



# Council of the Cherokee Nation

Cherokee Nation Complex  
17675 S. Muskogee Ave.  
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## Meeting Minutes - Final COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE

*Dick Lay, Chair*

*Recording Secretary, Shelli Brittain*

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Monday, February 12, 2018

4:00 PM

Tribal Council Offices

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### CALL TO ORDER

**Chair Lay called the meeting to order at 4:16 p.m.**

### INVOCATION

**Councilor Vazquez gave the invocation.**

### ROLL CALL

**Present** 15 - Dick Lay; Rex Jordan; Wanda Hatfield; Shawn Crittenden; Buel Anglen; Bryan Warner ; Keith Austin; Joe Byrd; Mike Dobbins; Frankie Hargis ; Mike Shambaugh; Mary Baker Shaw; E. O. "JR." Smith; Janees Taylor and Victoria Vazquez

**Late Arrival** 2 - David Walkingstick and Harley Buzzard

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

**Councilor Hargis moved to approve the January 16th regular session minutes as submitted. Councilor Jordan seconded the motion. The motion carried.**

### REPORTS:

Human Services Department - Marsha Lamb

*Ms. Lamb offered to answer questions from the report provided. Councilor Buzzard inquired if the guidelines had been changed in the elder program.*

Community Services - Ron Qualls

*Ms. Regina Compelube offered to answer questions on behalf of Mr. Qualls.*

Roads & Transportation - Michael Lynn

*Ms. Compelube offered to answer questions from the roads report provided. Councilor Buzzard requested an update on the road in liquidated damages.*

Housing Services - Gary Cooper

*Mr. Cooper was not available to report.*

Public Comments: Road Issues - Michael Lynn

Commerce Housing Report - Anna Knight

*Ms. Knight provided information pertaining to the income tax preparation program along with locations. She offered to answer questions from the report provided.*

Indian Child Welfare - Nikki Baker Limore

*Ms. Limore offered to answer questions from the report provided. Councilor Taylor requested clarification on a graph within the report. Councilor Buzzard inquired about kids being placed with grandparents. Councilor Hatfield inquired about the collection of the hygiene items for the kids.*

Community & Cultural Outreach - Rob Daugherty

*Mr. Daugherty reported on the volunteer groups that come to the tribe each year.*

#### OLD BUSINESS

*None pending.*

#### NEW BUSINESS

*None pending.*

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### ADJOURNMENT

**Councilor Hargis moved to adjourn. Councilor Jordan seconded the motion.  
The motion carried at 4:35 p.m.**

#### STAFF PRESENT:

<i>Marsha Lamb</i>	<i>Rob Daugherty</i>	<i>Anna Knight</i>
<i>Tammy Dry</i>	<i>Courtney Jordan</i>	<i>Bill John Baker</i>
<i>Canaan Duncan</i>	<i>Nikki Baker Limore</i>	

#### VISITORS PRESENT:

<i>Tahlina Nofire Blakestad</i>	<i>Teddy Snell</i>
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