

**TO APPROVE THE
NATIVE AMERICAN HOUSING ASSISTANCE AND SELF-DETERMINATION ACT (NAHASDA) OF 1996 INDIAN
HOUSING PLAN (IHP) FOR YEAR FY2026**

IN THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE CHOCTAW NATION

JAMES DRY INTRODUCED THE FOLLOWING COUNCIL BILL

A COUNCIL BILL

TO APPROVE the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996 FY2026 Indian Housing Plan.

WHEREAS, the Housing Authority of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma (HACNO), the Tribally Designated Housing Entity (TDHE), has prepared and submitted the Native American Housing Assistance and Self Determination Act of 1996 (NAHASDA) FY2026 Indian Housing Plan (IHP) Synopsis for approval. See Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma (the "Council") must approve the NAHASDA FY2026 IHP before it can be submitted to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for funding and implementation of the NAHASDA FY2026 allocation to Indian Tribes; and

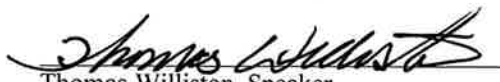
WHEREAS, the Council finds it is in the best interest of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma to approve the NAHASDA FY2026 IHP for submittal to the HUD.

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED by the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma that this Bill be cited as approval of the Native American Housing and Self Determination Act of 1996 FY2026 Indian Housing Plan (IHP).

BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, this Bill be cited as approval to submit this Indian Housing Plan to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development for compliance approval and funding for FY2026 NAHASDA allocation to Indian Tribes.

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 eleven (11) members answered roll call and that a quorum was present at the Regular Session of the Tribal Council at Tvshka Homma, Oklahoma on August 9, 2025 I further certify that the foregoing Council Bill CB- 83 -25 was adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of eleven (11) members, zero (0) negative votes, and zero (0) abstaining.


Thomas Williston, Speaker
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council


James Dry, Secretary
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council


Gary Batton, Chief
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

Date 8-12-25

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NATIVE AMERICAN HOUSING ASSISTANCE AND SELF-DETERMINATION ACT OF 1996 (NAHASDA) INDIAN
HOUSING PLAN (IHP) FOR YEAR FY2026**

Purpose/Need of Council Bill: Approval of the FY2026 Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996 (NAHASDA) Indian Housing Plan (IHP). This is the annual submittal of the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996 (NAHASDA) Indian Housing Plan (IHP). This is a *block grant* for one year which includes eligible activities with number of members served for each service area. The IHP also includes an annual “block grant” amount which is an estimated at \$20,356,587 for the year 2026. Due to the timing of the submittal, the IHP is designed to be “estimated” dollars, in anticipation of what congress will approve during 2026. Housing will operate during FY 2026 on Indian Housing Block Grant funds on hand (prior year grant dollars) for NAHASDA activities, which is typical, while waiting on the approval of the “*block grant*” portion to be approved. (SEE EXHIBIT A included).

Title of Council Bill: To Approve Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996 (NAHASDA) Indian Housing Plan (IHP) for year FY2026.

Agency: Housing Authority of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma; Tribally Designated Housing Entity (TDHE)

Budget: Planned expenditures during FY 2026: \$20,356,587 of these IHBG funds.

Match Required: None

Request by/Project Director: KC Wood, Operations Director - Housing, Bobby Yandell, Executive Director, HACNO, Teresa Jackson, SEO