Committee: Health Author: Todd Hembree

Date: 5-12-09 Committee Date: 5-12-09 Sponsor: Bill John Baker

RESOLUTION NO. 65-09

COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE DONATION OF SURPLUS OPTOMETRY EQUIPMENT FROM CHEROKEE NATION TO NORTHEASTERN STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF OPTOMETRY

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation, since time immemorial has exercised the sovereign rights of selfgovernment 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 Cherokee Nation has in its possession, equipment that has been determined surplus, namely:

- **Automatic Refractor** 1.
- 2. Five (5) Microscope Slit Lamps
- 3. Patient Exam Chair and Stand

WHEREAS, it would be beneficial to the Cherokee Nation to donate said equipment to Optometry schools within the Cherokee Nation; and,

WHEREAS, Northeastern State University College of Optometry School is an institute of higher education within the Cherokee Nation educating future optometrist.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE **NATION** that the surplus equipment held by Cherokee Nation, namely:

- 1. **Automatic Refractor**
- 2. Five (5) Microscope Slit Lamps
- Patient Exam Chair and Stand 3.

Be donated to Northeastern State University College of Optometry School to be used for the benefit of their students.

CERTIFICATION

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting thereof on the 15th day of June, 2009, having 14 members present, constituting a quorum, by a vote of 14 yeas; 0 nays; 0 abstaining.

Meredith a. Frailey, Speaker Council of the Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:		
Don Garvin, Secretary Council of the Cherokee Nation		
Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this	day of, 2009.	•
	Chadwick Smith, Principal Chief	
ATTEST:	Cherokee Nation	
Melanie Knight Secretary of State		

Cherokee Nation