



# Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

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**Gary Batton**  
*Chief*

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Dear Tribal Council Member:

For your consideration, I respectfully submit the name of Donald Chitwood to be appointed to the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma Gaming Commission to fill the vacancy left by the passing of Ronnie Parent.

Your consideration and confirmation of this request is truly appreciated. Should you have any questions or comments regarding this appointment, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gary Batton", with a long, sweeping horizontal line extending to the right.

Gary Batton, Chief  
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

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