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## **RESOLUTION NO. 23-12**

## COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DONATION OF THREE SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUSES AND A STOKES BASKET TO THE MID-COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT LOCATED IN ADAIR COUNTY, 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 three (3) Self-Contained Breathing Apparatuses and one (1) Stokes Basket that are surplus to the needs of the Cherokee Nation Emergency Medical Services and,

WHEREAS, the Mid-County Fire Department located in Adair County, Oklahoma, provides county-wide fire protection services for all citizens, the majority of whom are 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 three (3) Self-Contained Breathing Apparatuses and one (1) Stokes Basket to the Mid-County Fire Department in Adair County, Oklahoma.

## **CERTIFICATION**

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the  $\underline{23rd}$  day of  $\underline{February}$ , 2012, having  $\underline{13}$  members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of  $\underline{13}$  yea;  $\underline{0}$  nay;  $\underline{0}$  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 28th	day of Jehruan	, 2012.
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Bill John Baker, Principal Chief

Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:

Charles Head, Secretary of State

Cherokee Nation