

NINTH LEGISLATURE
OF THE
CHEYENNE AND ARAPAHO TRIBES
1ST Regular Session
January 8, 2022
Large Conference Room, Concho, OK

RESOLUTION: A Resolution to Elect Bruce Whiteman Jr. as the Assistant Speaker of the Ninth Legislature.

RESOLUTION NO: 9L-RS-2022-01-002

DATE INTRODUCED: December 6, 2021

LEGISLATOR SPONSOR: Kendrick Sleeper, A2 District

LEGISLATOR CO-SPONSOR: Bruce Whiteman, C1 District

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

[NOTE: Except as otherwise noted, the provisions of this Resolution, was enacted into Law by the Ninth Legislature of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes in the 1ST Regular Session, by a roll call vote on January 8, 2022 by Resolution No. 9L-RS-2022-01-002].

SUBJECT: A Resolution to Elect Bruce Whiteman Jr. as the Assistant Speaker of the Ninth Legislature.

WHEREAS: Whereas, the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes are duly recognized by the United States Secretary of the Interior as a self-governing, Sovereign Nation, that is a federally recognized Indian Tribe with all rights, privileges, and powers attended thereto as a sovereign government, and organized in accordance with Title 25 of the United States Code, Section 450, the "Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act," and Article XVII of the Tribe's Constitution and By-Laws and Section 3 of the Oklahoma Indian Welfare Act of June 26, 1936 (49 Stat. 1967), under an amended Constitution ratified on August, 2006 and approved by the Secretary of Interior on May 17, 2006; and

WHEREAS: Article VI, Section 5, subsection (a) of the Constitution requires that all actions by the Legislature shall be embodied in a written Law or Resolution; and

WHEREAS: Article VI, Section 5, subsection (a) of the Constitution requires that all actions by the Legislature shall made by a majority vote of the Legislators present unless otherwise specifically indicated by this Constitution; and

WHEREAS: Article VI, Section 5, subsection (a) of the Constitution requires that tie votes in the Legislature shall be decided by the Governor; and

WHEREAS: Article VI, Section 5, subsection (a) of the Constitution requires laws and resolutions which have been enacted shall remain valid until amended or repealed; and

WHEREAS: Article VI, Section 5, subsection (c) of the Constitution provides that the Legislature shall have the power to set its own procedures consistent with the Constitution; and

WHEREAS: Resolution 8L-RS-2021-09-007 – A Resolution to adopt Legislative procedures for the Legislature of the Legislative Branch provides that the Legislature shall convene in Concho, Oklahoma on the second Saturday, every two-years to vote in a new Assistant Speaker of the Legislature by Resolution; and

WHEREAS: The Ninth Legislature at its first Regular Session on January 8, 2022 held an election for the Assistant Speaker; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Ninth Legislature of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes pursuant to Resolution 8L-RS-2021-09-007 does hereby select Bruce Whiteman Jr. as the Assistant Speaker from among its members.

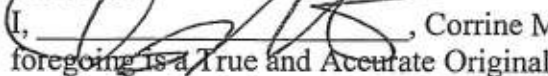
A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Travis Ruiz", is written over a horizontal line.

Travis Ruiz

Speaker of the Ninth Legislature

Ninth Legislature of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes

ATTEST:

I, , Corrine Morton, Legislative Staff, hereby certify that the foregoing is a True and Accurate Original Resolution No. 9L-RS-2022-01-002 which was acted upon by the Legislature of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes in the Ninth Legislature 1ST Regular Session, by a roll call vote on the 8TH day of January 2022, by a vote.

VOTE RECORD:

DISTRICT	LEGISLATOR	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
A1	Diane Willis	X			
A2	Kendricks Sleeper	X			
A3	Travis Ruiz	X			
A4	Rector Candy	X			
C1	Bruce Whiteman	X			
C2	George Woods	X			
C3	Darrell Flyingman	X			
C4	Byron Byrd	X			
TOTAL		8			
Passes (X) Fails () Tabled () Allowed to Die () No Action () Tie ()					

*Pursuant to Article VI, Section 5, subsection (a) of the Tribes Constitution reads in part: "Tie votes in the Legislature shall be decided by the Governor."

		YES	NO	ABSENT
*GOVERNOR	Reggie Wassana			



Corrine Morton, Legislative Staff
Ninth Legislature, Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes



**TRANSMITTAL OF DOCUMENTS:
From the Legislative Branch to the Executive Branch**

True and Accurate Original Resolution No. 9L-RS-2022-01-002 was submitted and received by the Governor's Office of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes on the 8th day of January, 2022 at 10:35 o'clock AM/PM.


ATTEST:

Pursuant to Article VI, Section 7, subsection (a)(iv) of the Tribes Constitution reads in part: "All Bills passed by the Legislature shall be presented to the Governor for signature or veto."

Pursuant to Article VII, Section 4, subsection (g) of the Tribes Constitution reads: "The Governor shall have the power to sign any enactment passed by the Legislature into law or to veto any enactment passed by the Legislature within ten (10) days of passage with a written explanation of any objections; and if the Governor takes no action within ten (10) days, then the enactment shall become law in accordance with this Constitution."

{ } APPROVED
{ } VETOED: Attachment ____; Governor's written explanation of any objections.

On the 8th day of January, 2022.


Reggie Wassana, Governor
Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes

On the _____ day of _____, 2022.

{ } **No action required, because the Bill/Resolution failed to pass the Legislature.**

Printed Name: _____
Signed Name: _____
Title: _____
Date: _____

Corrine Morton, Legislative Staff
Ninth Legislature, Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes

TRANSMITTAL OF DOCUMENTS:

From the Legislative Branch to the Executive Branch

True and Accurate Original Resolution No. 9L-RS-2022-01-002 was submitted and received by the Governor’s Office of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes on the _____ day of _____, 2022 at _____ o’clock AM/PM.

Printed Name: _____
Signed Name: _____
Title: _____
Date: _____
Office of the Governor, Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes

VETO OVERRIDE:

ATTEST:

Pursuant to Article VI, Section 5, subsection (b) reads: “The Legislature shall have the power to override an Executive veto by a vote of at least six (6) Legislators.”

VOTE RECORD:

DISTRICT	LEGISLATOR	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
A1	Diane Willis				
A2	Kendricks Sleeper				
A3	Travis Ruiz				
A4	Rector Candy				
C1	Bruce Whiteman				
C2	George Woods				
C3	Daryl Flyingman				
C4	Byron Byrd				
TOTAL					
Passes () Fails () Tabled () Allowed to Die () No Action () Tie ()					

Corrine Morton, Legislative Staff
Ninth Legislature, Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes



**TRANSMITTAL OF DOCUMENTS:
From the Legislative Branch to the Tribal Council**

True and Accurate Original Resolution No. 9L-RS-2022-01-002 was received by the Coordinator of the Office of Tribal Council of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes on the 10th day of Jan, 2022 at 11:24 o'clock AMPM.

ATTEST:

Pursuant to Article VI, Section 7, subsection (a)(iv) of the Tribes Constitution reads in part: "All laws shall take effect thirty (30) days after signature by the Governor or veto override by the Legislature, unless any Member of the Tribes submits to the Coordinator of the Office of Tribal Council a petition signed by at least one hundred fifty (150) Members of the Tribal Council seeking to repeal the law or resolution at the next Tribal Council meeting. If the Tribal Council fails to repeal such law or resolution at the next Tribal Council where the matter has been properly placed on the agenda for the Tribal Council meeting, such law or resolution shall become effective immediately."

ACCEPT
 REQUEST TO REPEAL BY TRIBAL COUNCIL

Date of Tribal Council Meeting: _____
 Location: _____ Time: _____

On the _____ day of _____, 2022.

Printed Name: Jennifer Bailey
 Signed Name: Jennifer Bailey
 Title: TCC
 Date: 1-10-22
 Coordinator of the Office of Tribal Council
 Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes

Vote Record:

YES	NO	ABSTAIN	NOT VOTING	TOTAL

REPEALED: with attached signed Resolution of Repeal;
 FAILED TO REPEAL;
 FAILED TO PROPERLY PLACE ON THE AGENDA FOR THE NEXT TRIBAL COUNCIL MEETING.

On the _____ day of _____, 2022.

No action required, because the Bill/Resolution failed to pass the Legislature.

Printed Name: _____
 Signed Name: _____
 Title: _____
 Date: _____
 Corrine Morton, Legislative Staff
 Ninth Legislature, Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes



**TRANSMITTAL OF DOCUMENTS:
From the Legislative Branch to the Judicial Branch**

True and Accurate Original Resolution No. 9L-RS-2022-01-002 was submitted and received by the Office of the Supreme Court, Judicial Branch, Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes on the 10 day of January, 2022 at 2:05 o'clock AM/PM.

Printed Name: Charlotte Wetzel
Signed Name: [Signature]
Title: Court Administrator
Date: 1/10/2022
Office of the Supreme Court, Judicial Branch
Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes



TRANSMITTAL OF DOCUMENTS:

From the Legislative Branch to the Office of Records Management

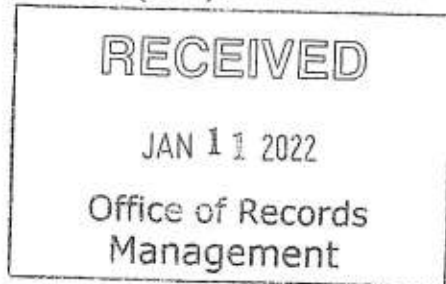
ATTEST:

Pursuant to Article VI, Section 7, subsection (a)(v), of the Tribes Constitution reads, "The Office of Records Management shall compile all Laws and Resolutions into a comprehensive Code in an orderly manner that shall be published annually."

Office of Records Management Staff, hereby certify that the foregoing is a True and Accurate Original Resolution No. 9L-RS-2022-01-002.

Space below is reserved for Stamp:

Received (Date) Office of Record Management



Printed Name: Bridget Blackowl
Signed Name: Bridget Blackowl
Title: Records Clerk II
Date: 1-11-22
Office of Records Management
Department of Administration, Executive Branch
Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes



TRANSMITTAL OF DOCUMENTS:

From the Office of Records Management to the Legislative Branch

ATTEST:

Office of Records Management Staff, hereby certify that the foregoing is a True and Accurate Copy of Original Resolution No. 9L-RS-2022-01-002.

Space below is reserved for Stamp:

True & Accurate

Copy of Original

True & Accurate
Copy of Original

Printed Name: Bridget Blackowl
Signed Name: Bridget Blackowl
Title: Records Clerk II
Date: 1-11-22
Office of Records Management
Department of Administration, Executive Branch
Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes

Legislative Staff hereby certify that the foregoing is a True and Accurate Copy of Original Resolution No. 9L-RS-2022-01-002.

Printed Name: Carmine Morton
Signed Name: [Signature]
Title: Leg. Office Manager
Date: 1-11-22
Ninth Legislature, Legislative Branch
Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes