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RESOLUTION NO. 101-12

COUNCIL OF THE CHEROKEE NATION

A RESOLUTION ALLOWING CHEROKEE NATION TO WORK WITH THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, NATIONAL AGRICULTURE STATISTICAL SERVICE (NASS)

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 USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) conducts hundreds of surveys every year and prepares reports covering virtually every aspect of U.S. agriculture;

WHEREAS, Cherokee Nation can conduct the census of Cherokee citizens and apply for funding from the USDA for conducted said census;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION, that Cherokee Nation may pursue opportunities with the USDA to conduct a census for the National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) and may apply for any funding that may be available for conducting said census.

CERTIFICATION

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the Cherokee Nation at a duly called meeting on the 13^{th} day of November, 2012, having 16 members present, constituting a quorum, by the vote of 16 yea; 0 nay; 0 abstaining.

ATTEST:

Jodie/Fis/linghawk, Secretary
Council of the Cherokee Nation

Tina Glory-Jordan, Speaker Council of the Cherokee Nation Approved and signed by the Principal Chief this 10th day of November 2012.

Bill John Baker, Principal Chief

Cherokee Nation

ATTEST:

Charles Head, Secretary of State

Cherokee Nation

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NARRATIVE:

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