RESOLUTION: A Resolution to Approve the appointment of Chris Tallbear to the position of the Southern Cheyenne and Arapaho NPS Representatives for the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes.

RESOLUTION NO: 9L-SS-2022-0929-004
DATE INTRODUCED: September 22, 2022
SPONSOR: Travis Ruiz, Arapaho District 3
CO-SPONSOR: Bruce Whiteman Jr., Cheyenne District 1

SUBJECT: A Resolution to Approve the appointment of Chris Tallbear to the position of the Southern Cheyenne and Arapaho NPS Representatives for the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes.

WHEREAS: The Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes are a federally recognized tribe with their own form of self-government organized under a constitution approved by Tribal membership on April 4, 2006, and approved by the Secretary of the Interior; and,

WHEREAS: Article VI Sec. 5 (a), of the Constitution, vests legislative power in the Tribes’ Legislature to make laws and resolutions that are necessary and proper for the good of the Tribe’s; and,

WHEREAS: Article VII, Section 4(d) provides the Governor with "the power to negotiate and sign a contract, other than a gaming management contract, which has been previously authorized by the Tribal Council or Legislature;” and

WHEREAS: The United States Government, in Government to Government consultation, as treaty law requires, the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes hereby appoints two Southern Cheyenne and two Southern Arapaho to represent the Tribes in negotiations and consultations that pertain to both governments; and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes, pursuant to Article VII, Section 4(d) of the Tribal Constitution does hereby appoint Chris Tallbear as one of the two southern Cheyenne and Arapaho NPS Representatives for the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes; and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Legislature of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes of Oklahoma hereby supports and endorses the appointment of Chris Tallbear to replace Eugene Blackbear, Jr. for the position of the Southern Cheyenne and Arapaho NPS Representatives for the 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-2022-0929-004 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 29th day of September 2022, by a vote.

VOTE RECORD:

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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 ___ day of ___ , 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-2022-0929-004.
Space below is reserved for Stamp:
Received (Date) Office of Record Management

Signature: [Signature]
Print Name: Arianne Ortega
Title: Records Clerk
Date: 9/30/22

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