

**TO APPROVE APPLICATION FOR THE NATIONAL WORKFORCE  
DIVERSITY PIPELINE PROGRAM**

**IN THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE CHOCTAW NATION  
THOMAS WILLISTON INTRODUCED A COUNCIL BILL**

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**TO APPROVE** application to the United States Department of Health and Human Services for the National Workforce Diversity Pipeline Program.

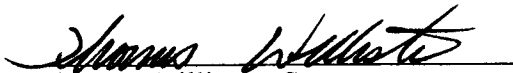
**WHEREAS**, the Choctaw Nation realizes the need to increase the racial and ethnic diversity in the health care and behavioral health professions, and


**WHEREAS**, funds from the United States Department of Health and Human Services will assist the Choctaw Nation in identify promising students in their first year of high school and providing them with a foundation to pursue successful careers in the health profession by increasing the availability of science technology engineering and mathematics (STEM) education programs.


**THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED** by the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma that this Act be cited as approval to make application to the United States Department of Health and Human Services for the National Workforce Diversity Pipeline Program.

**CERTIFICATION**

I, the undersigned, as Speaker of the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma, do hereby certify that the Tribal Council is composed of twelve (12) seats. Eight (8) members must be present to constitute a quorum. I further certify that twelve (12) members answered roll call and that a quorum was present at the Regular Session of the Tribal Council at Tuskahoma, Oklahoma on, May 9, 2015. I further certify that the foregoing Council Bill CB- 76 -15 was adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of twelve (12) members, zero (0) negative and zero (0) abstaining.

  
Thomas Williston, Secretary  
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council

  
Delton Cox, Speaker  
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council

  
Gary Batton, Chief  
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

5-12-15  
Date