



Council of the Cherokee Nation

Cherokee Nation Complex
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Meeting Minutes - Final COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE

Daryl Legg, Chair

Recording Secretary, Shelli Brittain Coke

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Monday, June 6, 2022

4:00 PM

Tribal Council Offices

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Legg called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

INVOCATION

Councilor Patzkowski gave the invocation.

ROLL CALL

Present 15 - Dora Patzkowski; Joe Deere; Julia Coates; Rex Jordan; Shawn Crittenden; Wes Nofire; Daryl Legg; Candessa Tehee; Mike Dobbins; E. O. "JR." Smith; Mike Shambaugh; Melvina Shotpouch; Victoria Vazquez; Danny Callison and Johnny Kidwell

Absent 1 - Joshua Sam

Late Arrival 1 - Keith Austin

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Councilor Shotpouch made a motion to approve the May minutes. Councilor Crittenden seconded the motion. The motion carried.

REPORTS:

Human Services Department - Jennifer Kirby

Ms. Kirby offered to answer questions from the report provided. She provided flyers for upcoming events. She reminded everyone of their field offices to better serve citizens. Councilor Dobbins inquired when the nutrition centers would be back open serving meals.

Department of Transportation and Infrastructure - Michael Lynn

Mr. Lynn provided updates on the current projects. He also provided an update on the Wilma P. Mankiller/Charlie Soap Water Act. They are also assisting in preparing damage due to recent flooding. Chair Legg inquired if they had been asked to assist

with the washout on Indian Road. Councilor Shambaugh inquired about the status of fire hydrants in Oaks. Councilor Smith commented on gates and fencing issues at Dwight Mission.

Public Comments: Road Issues - Michael Lynn

Housing Services - Jerri Killer

Ms. Killer offered to answer questions from the report provided. She announced the emergency after hours crews are running and can be reached at the regular HACN number. The Homebuyer Assistance Mortgage Program application is now available. Councilor Shotpouch gave appreciation to their quick reaction to a recent situation.

OLD BUSINESS

None pending.

NEW BUSINESS

1. [22-044](#) A RESOLUTION APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2023 INDIAN HOUSING PLAN TO THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT
Councilor Deere moved to approve. Councilor Crittenden seconded the motion. Councilor Patzkowski requested to be added as a sponsor. The motion to approve carried with a request to move forward to Council this evening.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ADJOURNMENT

Councilor Patzkowski moved to adjourn. Councilor Shambaugh seconded the motion. The motion carried at 4:10 p.m.

STAFF PRESENT:

<i>Taralee Montgomery</i>	<i>Albany Adair</i>	<i>Camerin Fite James</i>
<i>Erna Reeves</i>	<i>Jerri Killer</i>	<i>Jennifer Kirby</i>
<i>Michael Lynn</i>		

VISITORS PRESENT:

<i>John Young</i>	<i>Teddy Snell</i>
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