

CB-136-17

**TO APPROVE THE FUNDS AND BUDGET FOR THE METHAMPHETAMINE AND SUICIDE PREVENTION INITIATIVE**

**IN THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE CHOCTAW NATION**

**RONALD PERRY INTRODUCED THE FOLLOWING COUNCIL BILL**

**A COUNCIL BILL**

**TO APPROVE** the funds and budget from the United States Department of Health and Human Services for the Year Three Continuation for the 2015 Methamphetamine and Suicide Prevention Initiative Purpose Area 4 - Project Apelachi.

**WHEREAS**, the Choctaw Nation has been awarded a grant by the United States Department of Health and Human Services for budget period September 30, 2017 through September 29, 2018 in the amount of \$300,000 to promote early intervention strategies and implement positive youth and development; and


**WHEREAS**, the total federal budget is \$300,000 with no required match; and

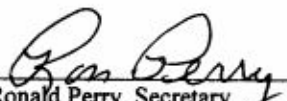
**WHEREAS**, funds for the Year Three Continuation for the 2015 Methamphetamine and Suicide Prevention Initiative - Project Apelachi from the United States Department of Health and Human Services will assist the Choctaw Nation in increasing prevention activities for youth by using evidence based practices to build resiliency, promote positive development, and increase self-sufficiency behaviors among native youth.

**THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED** by the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma that this Bill be cited as approval to accept and approve the funds and budget from the United States Department of Health and Human Services for the Year Three Continuation for the 2015 Methamphetamine and Suicide Prevention Initiative Purpose Area 4 - Project Apelachi.

**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- 136-17 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 Batts, Chief  
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

Date 9-11-17