

TO APPROVE THE FUNDS AND BUDGET FOR YEAR TWO OF THREE CONTINUATION FOR THE NATIVE AMERICAN CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION PROGRAM (NACTEP)

IN THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE CHOCTAW NATION

RONALD PERRY INTRODUCED THE FOLLOWING COUNCIL BILL

A COUNCIL BILL

TO APPROVE the funds and budget from the United States Department of Education for the Year Two of Three Continuation for the Native American Career and Technical Education Program (NACTEP).

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma (the "Council") approved the funds and budget for Year One of NACTEP in CB-32-19;

WHEREAS, the Choctaw Nation (the "Nation") has been awarded a grant by U.S. Department of Education (ED) for budget period September 11, 2019 through September 30, 2020, in the amount of \$445,545 to improve career and technical education programs that benefit Native Americans. See Exhibit A;

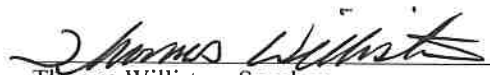
WHEREAS, the total federal budget is \$445,545 with no required match; and

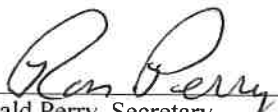
WHEREAS, funds for NACTEP will provide Native American individuals with high-quality career training and technical education, focusing on science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) programs that result in an industry-recognized credential, certificate, or degree so participants are equipped to secure employment in high-growth, high-demand occupations.

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma that this Bill be cited as approval to accept Four Hundred Forty-Five Thousand Five Hundred Forty-Five dollars from the United States Department of Education and to approve the budget for Year Two of Three Continuation for the Native American Career and Technical Education Program for budget period September 11, 2019 through September 30, 2020.

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 eleven (11) members answered roll call and that a quorum was present at the Regular Session of the Tribal Council at Tuskahoma, Oklahoma on March 14, 2020. I further certify that the foregoing Council Bill CB- 56 -20 was adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of eleven (11) members, zero (0) negative votes, and zero (0) abstaining.


Thomas Williston, Speaker
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council


Ronald Perry, Secretary
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council


Gary Batton, Chief
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

Date 3.17.2020

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Exhibit A – Budget

Year 2 – 12 Month Budget Summary

Budget Category	Year Two
A. Personnel	\$127,583
B. Fringe Benefits	\$39,256
C. Travel	\$5,875
D. Equipment	\$0
E. Supplies	\$3,500
F. Contractual	\$87,260
G. Construction	\$0
H. Other Costs	\$167,654
Direct Costs	\$431,128
Indirect Costs	\$14,417
Total	\$445,545

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Purpose/Need of Council Bill: NACTEP improves career and technical education programs that benefit Native Americans.

Title of Council Bill: TO APPROVE THE FUNDS AND BUDGET FOR YEAR TWO OF THREE CONTINUATION FOR THE NATIVE AMERICAN CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION PROGRAM (NACTEP)

Agency: Department of Education (ED)

CNO Department: Career Development

Budget: \$445,545

Match Required: N/A

Request by Project Director/SEO: Kelly Brame Project Director; Robin Counce, Director of Career Development; Jim Parrish, Executive Director of Education; Stacy Shepherd, Executive Officer of Member Services; Teresa Jackson, SEO

****NOTE:** Grant Services is aware there is an overlap in the dates from budget period 1 and budget period 2. Grant Services and Career Development discussed this with Department of Ed to correct the error on the award document. ED was unable to make the correction on the Award, but Grant Services agreed not to withdraw funds for Year 2 within that overlap window to avoid audit conflicts. The council bill below references the information from the award document.