

Committee: Rules
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RESOLUTION NO. 50-10

COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

**A RESOLUTION HONORING DEREK RYAN PRATHER FOR RECEIVING THE
LEVEL OF EAGLE SCOUT FROM THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA**

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

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; and,

WHEREAS, the Boy Scouts of America is an honored institution which teaches young men integrity, patriotism, self-reliance, honesty and respect; and

WHEREAS, Derek Prather, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, has received the highest honor that the Boy Scouts of America can bestow on a member, which is the status of Eagle Scout; and

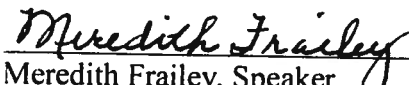
WHEREAS, the honor of becoming an Eagle Scout takes years of dedication and hard work and shows that the person receiving such honor is a valued citizen to his community; and

WHEREAS, it is beneficial to the Cherokee Nation to recognize tribal citizens who achieve great honors such as receiving the honors earned by Derek Prather.


NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION TRIBAL COUNCIL that it recognizes Derek Prather, a tribal citizen, for receiving the status of Eagle Scout from the Boy Scouts of America Troop 497 chartered by Baylor University in the Indian Nations District of Longhorn Council.

CERTIFICATION

The foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting thereof on the 14th day of June 2010, having 17 members present, constituting a quorum, by a vote of 17 yea 0 nay; and 0 abstaining.


Meredith Frailey, Speaker
Council of the Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:



Don Garvin, Secretary
Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this 21st day of JUNE, 2010.



Chadwick Smith, Principal Chief
Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:



Melanie Knight, Secretary of State
Cherokee Nation