Committee: Rules

Date: <u>1-11-11</u> Committee Date: <u>1-17-11</u>

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RESOLUTION NO. 03-11

COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CHEROKEE NATION DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILY SERVICES TO DONATE SURPLUS ITEMS TO CLIENT FAMILIES

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 Department of Children, Youth and Family Services has the following surplus used items: wooden computer hutch (72020) two arm chairs (08765 & 08764) a couch (inventory number illegible) Whirlpool dishwasher (no inventory number) 7 sets of twin size sheets, twin size comforter, small charcoal grill (no inventory numbers);

WHEREAS, Cherokee Nation Department of Children, Youth and Family Services has clients who can benefit from these items to improve their family situation;

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation Department of Children, Youth and Family Services strives to provide services to families to prevent the break-up of their families.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION, that the Cherokee Nation Department of Children, Youth and Families may donate the above listed surplus items to client families with whom they work.

CERTIFICATION

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the 17^{th} day of <u>January</u>, 2011, having <u>17</u> members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of <u>17</u> yea; <u>0</u> nay; <u>0</u> abstaining.

ATTEST:

Don Garvin, Secretary

Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this 19th day of JANUARY, 2011.

Chadwick Smith, Principal Chief Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:

Melanie Knight, Secretary of State Cherokee Nation

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Cherokee Nation Act/Resolution Proposal Form

	Act X Resolution		
TITLE:	A Resolution Authorizing the Cherokee Nation Department of Children, Youth and Family Services to donate surplus items to client families.		
DEPARTMENT CONTACT: Linda Woodward, Director			
RESOLUTION PRESENTER: Norma Merriman, Group Leader			
COUNCIL SPONSOR: Harley Buzzard			
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NARRATIVE:

The Cherokee Nation Department of Children, Youth and Family Services has surplus items in storage which are no longer in use by the program. The items are worn or obsolete and no longer useful in the DCYFS facilities, but are fine for use in private settings.

DCYFS strives to provide services to client families to prevent the break-up of their families. The ability to provide obsolete items which would otherwise be dumped to client families in need is another way DCYFS can achieve its mission of providing for families and children.

All items donated to client families will be documented in the client case files upon donation. The items are:

- 1. A wooden computer hutch formerly used to house a large tube TV which has been replaced with a flat-panel TV mounted to the wall in the Family Visitation Room in the Tahlequah DCYFS office. Property Number 72020.
- 2. Two lime green arm chairs which are no longer needed for client seating, but which would provide needed seating in the home of a client. Property Numbers 08765 & 08764.
- 3. A couch formerly used for waiting room seating in the Catoosa DCYFS office. The couch has been replaced with chairs which provide more seating. The couch is more than 12 years old. Property Number tag torn away and missing.
- 4. A Whirlpool dishwasher formerly used at the Youth Shelter, but which does not meet licensing standards. It has been replaced with an industrial model. There is no property tag.
- 5. Assorted bedding from the Youth Shelter, no property tag.
- 6. A charcoal grill which is no longer used by the Youth Shelter. No property number.