

RESOLUTION NO. 76-15

COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT WITH THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, EASTERN OKLAHOMA REGION FOR WILDLAND FIRE MANAGEMENT

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 Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Eastern Oklahoma Region wishes to enter into an agreement with Cherokee Nation for Wildland Fire Management;

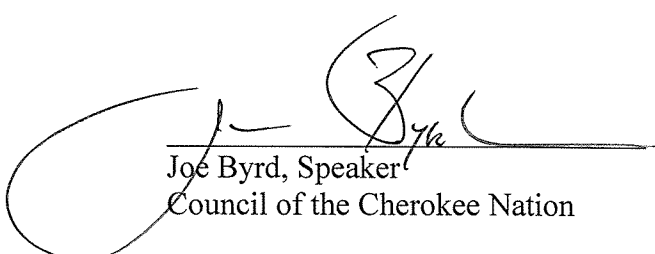
WHEREAS, Career Services has the experience and staff to administer a Wildland Fire Management Program.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION, that a Cooperative Agreement with the United States Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs Eastern Region be executed.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION, that Cherokee Nation Career Services will administer the Wildland Fire Management Program.

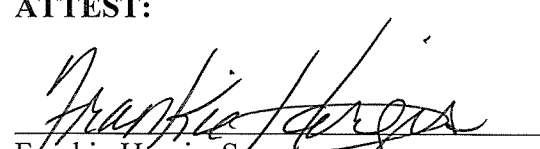
CERTIFICATION

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the 14th day of December, 2015, having 16 members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of 16 yea; 0 nay; and 0 abstaining.



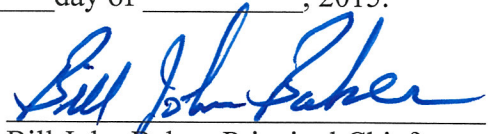
Joe Byrd, Speaker
Council of the Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:



Frankie Hargis, Secretary
Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this _____ day of _____, 2015.



Bill John Baker, Principal Chief
Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:



Chuck Hoskin Jr., Secretary of State
Cherokee Nation

ADMINISTRATIVE CLEARANCE:

Program/Project Manager:

[Signature] 10/27/15
Signature Date

Department Director:

[Signature] 10/27/15
Signature Date

Executive Director:

[Signature] 10/27/15
Signature Date

Finance Approval (if needed):

[Signature] 10/27/15
Signature Date

Government Resources Group:

Signature Date

Administration Approval:

[Signature] 10/29/15
Signature Date

LEGISLATIVE CLEARANCE

Legislative Aide:

[Signature] 11/3/15
Signature/Initial Date

Standing Committee:

Executive Finance

11-16-15

Next Meeting Date

Chairperson:

Taylor
Signature/Initial Date

Returned to Presenter: _____
Date

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Department Contact: Diane Kelley

Resolution Presenter: Diane Kelley

Council Sponsors: Janees Taylor

NARRATIVE:

(See Attached Outline for Information Needed)

I Purpose:

The purpose of this resolution is to execute a Cooperative Agreement with BIA for reimbursement of expenses for Wildland Fire Management.

II Funding Required:

Grant Amount: N/A	Source: DOI
Cash Match: N/A	Source: N/A
In-kind Amount: N/A	Source: N/A
Restricted IDC: N/A	Source: N/A
Date Available: N/A	

III CAPABILITY TO PERFORM IF APPROVED

- a. Organizational Responsibility: Division: Career Services
- b. Staffing Required: Current Staff
- c. Contracts: None
- d. Space Required: None
- e. Service Area: All 14 Counties

IV IDENTIFY EXTERNAL -GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

- A. Agency: DOI
- B. Person: Bernie Toyekoyah, Grants Specialist