

Committee: Executive & Finance Committee  
Date: 06-08-10 Committee Date: 06-24-10

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**RESOLUTION NO. 66-10**

## **COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION**

### **A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CAREER SERVICES TO DEVELOP AND SUBMIT A THREE-YEAR PLAN FOR PL 102-477 PROGRAM ACTIVITIES**

**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 has elected to combine the Workforce Investment Act programs with the Child Care and Development programs into a single plan under PL 102-477;

**WHEREAS**, the current PL 102-477 plan expires September 30, 2010;

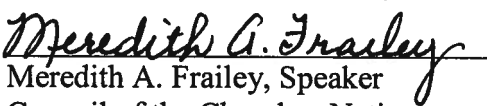
**WHEREAS**, the Cherokee Nation wishes to continue to provide employment and training and related services in a coordinated manner.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION**, that Career Services is hereby authorized to develop and submit a three-year plan for PL 102-477 program activities; and


**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Principal Chief, Chad Smith, and/or his designee be authorized to sign documents necessary to submit said application 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 12<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2010, having 15 members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of 15 yea; 0 nay; 0 abstaining.

  
Meredith A. Frailey, Speaker  
Council of the Cherokee Nation

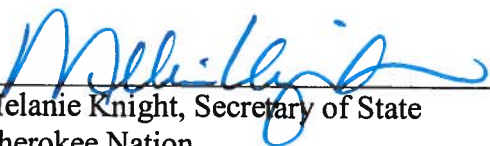
**ATTEST:**

  
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Don Garvin, Secretary  
Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this 16th day of July, 2010.

  
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Chadwick Smith, Principal Chief  
Cherokee Nation

**ATTEST:**

  
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Melanie Knight, Secretary of State  
Cherokee Nation

The 477 Three-Year Plan covers the goals and objectives we expect to accomplish over the next three years. It is submitted to the lead agency, DOI once every three years for approval. We expect no major changes from the past two plans submitted.

Public Law 102-477 is the Indian Employment, Training, and Related Services Demonstration Act of 1992, as amended by Public Law 106-568, the Omnibus Indian Advancement Act of 2000. Public Law 102-477 is unique among Federal legislation, in that it allows Federally-recognized Tribes and Alaska Native entities to combine formula-funded Federal grants funds, which are employment and training-related into a single plan with a single budget and a single reporting system.

Participation in the demonstration is completely voluntary. The lead Federal agency for this inter-Departmental demonstration is the Department of the Interior (DOI), Office of Indian Energy & Economic Development. Formula-funded programs in the Bureau of Indian Affairs, the Department of Labor, the Department of Health and Human Services, and the Department of Education are involved.

The Cherokee Nation has chosen to include the Department of Labor's Workforce Investment Act Programs and the Department of Health and Human Services Child Care and Development Block Grant Programs in the PL 102-477 Plan.

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**Administrative Clearance**

Program/Project Manager

Signature/Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Department Director:

Signature/Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Group Leader:

Signature/Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Controller: (If Needed)

Signature/Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Government Resources Dept:

Signature/Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Administration Approval:

Signature/Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Legislative Clearance**

Legislative Aide:

Signature/Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Standing Committee:

Signature/Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Next Meeting Date

Chairperson:

Signature/Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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**Cherokee Nation  
Act /Resolution Proposal Form**

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Resolution

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DEPARTMENT CONTACT: S. Diane Kelley

RESOLUTION PRESENTER: S. Diane Kelley

SPONSOR: \_\_\_\_\_

**NARRATIVE:**

*(See Attached Outline for Information Needed)*

- I. The three-year PL 102-477 plan outlines the activities associated with providing employment and training and related services activities to participants. PL 102-477 allows us to combine various programs into one plan, one budget, and one report, decreasing administrative burden.
- II. Funding Amount: ~ \$9,000,000  
There is **no** match required  
Plan activities begin October 1, 2010
- III. Career Services and Human Services Child Care Resource Center  
Staffing is already in place  
No outsourcing or outside contracting will be done  
Space and location will remain the same as current  
The Service Area will remain the same as current
- IV. Lynn Forcia of the BIA Self Governance Office is our federal agency contact