Committee: Rules

Date: 08/03/23

Committee Date: <u>08/31/23</u>

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**RESOLUTION NO. 24-23** 

## COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

# A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF SHELLA BOWLIN AS THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation since time immemorial has exercised the sovereign rights of self-government on 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, pursuant to Article VII, Section 12 of the Cherokee Nation Constitution the Principal Chief is authorized to appoint the Secretary of State, subject to majority vote of the Council of the Cherokee Nation;

WHEREAS, the Principal Chief has nominated Shella Bowlin as the Secretary of State of the Cherokee Nation to fulfill the duties thereof under the Constitution;

WHEREAS, Shella Bowlin is duly qualified.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION that Shella Bowlin is hereby confirmed as the Secretary of State of the Cherokee Nation as authorized by Article VII. Section 12 of the Cherokee Nation Constitution. Serving a term from August 2023 to August 2027.

#### CERTIFICATION

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the 31st day of August, 2023, having 16 members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of 15 yea; 1 nay; 0 abstaining.

> Mike Shambaugh, Speaker Council of the Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:

Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this

Chuck Hoskin, Jr., Principal Chief

Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:

Tina Glory Jordan,

Cherokee Nation

ADMINISTRATIVE CLEARANCE		
Dept/Program:		
Signature/Initial	Date	
Executive Director:		
Signature/Initial  Treasurer (Required:	Date	
Grants/Contracts/Budg	pets):	
Government Relations:		
Signature/Initial	Date	
Administration Approval:		
Signature/Initial	//5/23 Date	
LEGISLATIVE CLEAR	ANCE:	
Legal & Legislative Coordinator:		
Standing Committee & Date:  Chairperson:		

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RESOLUTION PRESENTER:	Taralee Montgomery
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COUNCIL SPONSOR:

Johnnykidwell

## **NARRATIVE:**

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