



# Council of the Cherokee Nation

Cherokee Nation Tribal  
Council  
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## Legislation Text

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**A RESOLUTION ALLOWING CHEROKEE NATION TO BEGIN THE APPROVAL PROCESSES FOR LEASES OF LAND AT CHILOCCO TO THE CHILOCCO WIND PARK, LLC TO EVALUATE AND DEVELOP A WIND FARM**

**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**, Cherokee Nation Businesses (CNB) has conducted feasibility studies, transmission studies, and environmental studies pursuing the installation of a wind farm at Chilocco, and received grants from U.S. DOE and U.S. DOI-EMDP for the same;

**WHEREAS**, Cherokee Nation Real Estate Services wishes to begin to lease processes to allow Chilocco Wind Park, LLC continue to evaluate and develop a Wind Farm at Chilocco.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CHEROKEE NATION**, that Cherokee Nation recommends approval of the Wind Energy Evaluation Lease and the Wind Resource Lease to the Chilocco Wind Park, LLC for the development of the wind farm.