



Council of the Cherokee Nation

Agenda - Final

RULES COMMITTEE

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Thursday, January 30, 2025

1:00 PM

Tribal Council Offices

CALL TO ORDER

INVOCATION

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

December 6, 2024 - Special Session
December 16, 2024 - Regular Session

REPORTS:

Marshal Service - Daniel Mead

Office of the Attorney General - Chad Harsha

FOIA-GRA - Gwen Terrapin

Election Commission - Marcus Fears

Tax Commission - Sharon Swepston

Self-Governance - Ashawna Miles

Gaming Commission - Audra Imhoff

Human Resources - Samantha Hendricks

OLD BUSINESS

None pending.

NEW BUSINESS

1. [24-123](#) A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF FAN ROBINSON AS A COMMISSIONER OF THE CHEROKEE NATION TAX COMMISSION
Sponsors: Mike Shambaugh, Johnny Kidwell, Joe Deere and Joshua Sam

2. [25-001](#) A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF CHRISTIE HARRIS AS A MEMBER OF THE CHEROKEE NATION INSTITUTIONAL REVIEW BOARD
Sponsors: Mike Shambaugh, Joshua Sam, Candessa Tehee, Codey Poindexter and Joe Deere

3. [25-002](#) A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF EDDIE MORRISON AS AN ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBER OF CHEROKEE NATIONAL TREASURES PROGRAM
Sponsors: Melvina Shotpouch, Candessa Tehee, Codey Poindexter and Joe Deere

4. [25-003](#) A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF VICTORIA VAZQUEZ AS AN ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBER OF CHEROKEE NATIONAL TREASURES PROGRAM
Sponsors: Mike Shambaugh, Kevin Easley, Kendra McGeady, Lisa Hall, Melvina Shotpouch, Codey Poindexter, Joshua Sam and Joe Deere

5. [25-004](#) A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING HEALTH CARE SERVICES TO INDIVIDUALS NOT OTHERWISE ELIGIBLE FOR SERVICES FROM THE INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE THROUGH THE CHEROKEE NATION GADUGI EMPLOYEE HEALTH CLINIC AND OTHER SERVICES
Sponsors: Mike Shambaugh, Kevin Easley, Mike Dobbins and Joe Deere

6. [25-005](#) AN ACT AMENDING TITLE 15 OF THE CHEROKEE NATION CODE ANNOTATED
Sponsors: Joshua Sam, Kendra McGeady and Joe Deere

7. [25-006](#) AN ACT AMENDING TITLE 21 OF THE CHEROKEE NATION CODE ANNOTATED AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY
Sponsors: Mike Shambaugh, Daryl Legg, Johnny Kidwell and Joe Deere

8. [25-007](#) 2025 TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE HOUSING, JOBS, AND SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES ACT PERMANENT AUTHORIZATION OF 2024
Sponsors: Mike Shambaugh, Candessa Tehee, Codey Poindexter, Joshua Sam and Joe Deere

9. [25-008](#) CHEROKEE ARTIST RECOVERY ACT - TEMPORARY REAUTHORIZATION
Sponsors: Candessa Tehee, Mike Shambaugh, Melvina Shotpouch, Kendra McGeady, Joshua Sam, Kevin Easley, Codey Poindexter and Joe Deere

10. [25-009](#) AN ACT AMENDING THE CHEROKEE NATION EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ACT
Sponsors: Mike Shambaugh, Kevin Easley, Danny Callison, Johnny Kidwell, Codey Poindexter and Joe Deere
11. [25-010](#) THE CHEROKEE NATION USA TRUST SETTLEMENT INVESTMENT AUTHORIZATION ACT OF 2025
Sponsors: Kevin Easley, Kendra McGeady, Sasha Blackfox-Qualls, Candessa Tehee, Lisa Hall, Joshua Sam, Joe Deere, Daryl Legg, Codey Poindexter, E. O. "JR." Smith and Dora Patzkowski
12. [TMP-418](#) DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION OF THE ANNUAL REVIEW OF THE TRIBAL COUNCIL TRAVEL EXPENSE POLICY
Sponsors: Mike Shambaugh

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next meeting is tentatively scheduled for Thursday, February 27th at 1:00 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT