

Committee: Resources
Date: 04-03-09 Committee Date: 04-13-09

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RESOLUTION NO. 57-09

COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A PROPOSAL TO THE U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY FOR A CHEROKEE LEAD CERTIFICATION/ACCREDITATION PROGRAM

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 Cherokee Nation operates the Office of Environmental Programs;

WHEREAS, Cherokee Nation desires to develop a Lead Certification/Accreditation Program to certify lead-based paint activities in the Tribal Jurisdiction.


BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION, that the Cherokee Nation Council authorizes Environmental Programs to submit a proposal to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Air Toxics Division: Cherokee Nation Lead Certification/Accreditation Program, and that Chad Smith, Principal Chief (or his designee) shall be authorized to execute all official matters in this regard.

CERTIFICATION


The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the 13th day of April, 2009, having 17 members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of 17 yea; 0 nay; 0 abstaining.


Meredith A. Frailey, Speaker
Council of the Cherokee Nation

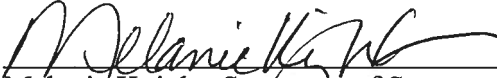
ATTEST:


Don Garvin, Secretary
Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this 14 day of APR, 2009.


Chadwick Smith, Principal Chief
Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:


Melanie Knight, Secretary of State
Cherokee Nation

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Administrative Clearance

Program/Project Manager
SWW 3-19-09
 Signature/Initial Date

Department Director:
Mary Jo 3/17/09
 Signature/Initial Date

Executive Director:
Tom 03/22/09
 Signature/Initial Date

Controller: (If Needed)

Signature/Initial Date

Government Resources Dept:
Lita Mary 4/3/09
 Signature/Initial Date

Administration Approval:
W. Williams 4/3/09
 Signature/Initial Date

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 Act /Resolution Proposal Form**

Act Resolution

TITLE: Cherokee Lead Certification/Accreditation Program

DEPARTMENT CONTACT: Shaun West

RESOLUTION PRESENTER: TOM ELKINS 453-5009

SPONSOR: Curtis Snell

NARRATIVE:

Development of an EPA approved Lead Certification/Accreditation Program in the Office of Environmental Programs with investigation, enforcement and public awareness. This program will ensure that all lead-based paint activities in the Cherokee Nation are conducted by certified individuals using approved methods.

This grant is for \$ 71,708 and there is no match.

Legislative Clearance

Legislative Aide:
Shelli Brittain 4/3/09
 Signature/Initial Date

Standing Committee:
Resource

4-13-09
 Next Meeting Date

Chairperson:
Snell
 Signature/Initial Date

Returned to Presenter: _____
 Date