

TO APPROVE APPLICATION FOR THE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH INTEGRATION INITIATIVE

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 Health and Human Services for the Behavioral Health Integration Initiative.

WHEREAS, the Choctaw Nation realizes the need to improve the physical and mental health status of people with behavioral health issues by developing an integrative, coordinated system of care between behavioral health and primary care providers, and

WHEREAS, funds from the United States Department of Health and Human Services will assist the Choctaw Nation with encompassing the proposed grant activities which include screening for mental and substance use disorders, alcohol, substance, and opioid use disorders, suicidality and trauma, patient-centered treatment planning, crisis services, peer support services, and care coordination.

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma that this Bill be cited as approval for application to the United States Department of Health and Human Services for the Behavioral Health Integration Initiative.

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 September 9, 2017. I further certify that the foregoing Council Bill CB- 126 -17 was adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of twelve (12) members, zero (0) negative votes, and zero (0) abstaining.



Delton Cox, Speaker
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council



Ronald Perry, Secretary
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council



Gary Baton, Chief
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

Date 9-11-17