

Committee: Education Committee  
Date: 03-29-18      Committee Date: 04-16-18

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**RESOLUTION NO. 17-18**

**COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DEVELOPMENT AND SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR A NATIVE AMERICAN CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION PROGRAM**

**WHEREAS**, the Cherokee Nation since time immemorial has exercised the sovereign rights of self-government on 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 Department of Education, Office of Vocational and Adult Education, is accepting funding applications for programs to increase education levels of adults in vocational technology;

**WHEREAS**, there are many individuals in need of vocational education in order to enter jobs and become self-sufficient;

**WHEREAS**, Career Services is currently utilizing this grant to administer the Business Technology and Child Development Occupations classes; and

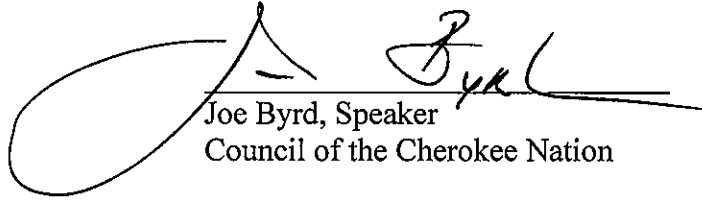
**WHEREAS**, Career Services has both the expertise and experience to develop and operate a high quality, successful program and desires to continue providing these services.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION**, that the Tribal Council hereby authorizes Career Services to develop and submit a grant application to the Department of Education for the Native American Career and Technical Education Program.


**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Principal Chief, Bill John Baker, and/or his designee be authorized to sign documents necessary to submit said Plan on behalf of the Cherokee Nation.

**CERTIFICATION**

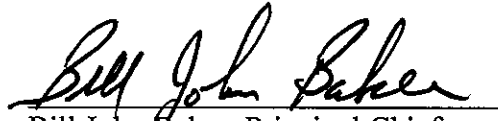
The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2018, having 15 members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of 15 yea; 0 nay; 0 abstaining.

  
Joe Byrd, Speaker  
Council of the Cherokee Nation

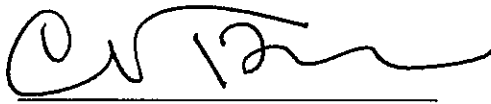
**ATTEST:**

  
Frankie Hargis, Secretary  
Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this 18<sup>th</sup> day of April 2018.

  
Bill John Baker, Principal Chief  
Cherokee Nation

**ATTEST:**

  
Chuck Hoskin Jr., Secretary of State  
Cherokee Nation

# Cherokee Nation Act/Resolution Proposal Form

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A Resolution Authorizing the Development and Submission of a Grant  
Application to the Department of Education for a Native American  
Career and Technical Education Program

**TITLE:**

**DEPARTMENT CONTACT:** Diane Kelley, Executive Director


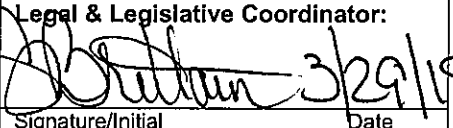
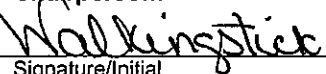
**RESOLUTION PRESENTER:** Diane Kelley, Executive Director

**COUNCIL SPONSOR:** Frankie Hargis

**NARRATIVE:**

Career Services has operated the Native American Career and Technical Education Program (NACTEP) since 1991. We currently utilize these funds to administer the Business Technology and the Child Development Occupations classes. The Child Development Occupations component is administered in partnership with the Cherokee Nation Child Development Center.

This application will be for a three year period, beginning October 1, 2018 and includes a two year extension opportunity. It includes three FTE staff.

<b><u>ADMINISTRATIVE CLEARANCE</u></b>	
<b>Dept/Program:</b> Career Services	
Signature/Initial Diane Kelley <b>Executive Director:</b>	Date
Signature/Initial	Date
<b>Treasurer: (Required: Grants/Contracts/Budgets)</b>	
Signature/Initial	Date
<b>Government Relations:</b>	
Signature/Initial	Date
<b>Administration Approval:</b>	
 3/28/18 Signature/Initial      Date	
<b><u>LEGISLATIVE CLEARANCE:</u></b>	
<b>Legal &amp; Legislative Coordinator:</b>	
 3/29/18 Signature/Initial      Date	
<b>Standing Committee &amp; Date:</b>	
Education 4/16/18	
<b>Chairperson:</b>	
 Signature/Initial      Date	
<b>Returned to Presenter:</b>	
Date	

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