Committee: Resource

Date: 8/29/2018 Committee Date: 9/10/2018

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RESOLUTION NO. 45-18

COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A GRANT OF EASEMENT FOR RIGHT OF WAY - USA IN TRUST FOR CHEROKEE NATION TO SEQUOYAH COUNTY FOR A ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT ON DWIGHT MISSION ROAD (I-40 TRACT)

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, Sequoyah County, 117 South Oak Suite 112, Sallisaw, OK 74955, requests a Grant of Easement for Right of Way for a road improvement project on Dwight Mission Road located on United States of America in Trust for Cherokee Nation property known as the I-40 tract, described as Parcel 1.0 of Section 5, Township 11 North, Range 23 East, Sequoyah County, containing 0.05 acres more or less. The complete legal description can be found on the survey which is attached;

WHEREAS, Cherokee Nation will be compensated fair market / appraised value for the grant of easement for right-of-way pursuant to *Title 25 CFR §169.114*;

WHEREAS, 25 CFR § 169 states agreement shall be executed by and between the tribe or legally authorized occupant and the applicant before any work by the applicant may be undertaken for the construction of a Right of Way Easement across tribal land.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION, that the Principal Chief of Cherokee Nation, Bill John Baker, and/or his authorized designee(s) be authorized to enter into the above described grant of easement for right-of-way, in accordance with 25 CFR § 169 and the Bureau of Indian Affairs Policy and Procedure for the grant of easement for right-of-way of land owned by United States of America in Trust for Cherokee Nation.

CERTIFICATION

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the 15th day of October, 2018, having 17 members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of 17 yea; 0 nay; 0 abstaining.

ATTEST:

Frankie Hargis, Secretary

Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this 18 day of October, 2018.

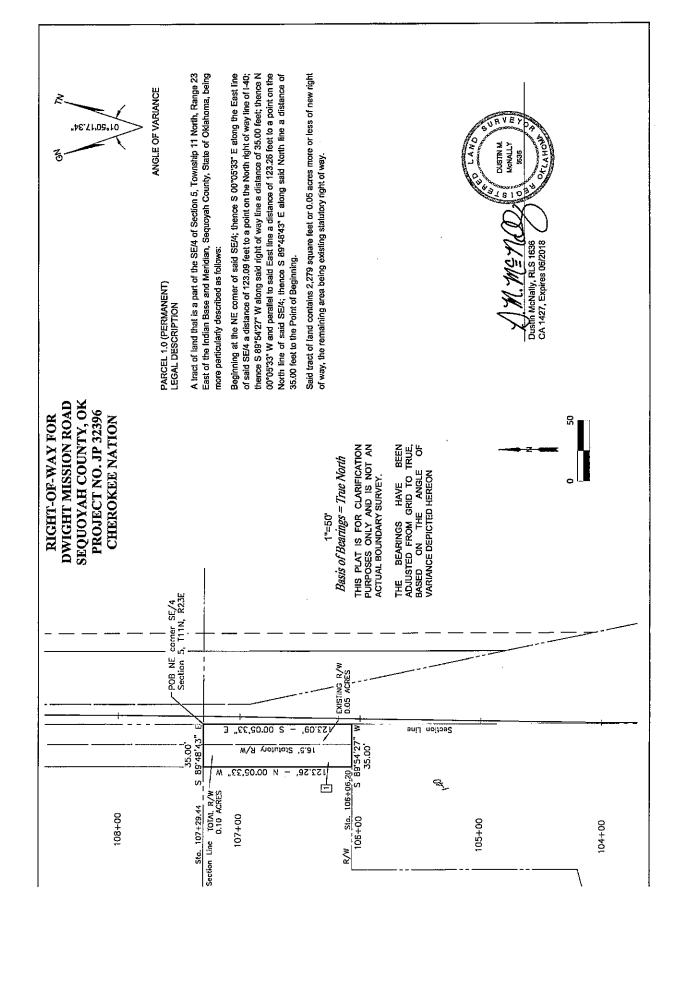
Bill John Baker, Principal Chief

Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:

Chuck Hoskin, Jr., Secretary of State

Cherokee Nation



Administrative Clearance Program/Project Manager Signature/Initial Date Department Director: \$\frac{\lambda 24/\, \lambda \lambda 8 \, \lambda 8

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DEPARTMENT CONTACT: GINGER REEVES

RESOLUTION PRESENTER: GINGER REEVES

SPONSOR:

EO Smith

NARRATIVE:

The request set forth in the attached Resolution is for a grant of easement for Right-of-Way from land held in Trust for Cherokee Nation to Sequoyah County, for a road improvement project on Dwight Mission Road located on United States of America in Trust for Cherokee Nation property known as the I-40 tract, described as Parcel 1.0 of Section 5, Township 11 North, Range 23 East, Sequoyah County, containing 0.05 acres more or less. Cherokee Nation will be compensated fair market value for the easement.

Legislative Clearance

Signature/Initial

Date

Standing Committee:

Next Meeting Date

Signature Initial

Date

IF FURTHER INFORMATION IS NEEDED, PLEASE CONTACT GINGER REEVES, REAL ESTATE SERVICES DIRECTOR, EXT. 5675 OR JOEL BEAN, REALTY SPECIALIST III, EXT. 3697