

RESOLUTION NO. 54-07

COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DEVELOPMENT AND SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR A NATIVE AMERICAN CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

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 Department of Education, Office of Vocational and Adult Education, is accepting funding applications for programs to increase education levels of adults in vocational technology;

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation has operated an adult vocational education program funded through this office since 1991;


WHEREAS, there are many individuals in need of vocational education in order to enter jobs and become self-sufficient;

WHEREAS, Career Services has both the expertise and experience to develop and operate a high quality, successful program and desires to continue providing these services.


BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION, that the Council hereby authorizes Career Services to develop and submit a grant application to the Department of Education for a Native American Career and Technical Education Program.

CERTIFICATION


The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the 14th day of May, 2007, having 17 members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of 17 yea; 0 nay; 0 abstaining.


Meredith A. Frailey, Speaker
Council of the Cherokee Nation

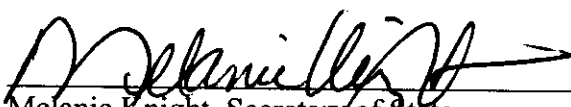
ATTEST:


Don Garvin, Secretary
Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and this 21st day of May, 2007.


Chadwick Smith, Principal Chief
Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:


Melanie Knight, Secretary of State
Cherokee Nation