### COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

# A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE RENOMINATION OF ED FITE AS A MEMBER OF THE CHEROKEE NATION ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION COMMISSION

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 Environmental Protection Commission was created and authorized by Title 63 Section 101 of the Cherokee Nation Code Annotated (CNCA);

WHEREAS, the Principal Chief is authorized to appoint the members of the Commission subject to majority vote of the Council of the Cherokee Nation;

WHEREAS, Ed Fite's term expires October 2009;

WHEREAS, Ed Fite is duly qualified to fill this board position pursuant to Title 63 Section 101 (A) CNCA.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION,** that Ed Fite is hereby confirmed as a Commissioner of the Cherokee Nation Environmental Protection Commission for a term from October 2009 to October 20013.

### **CERTIFICATION**

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the  $\underline{19}^{th}$  day of October, 2009, having  $\underline{17}$  members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of  $\underline{17}$  yea;  $\underline{0}$  nay;  $\underline{0}$  abstaining.

Meredith A. Frailey, Speaker Council of the Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:

Don Garvin, Secretary

Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and	l signed by	the Principal	Chief this	21st	day of	October	, 2009.
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Chadwick Smith, Principal Chief Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:

Melanie Knight, Secretary of State Cherokee Nation

<u>Administrative</u>	Clearance
Program/Project M	fanager
Signature/Initial	Date
Department Direct	tor: 1/2009
Signature/Initial	Date
Executive Director	r:
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Controller: (If Needed	i)
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Government Reso	urces Dept:
Kita Man	n 9/8/09
Signature/Initial	Date
Administration Ap	oproval:
Signature/Initial	Date

# <u>Legislative Clearance</u> Legislative Aide: Signature/Initial Standing Committee: **Next Meeting Date** Chairperson: Signature/Initial Date Returned to Presenter:

## Cherokee Nation Act /Resolution Proposal Form

Act	X Resolution
TITLE: A Resolution Confirming Member of the Cherokee Nation E Commission	
DEPARTMENT CONTACT:	Tom Elkins
RESOLUTION PRESENTER:	TOM ELKINS
SPONSOR:	
NARRATIVE:	

The Environmental Protection Commission was created and authorized by Title 63 Section 101 of the Cherokee Nation Code Annotated (CNCA);

The Principal Chief is authorized to appoint the members of the Commission subject to majority vote of the Council of the Cherokee Nation;

Ed Fite's term expires October 2009; and

Ed Fite is duly qualified to fill this vacancy pursuant to the §101 (A) Cherokee Nation Code Annotated and his term would be from October 2009 until October 2013.