

Committee: Resources
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RESOLUTION NO. 48-18

COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

**A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE COORDINATING COUNCIL ON POULTRY
GROWTH WITH THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

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 Cherokee Nation has long acknowledged its role as a steward of the lands and environment that all of the citizens of northeast Oklahoma share;

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation has many citizens engaged in agriculture, and many citizens concerned about the potential impact of some agricultural practices on the air, water and lands located within the Cherokee Nation;

WHEREAS, water and air pollution easily cross the jurisdictional boundaries between the Cherokee Nation and the State of Oklahoma and actions taken within one jurisdiction can have tremendous impacts on citizens living in bordering states or bordering tribes;

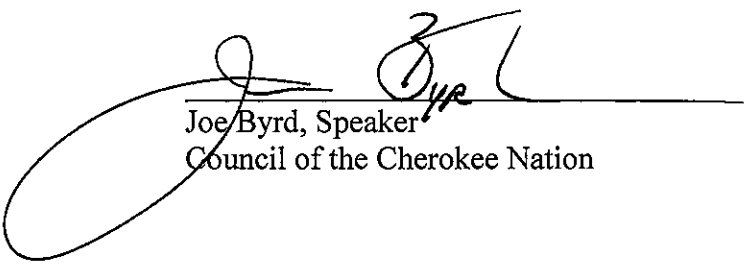
WHEREAS, many property owners, poultry producers, poultry integrators, state/tribal agencies and other stakeholders each have a need and desire for a sustainable agricultural industry that is supported by local landowners and communities and not harmful to the environment;

WHEREAS, the Principal Chief and the Governor of the State of Oklahoma have agreed to each appoint a co-chair for a Coordinating Council on Poultry Growth to listen to the concerns of impacted property owners, poultry integrators, poultry producers, environmentalists and other stakeholders and propose solutions that will benefit individuals and businesses located throughout the Cherokee Nation;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION, that the Tribal Council hereby expressly authorizes and fully supports the creation of a Cherokee Nation/State of Oklahoma Coordinating Council on Poultry Production that will examine the expansion of poultry production within the Nation's jurisdiction, the environmental and quality of life issues created or exacerbated by that expansion, and make recommendations to the different governments, government agencies, local

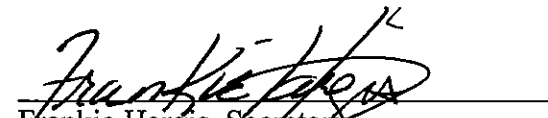
CERTIFICATION

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the 15th day of October, 2018, having 17 members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of 17 yea; 0 nay; 0 abstaining.



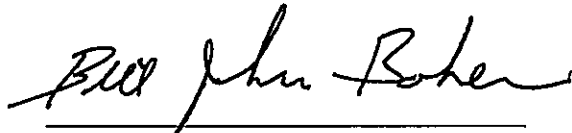
Joe Byrd, Speaker
Council of the Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:




Frankie Hargis, Secretary
Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this 18 day of October, 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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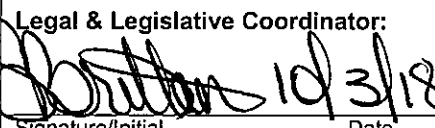
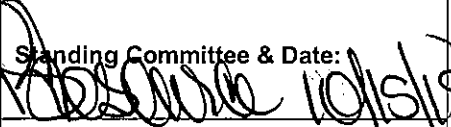
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DEPARTMENT CONTACT: _____

RESOLUTION PRESENTER: _____

COUNCIL SPONSOR: Mike Shambaugh

NARRATIVE:

<u>ADMINISTRATIVE CLEARANCE</u>	
Dept/Program:	
Signature/Initial	Date
Executive Director:	
Signature/Initial	Date
Treasurer: (Required: Grants/Contracts/Budgets)	
Signature/Initial	Date
Government Relations:	
Signature/Initial	Date
Administration Approval:  10/2/18	
Signature/Initial	Date
<u>LEGISLATIVE CLEARANCE:</u>	
Legal & Legislative Coordinator:  10/3/18	
Signature/Initial	Date
Standing Committee & Date:  10/15/18	
Chairperson:	