

NINTH LEGISLATURE
OF THE
CHEYENNE AND ARAPAHO TRIBES
SPECIAL SESSION
SEPTEMBER 6, 2022
LCR, CONCHO, OK

RESOLUTION: A Resolution to Approve the Nomination of Tara Ruiz-DeLeon as a Board Member for the Cheyenne and Arapaho Community Development Corporation.

RESOLUTION NO: 9L-SS-2022-0906-002
DATE INTRODUCED: August 30, 2022
SPONSOR: Travis Ruiz, A3 District
CO-SPONSOR: Bruce Whiteman Jr., C1 District

WHEREAS: The Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes ("Tribes") are federally recognized Indian tribes, Organized under a Constitution approved by Tribal membership on April 4, 2006, and approved by the Secretary of the Interior; and

WHEREAS: Article VI, Section 5(a) and (c) in the Constitution provides that "Legislative power shall be vested in the Legislature" and "[t]he Legislature shall have the power to make laws and resolutions in accordance with the Constitution which are necessary and proper for the good of the Tribes;" and

WHEREAS: The Legislature has the Constitutional obligation and public responsibility to the Tribes to oversee the Tribes' operations in order to establish and promote justice, establish guidance and direction for the government and advance the general welfare of the Tribes; and

WHEREAS: Article VI, Section 5(a) of the Constitution provides that Legislative power shall reside with the Legislature; and


WHEREAS: Article VI, Section 5(a) of the Constitution requires "Laws and resolutions which have been enacted shall remain valid until amended or repealed;" and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(h) of the Constitution, allows for the Legislature to create Boards and members of all Boards created by the Legislature to be nominated by the Governor, subject to confirmation of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS: On April 9, 2022 at a Regular Session of the Legislature, the Ninth Legislature of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes passed resolution 9L-RS-2022-04-008, creating the Cheyenne and Arapaho Community Development Corporation, an entity wholly owned by the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes; and

WHEREAS: Governor Reggie Wassana now nominates Tara Ruiz-DeLeon as a board member of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Community Development Corporation; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that, the Ninth Legislature of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes, pursuant to its Constitutional power, hereby confirms Tara Ruiz-DeLeon as board member of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Community Development Corporation., in accordance with Article VI Section 5(h) of the Constitution.



Travis Ruiz,
Speaker of the Ninth Legislature
Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes

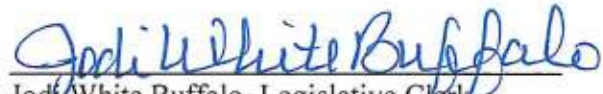


ATTEST:

I, Jodi White Buffalo, Legislative Clerk, hereby certify that the foregoing is a True and Accurate Copy of the Original Bill No. 9L-SS-2022-0906-002 which was acted upon by the Legislature of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes in the Ninth Legislature Special Session, by a roll call vote on the 6th day of September 2022, by a vote.

VOTE RECORD:

DISTRICT	LEGISLATOR	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
A1	Diane Willis	✓			
A2	Kendricks Sleeper				✓
A3	Travis Ruiz	✓			
A4	Rector Candy	✓			
C1	Bruce Whiteman Jr.	✓			
C2	George Woods				✓
C3	Darrell Flyingman	✓			
C4	Byron Byrd				✓
TOTAL		5			3
Passes (X) Fails () Tabled () Allowed to Die () No Action ()					


Jodi White Buffalo, Legislative Clerk
Ninth Legislature, Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes



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. All laws shall take effect thirty 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 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."

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 6th day of September, 2022.



Reggie Wassana, Governor
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-SS-2022-0906-002.

Space below is reserved for Stamp:

Received (Date) Office of Record Management



Signature: *Arienne Ortega*

Print Name: Arienne Ortega

Title: Records Clerk I

Date: 9/8/22

Office of Records Management
Department of Administration, Executive Branch
Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes

