

TO APPROVE THE FAMILY VIOLENCE PREVENTION GRANT PROPOSAL

IN THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE CHOCTAW NATION

ANTHONY DILLARD INTRODUCED THE FOLLOWING BILL

A COUNCIL BILL

TO APPROVE submitting a proposal to the Department of Health and Human Services for Fiscal year 2016 for funds to provide a Family Violence Prevention Program for the Choctaw Nation.

WHEREAS, the Family Violence Prevention Program this past year assisted over 400 victims of family violence, domestic violence or dating violence with immediate shelter and supportive services, and


WHEREAS, the Family Violence Prevention Program provided Domestic Violence outreach, awareness and prevention to the communities of the Choctaw Nation, and

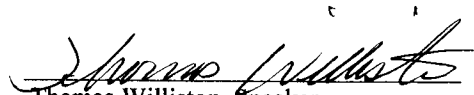
WHEREAS, with the rapid expansion of the Choctaw Nation, a Family Violence Prevention Program is needed to aid women, men and children whom are victims of family violence, domestic violence or dating violence.

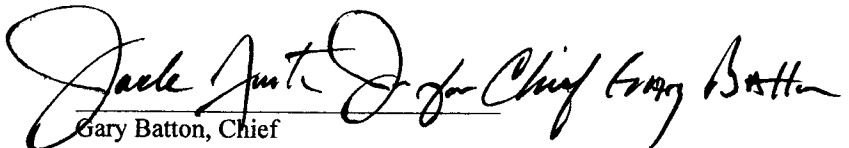
THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma that this Act be cited as approval for submitting a proposal to the Department of Health and Human Services for funds to provide a Family Violence Prevention Program for the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma.

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 ten (10) members answered roll call and that a quorum was present at the Regular Session of the Tribal Council at Tuskahoma, Oklahoma on March 12, 2016. I further certify that the foregoing Council Bill CB- 62 -16 was adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of ten (10) members, zero (0) negative votes, and zero (0) abstaining.

  
Anthony Dillard, Secretary  
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council

  
Thomas Williston, Speaker  
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council

  
Gary Batton, Chief  
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

Date: 3-16-16



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## **COUNCIL BILL**

**DT: 1-16-16**

**TO: Stacy Shepherd, Senior Executive Officer**

**RE: Council Bill Request**

**This Council Bill request will be to approve submitting a Family Violence Prevention Grant Proposal to the Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families for Fiscal Year 2016.**

**The Children & Family Services Family Violence Prevention program must apply for grant funds yearly and is required to have a current signed tribal resolution.**

**Thank You,**

**Shawna Folsom, Director  
Family Violence/Family Preservation  
Children & Family Services  
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma**

**cc: Lari Ann Northcutt  
Jeanne Porter**