in the Government Resources Conference room.
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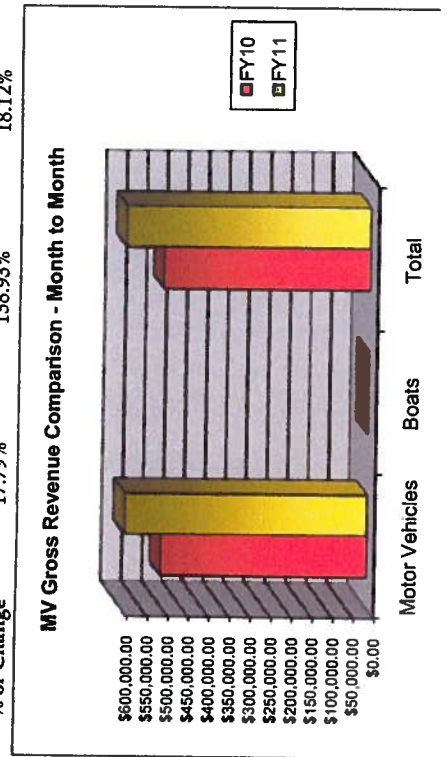
CHEROKEE NATION TAX COMMISSION

JANUARY 2011

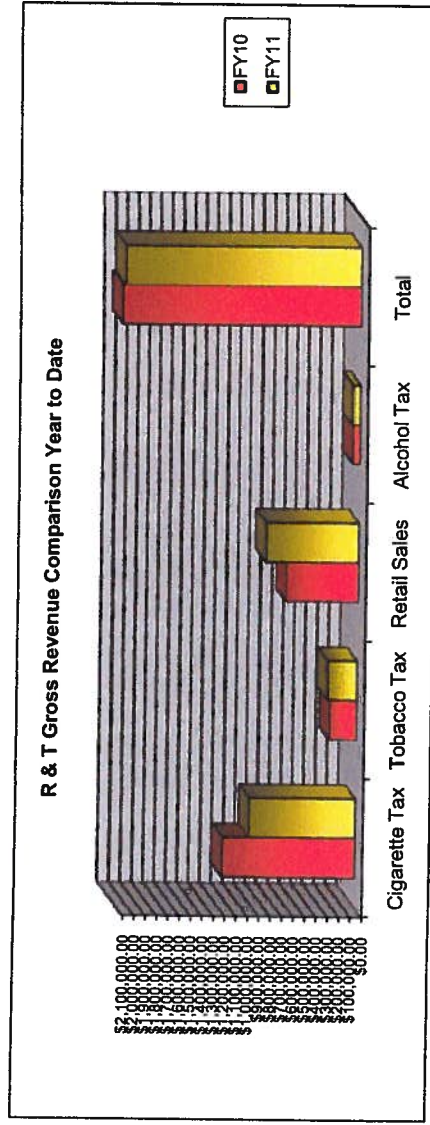
	Motor Vehicles	Boats	Total
FY10	\$2,134,245.27	\$12,414.39	\$2,146,659.66
FY11	\$2,423,498.55	\$10,339.01	\$2,433,837.56
% of Change	13.55%	-16.72%	13.38%



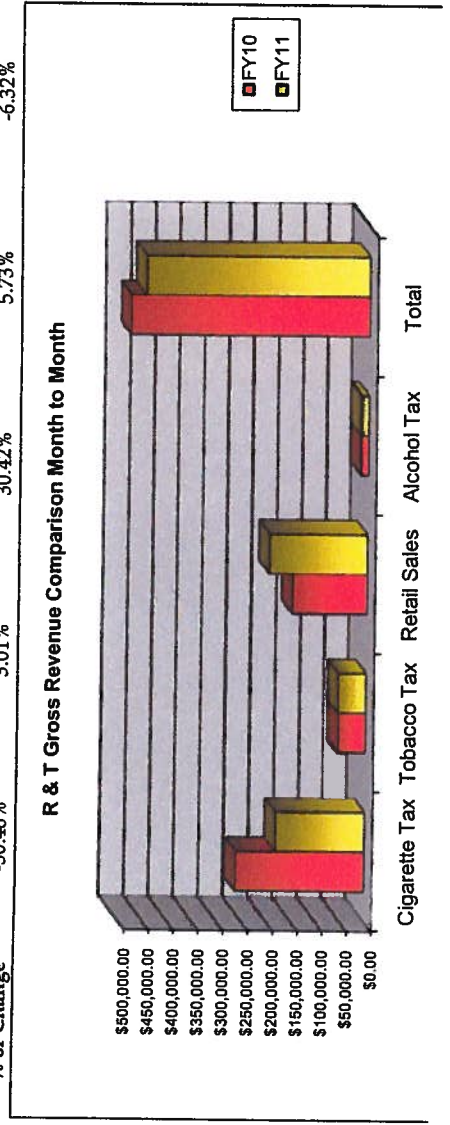
	Motor Vehicles	Boats	Total
FY10	\$500,389.47	\$1,359.34	\$501,748.81
FY11	\$589,416.37	\$3,247.85	\$592,664.22
% of Change	17.79%	138.93%	18.12%



	Cigarette Tax	Tobacco Tax	Retail Sales	Alcohol Tax	Total
FY10	\$1,161,608.05	\$237,368.21	\$631,582.46	\$57,099.76	\$2,087,658.48
FY11	\$930,432.24	\$256,318.61	\$811,850.67	\$66,594.89	\$2,065,196.41
% of Change	-19.90%	7.98%	28.54%	16.63%	-1.08%



	Cigarette Tax	Tobacco Tax	Retail Sales	Alcohol Tax	Total
FY10	\$261,223.47	\$55,656.26	\$152,695.98	\$15,182.93	\$484,758.64
FY11	\$181,592.52	\$57,334.28	\$199,149.93	\$16,052.44	\$454,129.17
% of Change	-30.48%	3.01%	30.42%	5.73%	-6.32%



Group: Government Resources Month/Year of Report: February 2011 03/11/2011

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I. **Budget Highlights – please refer to Monthly Financial Report**

Description of Budget exceptions: No budget exceptions to report.

II. **Program Highlights**

a. **Include any accomplishments**

1. Coordinated an agency on-site review of PL102-477 program during the week of 2/22/2011.
2. The 2011-2013 DOI MFA has been signed and CR payments 1-4 received.
3. Processed allocation of DOI funds to Delaware Tribe.
4. Child Care funds received for CR payments.
5. Participated in the DOI Title IV discussions to reintroduce the bill.
6. Attended DOI budget meeting at EORO.
7. Participated in discussions with Oklahoma SG Coalition regarding SG issues and met in Shawnee on March 8, 2011.
8. Participated in the National SG Conference Planning Committee.

b. **ARRA:**

Reporting/Training:

1. Reporting to FederalReporting.gov.
 - a. Responded to various emails and comments from agencies regarding reports submitted.
 - b. Preparing for next reporting period by meeting with various programs regarding close outs and final reports.

Program Updates:

2. Participated in USDA webinar regarding the national status of ARRA Broadband grants to tribes.

c. **Brief on future plans/any new initiatives**

IHS:

1. Preparation for IHS pre-negotiations.
2. Review of the IHS CSC Shortfall report.
3. Analysis and review of Area and Headquarters funding tables.

DOI:

4. PL102-477: The 477 program
5. Cobell Settlement: The Nation received posters and DVDs from Kinsella Media, a public relations contractor for the settlement.
6. DOI CSC Workgroup: A national workgroup conference call is scheduled on 3/17/2011. The CSC Shortfall Report submitted to Congress includes erroneous information for Cherokee Nation.
7. Question 10 of the IRR regulations:
Summary report: The formula change will be issued through an Indian Affairs Manual Directive (not issued to date).

Other:

8. Participating on the national Tribal Data Management pilot project.
9. Actively participate with the Oklahoma SG Coalition regarding national SG issues.

d. Announcements

e. Other

1. Attend monthly meetings as a Member of the Policy Council serving the Early Childhood Unit Headstart Program.
2. Participate in regular meetings of the Strategic Budget Committee and assist in the review of budget proposals in an advisory capacity.

Group: Leadership

Group Leader: Todd Enlow

Program: Youth Leadership Council

Quarterly Report: Q1- 2011

I. Program Highlights

A. Accomplishments

- 2011/1/8 Swearing In Ceremony and Meeting – Parliamentary procedure workshop
- 2011/1/29 Night with the Ambassadors – Etiquette Training Class
- 2011/3/5 Elected officers and selected this year's theme of Education and Health

B. Initiatives

- BLOG Project – The CNYLC is learning about blogging and have asked for a blog feature to be added to <http://cnylc.cherokee.org>
- 10 of the 13 CNYLC members will be taking part in the History Tour along with the National Youth Choir June 13-19. This trip will enable the CNYLC to share in an experienced based learning event.
- 3 of the 13 CNYLC members plan to attend the Leadership Summit on March 22nd.
- The CNYLC will be attending the Unity conference July 8-12 in Minneapolis, MN.
- Voter Registration- The CNYLC is charged with encouraging voter registration before March 25.

C. Canceled Events

- The retreat at Camp Tulokogee was canceled due to inclement weather.
- Our attendance at Midyear Unity in Arlington, VA, was also canceled due to poor weather conditions.

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