



Council of the Cherokee Nation

Agenda - Final

RULES COMMITTEE

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Monday, January 22, 2024

11:00 AM

Tribal Council Offices

CALL TO ORDER

INVOCATION

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

December 11, 2023 - Regular session

REPORTS:

Marshal Service - Shannon Buhl

Office of the Attorney General - Chad Harsha

FOIA-GRA - Gwen Terrapin

Election Commission - Marcus Fears

Tax Commission - Sharon Swepston

Self-Governance - Ashawna Miles

Gaming Commission - Janice Purcell

Human Resources - Samantha Hendricks

OLD BUSINESS

None pending.

NEW BUSINESS

1. [24-002](#) A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF DWIGHT BIRDWELL AS MEMBER OF THE CHEROKEE NATION GAMING COMMISSION
Sponsors: Mike Shambaugh, Kevin Easley, Johnny Kidwell, Dora Patzkowski and Victoria Vazquez

2. [24-003](#) A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF JANICE PURCELL TO THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE CHEROKEE NATION
Sponsors: Candessa Tehee, Melvina Shotpouch, Lisa Hall, Daryl Legg, Codey Poindexter, E. O. "JR." Smith and Victoria Vazquez

3. [24-004](#) AN ACT AMENDING TITLE 20 OF THE CHEROKEE NATION CODE ANNOTATED
Sponsors: Mike Shambaugh, Victoria Vazquez, Daryl Legg, E. O. "JR." Smith, Kevin Easley and Candessa Tehee

4. [24-005](#) THE DURBIN FEELING LANGUAGE PRESERVATION ACT - 2024 PERMENANT REAUTHORIZATION
Sponsors: Candessa Tehee, Mike Shambaugh, Dora Patzkowski, Victoria Vazquez, Codey Poindexter, Joshua Sam and Melvina Shotpouch

5. [24-006](#) A COMPREHENSIVE CHEROKEE NATION EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP ACT
Sponsors: Candessa Tehee, Mike Shambaugh, Victoria Vazquez, Joshua Sam, Daryl Legg, Kevin Easley and Codey Poindexter

6. [TMP-409](#) FOR DISCUSSION ONLY - NATIONAL CONGRESS OF AMERICAN INDIANS (NCAI) UPDATE
Sponsors: Joe Deere, Mike Shambaugh, Daryl Legg, Danny Callison and Dora Patzkowski

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next meeting is tentatively scheduled for Thursday, February 29th at 1:00 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT