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RESOLUTION NO. 27-13 b

COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING CHEROKEE CITIZEN CODY WILLIAM WEST

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation since time immemorial has exercised the sovereign rights of self-government in 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, it is always important to recognize the achievements of our Cherokee Nation Citizens who show great skills, accomplishments, and examples for others; and

WHEREAS, Cody William West, a resident of Claremore, Oklahoma, has been a member of the Oklahoma Indian Student Honor Society, the Oklahoma High School Honor Society, and the National Honor Society since 2009; and,

WHEREAS, other High School accomplishments include being a two-time tournament Champion in Vex Robotics, active member of ROTC and many other Claremore High School Activities,

WHEREAS, Cody William West has been accepted into the United States Naval Academy; and, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION, that the Council hereby recognizes Cody William West, a citizen of the Cherokee Nation, for his outstanding accomplishments and for being accepted into the United States Naval Academy.

CERTIFICATION

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the 22^{nd} day of April, 2013, having 17 members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of 17 yea; 0 nay; 0 abstaining.

Tina Glory Jordan, Speaker

Council of the Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:

Jodie Flshinghawk/Secretary
Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this 26th day of April, 2013.

Bill John Baker, Principal Chief

Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:

S. Joe Crittenden, Deputy Principal Chief

Cherokee Nation