

Committee: Rules  
Date: 9-12-14 Committee Date: 9-25-14

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Sponsors: T. Glory Jordan, J. Fishinghawk, J. Fullbright,  
J. Byrd

**RESOLUTION NO. 66-14**

## **COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION**

### **A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF T. LUKE BARTEAUX AS AN EDITORIAL BOARD MEMBER OF THE CHEROKEE PHOENIX**

**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 Free and Independent Press for the Cherokee Nation, Editorial Board was created and authorized by Legislative Act 16-09;

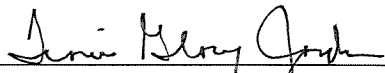
**WHEREAS**, T. Luke Barteaux is nominated by Principal Chief Bill John Baker to serve a six-year term as an Editorial Board Member of the Cherokee Phoenix from October 31, 2014 through October 31, 2020, as authorized by Legislative Act 16-09; and

**WHEREAS**, T. Luke Barteaux is duly qualified to fill this vacancy pursuant to the laws of the Cherokee Nation.

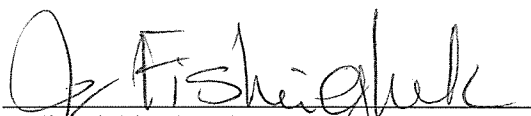
**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION**, that T. Luke Barteaux is hereby confirmed as a Board Member of the Editorial Board of the Cherokee Phoenix for a six-year term effective October 31, 2014 through October 31, 2020 as authorized by Legislative Act 16-09, the Act of June 15, 2009.

### **CERTIFICATION**

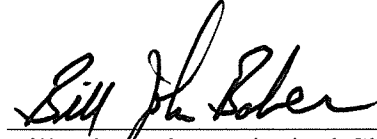
The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2014, having 16 members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of 14 yea; 1 nay; 1 abstaining.

  
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Tina Glory Jordan, Speaker  
Council of the Cherokee Nation

**ATTEST:**

  
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Jodie Fishinghawk, Secretary  
Council of the Cherokee Nation

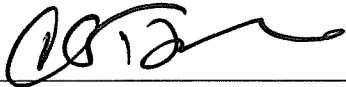
Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this 27<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2014.



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Bill John Baker, Principal Chief  
Cherokee Nation

**ATTEST:**



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Chuck Hoskin, Jr., Secretary of State  
Cherokee Nation

**T. Luke Barteaux**  
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**Education**

- Juris Doctor from the University of Tulsa
- Bachelors of Public Affairs and Administration from the University of Oklahoma

**Work History**

- 2012-Present **Oklahoma Bar Association**  
Editorial Board Member for the Family Law Section Practice Manual
- 2011-Present **Fry, Elder & Henry, Tulsa, OK**  
Attorney practicing general civil trial work, family law, appellate work, and representing several corporate clients.
- 2009-2011 **M. Shane Henry Law Office, PLLC, Tulsa, OK**  
Legal Clerk. Legal Research, writing.
- 2009 **Cherokee Nation Enterprises: Catoosa, OK**  
Cherokee Hill's Golf Club.
- 2008-2009 **Cherokee Nation Enterprises: Catoosa, OK**  
Players Club Representative.
- 2008 **Peak Up Time: Tulsa, OK**  
Tech Support for installation of educational technology in eastern Oklahoma schools.
- 2004-2007 **Cherokee Nation Enterprises: Catoosa, OK**  
Cherokee Hill's Golf Club.
- 2005 **Houston Huffman Center: Norman, OK**  
Supervised student and staff use of facility.

**Licenses to Practice Law:**

- All courts of the State of Oklahoma
- United States Federal District Court for the Eastern District Court of Oklahoma
- Muscogee Creek Nation

**Memberships and Service:**

- American Bar Association: Family Law Section
- Oklahoma Bar Association (OBA): OBA Native American Law Section; OBA Family Law Section: Executive Board member, 2015 Continuing Legal Education Co-Chair, Practice Manual Committee and Editorial Board Member, Editing and Publication Subcommittee, Marketing Chair; and the OBA Rules of Professional Conduct Committee
- Tulsa County Bar Association: Family Law and Alternative Dispute Resolution Sections
- Re-founding member of the Alpha Tau Omega (ATO) Fraternity at the University of Oklahoma, and served on the Social Services, and Housing Board Committees.
- ATO Alumni Relations Chairman: wrote and published the alumni newsletter
- Pro Bono legal work

# Cherokee Nation Act/Resolution Proposal Form

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**TITLE: A RESOLUTION Confirming the Appointment of T. LUKE BARTEAUX as Member of the Cherokee Nation Editorial Board.**

<b><u>ADMINISTRATIVE CLEARANCE</u></b>	
Dept/Program:	
Signature/Initial	Date
Group Leader:	
Signature/Initial	Date
Finance (if needed):	
Signature/Initial	Date
Government Resources:	
Signature/Initial	Date
Administration Approval:	
	9-12-14
Signature/Initial	Date

DEPARTMENT CONTACT: Principal Chief Bill John Baker

RESOLUTION PRESENTER: Principal Chief Bill John Baker

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

The Free and Independent Press for the Cherokee Nation, Editorial Board was created and authorized by Legislative Act 16-09;

A board position is coming open in October and the Principal Chief is authorized to fill this board seat subject to majority vote of the Council of the Cherokee Nation;

T. Luke Barteaux is duly qualified to serve a term beginning October 31, 2014 through October 31, 2020.

<b><u>LEGISLATIVE CLEARANCE:</u></b>	
Legal & Legislative Coordinator:	
	9/12/14
Signature/Initial	Date
Standing Committee & Date:	
Rules 9/25/14	
Chairperson:	
Byrd	
Signature/Initial	Date
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