



Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

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Gary Batton
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March 17th, 2020

Re: *Judicial Appointments of the Honorable Richard Branam and the Honorable Rebecca Cryer to the Choctaw Nation District Court of General Jurisdiction*

Dear Tribal Council Members:

Please accept this as submission for your confirmation, the names of Mr. Richard Branam and Ms. Rebecca Cryer to fulfill the Choctaw Nation District Court judiciary position for a term of four (4) years. These appointments will be considered as follows:

Honorable Richard Branam as District Court Judge
Honorable Rebecca Cryer as Special District Judge

Both Judge Branam and Judge Cryer are vitally interested in continuing in the success and well-being of the Choctaw Nation and its members and have humbly accepted these appointments.

I appreciate your confirmation of these appointments. Should you have any questions or seek additional information, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Gary Batton".

Gary Batton, Chief
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

cc: Chief Justice David Burrage
Assistant Chief Jack Austin, Jr.

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