



# Council of the Cherokee Nation

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### **A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO ADMINISTER A GRANT IN PARTNERSHIP WITH COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS**

**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 Cherokee Nation has a responsibility to promote the well being of its citizens;

**WHEREAS**, the Cherokee Nation covers a huge geographic area extending over 14 counties in Northeast Oklahoma;

**WHEREAS**, much of the Cherokee population is organized into rural communities that are distinct and unique;

**WHEREAS**, the building of strong communities requires a partnership among communities and the Cherokee Nation;

**WHEREAS**, the Cherokee Nation is committed to providing training and technical assistance to community organizations in order to encourage the establishment and operation of services and activities at the community level;

**WHEREAS**, Health & Human Services (HHS) has available a program of training and technical assistance, including sub-awards to community organizations to strengthen their infrastructure, that would allow the tribe to provide such training and technical assistance to community organizations;

**WHEREAS**, HHS requires applicants to provide a 20% match above the grant amount;

**WHEREAS**, the Council supports leadership in Cherokee communities in their work to grow and serve their communities.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION**, that the Council does commit the use of \$100,000 of tribal monies to match HHS funds and endorses the application for a grant to service community organizations.