

Muscogee (Creek) National Council AGENDA QUARTERLY SESSION

January 25, 2025 10:00 a.m.

Auditorium – Mound Building – Capitol Complex

Call to Order	Speaker Randall Hicks
Hymn	Miss Muscogee (Creek) Nation Janaya McIntosh
Invocation	Jr. Miss Muscogee (Creek) Nation Olivia Beaver
Roll Call	National Council Secretary Alicia Stroble

STATE OF THE NATION ADDRESS Principal Chief, David W. Hill

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Approved 14-0-1

Planning Session	December 10, 2024
Pre-Agenda/Regular Session	December 14, 2024
Emergency Session	December 27, 2024
Emergency Session	December 30, 2024

ORDER OF BUSINESS:

Adopted

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Next Meeting

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A TRIBAL RESOLUTION OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION TR 25-001

AMENDING TR 24-079 (A TRIBAL RESOLUTION OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AUTHORIZING THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF TO APPLY FOR GRANT FUNDS FROM THE ADMINISTRATION FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES OFFICE OF HEAD START AND COMMIT A TRIBAL

MATCH) Sponsor: Mary Crawford

A TRIBAL RESOLUTION OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION TR 25-002

> AUTHORIZING THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS AND THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Sponsor: Leonard Gouge

A TRIBAL RESOLUTION OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION TR 25-003

> AUTHORIZING THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS TO EXECUTE A UTILITY RIGHT-OF-WAY AGREEMENT WITH PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF OKLAHOMA ASSOCIATED WITH THE CONSTRUCTION OF A PROJECT IN WAGONER COUNTY Sponsor: Mark Randolph; Co-

Sponsor: Charles McHenry

A TRIBAL RESOLUTION OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION TR 25-005 ADOPTING AN UPDATED PROCUREMENT POLICY FOR THE **Postponed Until** EXPENDITURE OF INDIAN HOUSING BLOCK GRANT FUNDS Sponsor:

Charles McHenry

A TRIBAL RESOLUTION OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION TR 25-006 ADOPTING AN UPDATED EMERGENCY REPAIR OF PRIVATELY

OWNED HOMES POLICY OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION

DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING Sponsor: Galen Cloud

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TR 25-009 A TRIBAL RESOLUTION OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION

Postponed AUTHORIZING THE RENOVATION/CONSTRUCTION OF A SMOKE SHOP FOR THE CHECOTAH INDIAN COMMUNITY Sponsor: Darrell Proctor; Co-Sponsor: Galen Cloud

NCA 25-001 A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF GRANT FUNDS AWARDED FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION 2025 SUMMER EBT PROGRAM Sponsor: Mary Crawford (\$2,025,024.00)

NCA 25-002 A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF GRANT FUNDS AWARDED FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION 2025 SUMMER EBT PROGRAM Sponsor: Mary Crawford (\$1,100,000.00)

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ALAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF GRANT FUNDS AWARDED FROM DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE ADMINISTRATION CENTER FOR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES, NATIVE CONNECTIONS PROJECT FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH Sponsor: Mary Crawford (\$250,000.00)

NCA 25-004 A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF GRANT FUNDS AWARDED FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES Sponsor: Galen Cloud (\$87,955.00)

NCA 25-005 A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AUTHORIZING A SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR THE COST OF NECESSARY MEASURES RELATED TO THE PROTECTION OF THE MUSCOGEE SACRED SITE OF HICKORY GROUND NEAR WETUMPKA, ALABAMA Sponsor: Darrell Proctor; Co-Sponsor: Galen Cloud (\$450,000.00)

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NCA 25-008 A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF GRANT FUNDS AWARDED FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES ADMINISTRATION FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE HEAD START PROGRAM Sponsor: Leonard Gouge (\$2,969,280.00)

NCA 25-009 A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF GRANT FUNDS AWARDED FROM THE U.S.

Adopted DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE LIGHTHORSE POLICE DEPARTMENT (\$168,427.00) Sponsor: Nelson Harjo Sr. (\$168,427.00)

NCA 25-010 A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS FUND ASSISTANCE AGREEMENT GRANT FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE MVSKOKE LOAN FUND Sponsor: Nelson Harjo Sr. (\$1,265,000.00)

NCA 25-011 A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AMENDING MCNCA Adopted
TITLE 26, CHAPTER 2, § 2-201.E, ENTITLED "Compensation" Sponsor:
Randall Hicks

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BENEDICTION:

NCA 25-012 A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF GRANT FUNDS AWARDED FROM THE INDIAN **Adopted** HEALTH SERVICE, HIV/HCV/SYPHILIS EPIDEMIC PROJECT GRANT

15-0 Sponsor: Mary Crawford (\$186,507.00)

NCA 25-013 A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AUTHORIZING THE

EXPENDITURE OF THE NATIONAL PARK SERVICE TRIBAL HISTORIC Adopted PRESERVATION OFFICE (THPO) GRANT FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE 15-0 HISTORIC AND CULTURAL PRESERVATION DEPARTMENT Sponsor: Galen Cloud (\$97,491.00)

NCA 25-015 A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AUTHORIZING LITIGATION TO BE FILED IN FEDERAL COURT IN THE NAME OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION SEEKING DECLARATORY AND INJUNCTIVE AGAINST AND RELIEF STATE MUNICIPAL **Adopted** 15-0

GOVERNMENTS AND **OFFICIALS EXERCISING** UNLAWFUL JURISDICTION WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION RESERVATION AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THIS ACTION Sponsor: Randall Hicks (\$500,000.00)

NCA 25-016 A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION CREATING NEW LAW IN MCNCA TITLE 30 CHAPTER 2, ENTITLED "LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS" **Adopted** TO NAME THE OKFUSKEE DISTRICT BOUNDARY JURISDICTION TO 15-0 AKFVSKE DISTRICT Sponsor: Sandra Golden

NCA 25-018 A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AMENDING MCNCA TITLE 16 § 1-107, ENTITLED "Legitimate purposes for commissions to fill vacancies" AND § 1-108, ENTITLED "Commissions no substitution for joint approval of appointments" AND CREATING NEW SUBSECTION, **Adopted** ENTITLED "Nominations" in MCNCA TITLE 16, CHAPTER 1, ENTITLED 15-0 "ORGANIZATION OF THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF" Sponsor: Dode Barnett; Co-Sponsor(s): Galen Cloud; Mary Crawford;

Joyce C. Deere; Patrick Freeman Jr.; Sandra Golden; Nelson Harjo Sr.; Randall Hicks; Robert Hufft; Anna Marshall; Charles McHenry; Thomasene Yahola Osborn;

Darrell Proctor; Mark Randolph; and Robyn Whitecloud

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