Committee: Resource

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RESOLUTION NO. 24-12

COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DONATION OF A 25' FLAG POLE FOR THE PROCTOR CEMETERY LOCATED IN PROCTOR, OKLAHOMA

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation since time immemorial has exercised the sovereign rights of self-government in behalf of the Cherokee people and;

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 and;

WHEREAS, the Cherokee Nation, has one (1) 25' flag pole that is surplus to the needs of the Cherokee Nation and,

WHEREAS, the Proctor Cemetery located in Proctor, Oklahoma is in need of the flag pole to honor the veteran's in their final resting place, the majority of whom were Cherokee citizens.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION, that the Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation, Bill John Baker, and/or his authorized designee(s) be authorized to execute the donation of one (1) 25' flag pole to the Proctor Cemetery located in Proctor, Oklahoma.

CERTIFICATION

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the <u>23rd</u> day of <u>February</u>, 2012, having <u>13</u> members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of <u>13</u> yea; <u>0</u> nay; <u>0</u> abstaining.

Tina Glory-Jordan, Speaker Council of the Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:

Jodie Fishinghawk, Secretary
Council of the Cherokee Nation

Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this <u>28th</u> day of <u>Jehruay</u>, 2012.

Bill John Baker, Principal Chief

Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:

Charles Head, Secretary of State

Cherokee Nation