

TO APPROVE APPLICATION FOR THE INDIAN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT

IN THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE CHOCTAW NATION

ANTHONY DILLARD INTRODUCED THE FOLLOWING COUNCIL BILL

A COUNCIL BILL

TO APPROVE application to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development for the Indian Community Development Block Grant (ICDBG) in the amount of \$800,000 for tribal member housing rehabilitation.

WHEREAS, the Choctaw Nation is required to commit, subject to award of ICDBG assistance, sufficient funds to ensure completion of the project in order to be eligible for Indian Community Development Block Grant funds, and

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma this Act be cites as approval to make application to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development for the Indian Community Development Block Grant (ICDBG) in the amount of \$800,000 for tribal member housing rehabilitation.

BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, that the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma, in regard to such application, hereby makes the following assurances:

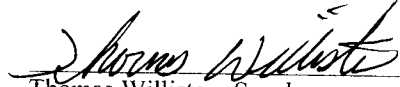
- I. Prior to submission of the application, the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma has published notices for public feedback, and followed traditional means of citizen involvement which have included the following assurances:
 - A. Furnished citizens information concerning amount of funds and range of activities that may be undertaken;
 - B. Will hold one meeting, at each site, on community development needs and furnish information about the grant opportunity, at a time allowing participation by citizens;
 - C. Developed and posted notices about the grant opportunity, at a time allowing participation by citizens; and
- II. Additionally, the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma has considered all comments and views expressed by tribal citizens and has modified its application as deemed appropriate; and makes the modified application available to citizens as requested.
- III. Future ICDBG projects will be directed to low and moderate-income persons as required.
- IV. No part of Paragraph II shall be construed to restrict the responsibility and authority of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma for the development of the application and the execution of its ICDBG Program.
- V. The locations of said infrastructure will be constructed on land provided by the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma.
- VI. The Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma and Housing Authority of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma commit \$800,000, utilizing funds from the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act Indian Housing Block Grant Program, for housing rehabilitation activities.

- VII. The Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma adheres to the federal program requirements pertaining to OMB Circular A-87, A-133, and the Common Rule Administration per regulation or guidance. Procurement and contract policies are in place to meet the requirements of 24 CFR Part 85 and 24, CFR Part 1003.

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 5/14/16. I further certify that the foregoing Council Bill CB- 99 -16 was adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of twelve (12) 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 5/20/16

ICDBG 2016 Budget DRAFT

Please Note: This is a draft summary and exact numbers and line items can and will change as the budget is finalized with program staff.

Housing Rehabilitation—Private homes	ICDBG	IHBG Match
Private home rehab (must be < \$35,000 per unit, low-to-moderate income homeowners) for roof repair, foundation leveling/stabilization, ADA modifications for bathrooms/kitchen.	\$690,000	\$690,000
Subtotal:	\$690,000	\$690,000
Housing Rehabilitation—Elder units	ICDBG	IHBG Match
Talihina Independent Elder Living rehabilitation for 10 units, replace siding	\$47,500	\$47,500
Poteau Independent Elder Living unit rehabilitation for 10 units	\$19,750	\$19,750
Idabel Independent Elder Living unit rehabilitation for 10 units	\$17,500	\$17,500
Hartshorne Independent Elder Living rehabilitation for 5 units, replace air handling units	\$25,250	\$25,250
Subtotal:	\$110,000	\$110,000
TOTAL EXPENSES:	\$800,000	\$800,000