

TRIBAL EMPLOYMENT RIGHTS OFFICE  
CERTIFICATION MEETING

May 31, 2012

Prepared for: Tribal Council House

**New Businesses Recommended for Approval**

**Approved (17)**

**Cherokee (12)**

**Other Indian (5)**

**ABJ Heat & Air**

5893 E. 455 Rd.

Adair, OK 74330

Charles "Chuck" Cooper----100% Cherokee

Skills: Air-Conditioning-Repair; Air-Conditioning-Install; Ventilation-Duck Work

**Arrowhead Kevlar**

P.O. Box 817

South Coffeyville, OK 74072

Timothy Keeton----100% Cherokee

Skills: Consulting Roofing; General Roofing; Commercial Roofing

**B & B Welding, Inc.**

464779 East 1070 Road

Sallisaw, OK

Bill Buckner----60% Cherokee

Jessica Buckner----40% Non-Indian

Skills: Construction Steel; Construction-Commercial; Roofing-Metal; Siding-Steel

**Buffalo Nickel**

P.O. Box 1317

Pawhuska, OK 74056

Ryan Red Corn----50% Osage

Joseph Brown Thunder----50% Ho Chunk Nation of Wisconsin (formerly the Wisconsin Winnebago Tribe

Skills: Graphic Design/Branding; Web Design/Interactive; Prog./Software Dev.

**Caddo Solutions**

2760 W. 5<sup>th</sup> Ave.

Denver, CO 80204

Don Kelin----100% Caddo Tribe

Skills: Printing-Custom; Printing-General; Office Supplies

**Chuck Fine**

8121 E. 630 Rd.

Locust Grove, OK 74352

Chuck Fine----100% Cherokee

Skills: Masonry Brick; Masonry Rock

**Craftsman Construction**

25277 S. Shepherd Dr.  
Claremore, OK 74017  
Jennifer Baines----51% Cherokee  
Luke Baines----49% Non-Indian  
Skills: Cabinets-Custom; Cabinets-Trim; Construction-General

**Eagle View Roofing, LLC**

430519 E. 280 Rd.  
Vinita, OK 74301  
Gary Meeks----100% Cherokee  
Skills: Roofing-General; Roofing-Shingles

**Eric's Sealcoating**

P.O. Box 681  
Langley, OK 74350  
Louis E. Mouse----100% Cherokee  
Skills: Asphalt Maintenance; Seal Coating; Asphalt Working General

**H & K Linen**

11010 S. 87<sup>th</sup> E. Ave.  
Tulsa, OK 74133  
Billy Ray Hughes, Jr.----100% Cherokee  
Skills: Consulting-Management; Laundry-Industrial Linen

**Highers**

1506 Irene Lane  
Ft. Gibson, OK 74434  
Jack E. "Bo" Highers, Jr.----100% Cherokee  
Skills: Investigation-Private; Trucking

**Mid-America Construction & Interiors**

P.O. Box 151  
Dibble, OK 73031  
Robert "Wayne" Roberts----100% Choctaw  
Skills: General Contracting; Construction-General; Construction- Single Home

**Native Son Construction & Supply, LLC**

12818 S. Memorial Dr. #108  
Bixby, OK 74008  
Steven Wade Killman----51% Citizen Band Potawatomi Tribe of OK  
Justin Reichl----24.5% Non-Indian  
Louie Andrew Willingham----24.5% Non-Indian  
Skills: Construction-Commercial, General; Supplies-Construction Equipment

**Saffell Enterprises, Inc.**

12413 Maplewood Dr.

Keller, TX 76244

Suzanne Saffell----65% Cherokee

Darrin Saffell----35% Non-Indian

Skills: Restoration & Cleaning; Fire Damage; Carpet; Janitorial

**Visions, Inc.**

8801 Wyoming Ave. North

Brooklyn Park, MN 55445

Jon Otto----51% The Minnesota Chippewa Tribe (White Earth Band)

Rick Hansen Trust----49% Non-Indian

Skills: Consulting-Marketing; Art-Graphic; Printing-Custom; Printing-General

**Robert Slinker (Artist)**

705 E. Ross

Tahlequah, OK 74464

Cherokee

Skills: Pottery; Woodworking; Painting; Tribal Costuming; Beaded Jewelry;  
Leather Work

**Treyton Drake Pruitt (Artist)**

Rt. 3 Box 2471

Stilwell, OK 74960

Cherokee

Skills: Pottery-Artist

**Denied (2)**

**\*Blue- Indicates Denied Once**

**\*Red- Indicates Denied after Interview**

**Cahills Construction, Inc.**

604 S. Park

Salem, MO 65560

Tonie Cahill----100% Non Indian (Western Cherokee Nation of Arkansas & Missouri)

Skills: Concrete-Curbs; Construction-Commercial; Electrical-Contractor

**\*Denied 5/1/12- Not a federally recognized tribe**

**Tsalagi & Associates, LLC**  
12820 So. Memorial Dr. #100  
Bixby, OK 74008  
Daniel Goss----51% Cherokee  
Charles Howard----24.5% Non-Indian  
Joe Donelson----24.5 % Non-Indian  
Skills: Surveying; Land Surveying; Drafting  
**\*Pending 9/6/11- 2011 Business taxes**  
**\*Pending 10/4/11- No Action**  
**\*Pending 11/1/11-No Action**  
**\*Pending 12/6/11- No Action**  
**\*Pending 1/3/12- No Action**  
**\*Pending 2/7/12- No Action**  
**\*Pending 3/6/12- No Action**  
**\*Pending 4/4/12- No Action**  
**\*Denied 5/1/12-No proof of 51% ownership**

**Businesses Recommended for Re-Certification (53)**

**21 Years**

**Tonto Construction, Inc**  
8101 W. 33<sup>rd</sup> St. South  
Muskogee, OK 74401  
Cheryl Leatherman-60% Cherokee  
Dan Leatherman-40% Non Indian  
Skills: Utility Lines- General, Gas, Water, Sewage

**19 Years**

**Metro Video System**  
1220 Elm Imperial Ave  
El Segundo, CA 90245  
Robert Weir-100% Cherokee  
Skills: Security Alarm Systems

**15 Years**

**Best Dump Trucking, Inc.**  
P.O. Box 1066  
Pryor, OK 74362  
Paula Best-100% Cherokee  
Skills: Rock/Gravel Transport & Trucking

## **12 Years**

### **Fletcher Hardware**

P.O. Box 509  
Stilwell, OK 74960  
Mary Starr-100% Cherokee  
Skills: Supplies- Plumbing, Farm, Electrical

## **11 Years**

### **Taylor Concrete Construction**

P.O. Box 2004  
Tahlequah, OK 74465  
Calvin Taylor-100% Cherokee  
Skills: Concrete- Curbs, Driveways, Sidewalks, Forms

### **Trico Industries, Inc.**

P. O. Box 945  
Anderson, MO 64831  
Robert D. Davis-100% Cherokee  
Skills: Construction

## **10 Years**

### **Hastings Daycare**

P.O. Box 294  
Westville, OK 74965  
Kenneth Hastings-100% Cherokee  
Skills: Daycare Center

### **Sooner TV**

405 East Downing Street  
Tahlequah, OK 74464  
Jerry Hare-100% Cherokee  
Skills: Electronics, Flooring, Video Production & Surveillance

### **Utility Cable Communications, Inc**

24606 Amah Parkway  
Claremore, OK 74019  
Louis Gardner-52% Cherokee, NE  
Terre Gardner-48% Non Indian  
Skills: Utility Lines, Earth Moving, Roads, Excavation

### **Wolfe Optics**

799 South Lee Street  
Ft. Gibson, OK 74434  
Dennis Garrison-100% Cherokee  
Skills: Eyewear & Supplies, Optometry

## **9 Years**

### **Johnson, Smitthipong, & Rosamond Associates, Inc.**

212 N. Main St.

Tulsa, OK 74103

Robert Johnson – 51% Delaware

Suthipan Smitthipong- 24.5 % Non Indian

Vernon Rosamond-24.5% Non Indian

Skills: Architect, Planning, Engineering

### **Springwater Fence Co.**

19296 E. Flournoy Rd

Park Hill, OK 74451

Steven Springwater-99% Cherokee

Crissy Springwater-1% Non Indian

Skills: Fencing- Barbed Wire, Chain Link, Temporary, Wood

### **The Lawn Mower Shop**

14166 Hwy 82

Tahlequah, OK 74464

Dale Hutchins-100% Cherokee

Skills: Small Engine Repair- Sales & Service

## **8 Years**

### **Alko Enterprises, Inc**

7416 N. Broadway Ext. Ste. H

Oklahoma City, OK 73116

Gene Bruno – 100% Potawatomi

Skills: Dental Equipment & Supplies

### **GSE Construction, Inc**

P.O. Box 1843

Muskogee, OK 74402

Billye Martin-51% Creek

Gerald Stinson-49% Non Indian

Skills: Cabinets, Flooring, Roofing, Finishing

### **J & B Nursery**

P.O. Box 583

Tahlequah, OK 74465

Bill Murphy- 100% Cherokee

Skills: Landscaping

### **JB Richman Company**

2931 Sprucewood Drive

Maryland Heights, MO 63043-1381

J.D. Richman- 100% Cherokee

Skills: Carpentry, Construction, Renovations

**Mattsco Supply Company**

P.O. Box 2925

Tulsa, OK 74101

Caryln Mattox Robert Mattox, Kyle Mattox-100% Cherokee

Skills: Steel- Fabrication, Supplies, Utility Lines

**Mid Am Electric, Inc**

P.O. Box 1123

Pryor, OK 74361

Leroy Ragsdale & Tom Ragsdale-100 % Cherokee

Electrical- Contractor & Journeyman

**Nickle & Associates, Inc.**

108 S. 109<sup>th</sup> E. Place

Tulsa, OK 74128

Gregory Nickel-100% Chickasaw

Skills: Engineering-Civil, Surveying, Planning

**SWA Design, LLC**

6111 E, 32<sup>nd</sup> Place

Tulsa, OK 74135

Patrick Sisemore-51% Cherokee

Sisemore Weisz & Associates Inc – 49% Non Indian

Skills: Architect, Land Surveying, Planning

**Thomas Insulation**

31120 S. Tucker Knob Road

Kinta, OK 74552

Jay Thomas-100% Choctaw

Skills: Insulation- Install & Removal, Windows- Storm

**7 Years**

**Casto Miller Roofing Company**

PO Box 1807

Ft. Gibson, OK 74434

Casto & Sheryl Miller-100% Cherokee

Skills: Roofing

**6 Years**

**Cherokee Custom Floors, LLC**

19090 E. Rogers Dr.

Tahlequah, OK 74464

Michael Hullinger-100% Cherokee

Skills: Flooring & Supplies

**HarChem Chemicals, Inc**

P.O. Box 310

Muldrow, OK 74948

Paul Harvel-51% Cherokee

Nancy Harvel-49% Non Indian

Skills: Water- Treatment, Testing, Consulting, Sewage- Treatment

**Old World Iron**

2414 W. Skelly Drive

Tulsa, OK 74107

Harlan Wayland-100% Cherokee

Skills: Custom Iron Work

**Rogers Heating & Air**

P.O. Box 2076

Tahlequah, OK 74465

Valerie Rogers- 51% Cherokee

John Rogers- 49% Non Indian

Skills: AC Install, Repair, Heating- Repair, Natural Gas

**5 Years**

**CND, LLC dba Cherokee Nation Office Products**

Rt. 3 Box 498

Stilwell, OK 74960

Cherokee Nation

Skills: Computers, Electronics, Office Furniture, Printing

**GW Starr**

P.O. Box 385

Kansas, OK 74347

Gerald Starr- 100% Cherokee

Skills: Excavation, Contracting-General, Construction

**Tahlequah Printing, Co**

110 E. Monroe

Tahlequah, OK 74465

Emma VanVeen-51% Cherokee

Dirk VanVeen-49% Non Indian

Skills: Printing & Supplies

**4 Years**

**Arrowhead Truck Equipment, Inc**

PO Box 459

Bixby, OK 74008

Justin Doak – 51% Cherokee

Kim Doak-49% Non Indian

Skills: Supplies- Automobile, Trucking

**Production Air Services**

9521 B Riverside Dr. # 131  
Tulsa, OK 74137  
Billy Crocker-51% Cherokee  
DeAndre Smith-49% Non Indian  
Skills: Aviation Services, Aerial Photography

**Walkingstick Painting**

RR 2 Box 186  
Westville, OK 74965  
Tom Walkingstick-100% Cherokee  
Skills: Painting- Interior & Exterior

**3 Years**

**Bank of Cherokee County**

125 E. 1<sup>st</sup> Street  
Tahlequah, OK 74464  
Gary Chapman- 55.5% Cherokee  
Susan Plumb-7.5% Cherokee  
William Austin- 27.5% Non Indian  
Harvey Chaffin- 9.5% Non Indian  
Skills: Consulting-Investment, Sales-Insurance, Commercial Bank

**Johnny Ward (Ward Construction)**

Rt. 1 Box 2181  
Stilwell, OK 74960  
Johnny Ward-100% Cherokee  
Skills: Carpentry-General, Construction, Fencing, Flooring, Landscaping

**Towers, Inc.**

4017 HWY 59  
Chetopka, KS 67336  
Rick Lauchner-100% Cherokee  
Skills: Construction, Lawn Work-General, Mowing, Sand Blasting

**2 Years**

**B & B Construction**

P.O. Box 2095  
Tahlequah, OK 74465  
Bill McCause – 100% Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation and  
Santee Sioux  
Skills: Construction Commercial, Construction General, Construction Renovation

**B & T Seal Coating and Striping, LLC**

P.O. Box 703

Jenks, OK 74037

Patricia Pendergrass & Robert Pendergrass, Jr. – 100% Creek

Skills: Asphalt, Striping, Asphalt Seal Coating

**Cherokee Nation Technologies, LLC**

P.O. Box 179

Tahlequah, OK 74464

Cherokee Nation – 100%

Skills: Computers Sales, Telephone Equipment, Video Conferencing Equipment

**D & D Hard Scapes, LLC**

23511 S. Goodnight Lane

Welling, OK 74471

Daniel W. Bullet & Derek Godwin – 100% Cherokee

Skills: Landscaping Material

**Heritage Excavation, Inc**

P.O. Box 339

Beebe, AR 72012

Kendall Barton – 100% Osage

Skills: Excavation Earth, Earth Moving Dozer, Earth Moving Site Preparation

**James Hodge Ford Lincoln Mercury, Inc.**

1200 N. Main

Muskogee, OK 74401

James Hodge – 100% Chickasaw

Skills: Retail Store, Auto Glass, Auto Repair

**McClelland Upholstery**

3017 N. Hico

Siloam Springs, AR 72761

Junior Lee McClelland – 100% Cherokee

Skills: Upholstery Auto, Furniture Home, Furniture Office

**Muskrat Electric**

3744 S. 63<sup>rd</sup> W. Ave.

Tulsa, OK 74107

Chris Muskrat – 100% Cherokee

Skills: Electrical General, Electrical Contractor, Lighting Industrial

**Point 2 Point RF Licensing**

15702 E. 99<sup>th</sup> St. N.

Owasso, OK 74055

Lance Nelms – 100% Cherokee

Skills: Construction General, Computers Networking, Art Graphic

**Thornton Lawn & Exterminating, Inc.**

1830 N. Vinita Ave.

Tahlequah, OK 74464

Joe Don Thornton – 100% Cherokee

Skills: Lawn Work Mowing, Extermination Pest, Extermination Prevention

**Virginia Stroud (Artist)**

717 N. Oklahoma. Ave.

Tahlequah, OK 74464

Cherokee

Skills: Painting, Traditional Art, Acrylic on Canvas and Paper

**1 Year**

**A & A Screen Printing & Embroidery**

P.O. Box 1271

Westville, OK 74965

Adam Collins---100% Cherokee

Skills: Embroidery; Screen Printing

**Imagine That, LLC**

7609 S. 300 Rd.

Wagoner, OK 74467

Randy Wassom---95% Cherokee

Susan Wassom---5% Non-Indian

Skills: Vending Machines

**Jioras Restoration**

HC 68 Box 66

Vian, OK 74962

Teresa Jioras---100% Cherokee

Skills: Cabinets-Trim; Carpentry-General; Construction-Floor Work

**King Arthur's Interiors, LLC**

19501 E. 6<sup>th</sup> St.

Tulsa, OK 74108

Arthur Dee King Jr. & Arthur Dee King III---100% Cherokee

Skills: Ceilings-Drop; Construction-Ceilings; Construction-Renovation

**Mother Earth Eco Remediations**

17814 Co. Rd. 1499

Ada, OK 74820

Michael Roberts---33% Choctaw

Rebecca Roberts---34% Taos Pueblo nation

Tom Brittan---33% Non-Indian

Skills: Floor Cleaning, Grease Inhibitor, Odor Control

**Tier One Lawn & Landscape, LLC**

P.O. Box 1925

Sapulpa, OK 74067

Michael Bilby Jr.---100% Cherokee

Skills: Landscaping-General; Lawn work-Mowing; Landscaping-Rock

**Submitted by:**

Jon Overacker, Director of the TERO/ Date

**Approved by:**

TERO Certification Committee Chair/ Date

**Concurred by:**

S. Diane Kelley, Executive Director/ Date

**CONSENT ITEMS - ROADS**

NONE WERE SUBMITTED FOR CONSENT