

**TO APPROVE THE FY/2023 ANNUAL TRIBAL BUDGET  
OF THE CHOCTAW NATION OF OKLAHOMA**

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

**RONALD PERRY INTRODUCED THE FOLLOWING COUNCIL BILL**

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**A COUNCIL BILL**

**TO APPROVE** the FY/2023 Annual Tribal Budget of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with Article VII, Section 5 of the Constitution of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma (the "Nation"), the Chief of the Nation shall prepare an annual tribal budget for the expenditure of all funds belonging to or administered by the Nation from whatever source derived, which shall be submitted to the Tribal Council of the Nation (the "Council");

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with Article IX, Section 8 of the Constitution of the Nation, the Council shall be responsible for approving the annual tribal budget submitted to it by the Chief;

**WHEREAS**, for FY/2023, the Nation anticipates revenue in the amount of \$2,454,764,389;

**WHEREAS**, for FY/2023, the Nation anticipates operating expenses in the amount of \$1,543,972,770;

**WHEREAS**, for FY/2023, the Nation anticipates maintenance capital expenditures in the amount of \$44,343,692;

**WHEREAS**, for FY/2023, the Nation anticipates cost of goods sold in the amount of \$508,204,278;

**WHEREAS**, for FY/2023, the Nation anticipates net income from operations in the amount of \$358,243,648;

**WHEREAS**, Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, is the proposed FY/2023 annual tribal budget (the "2023 Tribal Budget"), as outlined in the recitals above; and

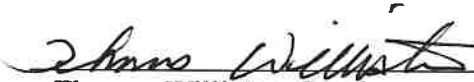
**WHEREAS**, the Council has determined that it is in the best interests of the Nation to approve the 2023 Tribal Budget.

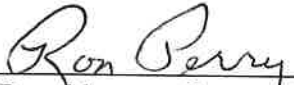
**THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED** by the Council that this Bill be cited as approval of the 2023 Tribal Budget, as set forth in Exhibit A.


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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 10, 2022. I further certify that the foregoing Council Bill CB- 167 - 22 was adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of twelve ( 12 ) members, zero ( 0 ) negative votes, and zero ( 0 ) abstaining.

  
Thomas Williston, Speaker  
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council

  
Ronald Perry, Secretary  
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council

  
Gary Patton, Chief  
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council

Date: 9-13-22

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**EXHIBIT A**

**Revenue:**

General Fund	\$	75,061,491
Health		330,236,357
Federal Grants		125,820,172
Commerce		1,923,646,369
<b>Total Budgeted Revenue</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>2,454,764,389</b>

**Operating Expenses:**

General Fund	\$	459,717,449
Health		297,079,383
Federal Grants		125,820,172
Housing		14,908,471
Commerce		646,447,296
<b>Total Budgeted Operating Expense</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,543,972,770</b>

**Maintenance Capital:**

General Fund	\$	17,280,777
Health		1,128,150
Commerce		25,934,765
<b>Total Budgeted Maintenance Capital</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>44,343,692</b>

**Cost of Goods Sold:**

General Fund	\$	795,314
Commerce		507,408,964
<b>Total Cost of Goods Sold</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>508,204,278</b>

**2023 Budgeted Request** **\$ 2,096,520,741**

**2023 Budgeted Net Income From Operations** **\$ 358,243,648**

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**Purpose/Need of Council Bill:** To approve the FY/2023 annual tribal budget in the anticipated amounts of:

Revenue	\$2,454,764,389
Operating Expenses	\$1,543,972,770
Maintenance Capital Expenditures	\$44,343,692
Cost of Goods Sold	\$508,204,278
Net Revenue from Operations	\$358,243,648

**Title of Council Bill:** To Approve the FY/2023 Annual Tribal Budget of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma.

**Agency:** Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

**Budget:** See above

**Match Required:** N/A

**Request by/Project Director:** Chief Gary Batton