

TO APPROVE APPLICATION FOR THE 2020 TRIBAL HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT- VETERANS ADMINISTRATION-SUPPORTIVE HOUSING GRANT

IN THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE CHOCTAW NATION

RONALD PERRY INTRODUCED THE FOLLOWING COUNCIL BILL

A COUNCIL BILL

TO APPROVE application to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development for the Tribal Housing and Urban Development, Veterans Administrative Supportive Housing Grant.

WHEREAS, the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma (the "Nation") realizes the need to provide subsidized rental assistance for Native American Veterans who are at risk of or currently experiencing homelessness;

WHEREAS, funds from the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) will assist the Choctaw Nation by allowing for rental vouchers for those confirmed to be eligible by the Veterans Administration; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council finds it is in the best interest of the Nation to approve application to the HUD-Veterans Administration-Supportive Housing Grant.

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma that this Council Bill be cited as approval for application to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development for the Tribal Housing and Urban Development- Veterans Administration Supportive Housing Grant.

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 August 8, 2020. I further certify that the foregoing Council Bill CB- 98 -20 was adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of twelve (12) 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 8-12-2020

**TO APPROVE APPLICATION FOR THE 2020 TRIBAL HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT- VETERANS
ADMINISTRATION-SUPPORTIVE HOUSING GRANT (VASH)**

Purpose/Need of Council Bill: To approve application for the 2020 Tribal HUD-VA Supportive Housing Grant (VASH). This grant will allow the Nation to provide rental assistance for Native American Veterans who are homeless or at-risk.

Title of Council Bill: **TO APPROVE APPLICATION FOR THE 2020 TRIBAL HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT-
VETERANS ADMINISTRATION-SUPPORTIVE HOUSING GRANT (VASH)**

Agency: Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)

Budget: \$133,000

Match Required: N/A

Request by Project Director/SEO: Heather Prince, Project Director; Bobby Yandell, Executive Director; Stacy Shepherd, Executive Officer Member Services; Teresa Jackson, SEO