

**A COUNCIL BILL ADOPTING A VISION ZERO POLICY AND PROCLAIMING
THE CHOCTAW NATION OF OKLAHOMA’S COMMITMENT TO END
TRAFFIC FATALITIES AND SERIOUS INJURY CRASHES IN THE CHOCTAW
NATION OF OKLAHOMA’S RESERVATION BOUNDARIES AND
IMPLEMENTATION OF SAFE STREETS AND ROADS FOR ALL PLAN.**

IN THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE CHOCTAW NATION

**CHOCTAW NATION DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION INTRODUCED THE
FOLLOWING COUNCIL BILL**

A COUNCIL BILL

TO APPROVE a Tribal Transportation Program (“TTP”) Vision Zero Policy that traffic deaths and serious injuries on our roadways are unacceptable, and

WHEREAS, The Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma (the “Nation”) is a federally recognized Indian Tribe, and

WHEREAS, in 2021 the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law established the Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) discretionary program which funds regional, local, and Tribal initiatives through grants to prevent roadway deaths and serious injuries, and

WHEREAS, the Nation was awarded the SS4A Comprehensive Safety Action Plan in September 2025, and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the Nation (the “Tribal Council”) is committed to protecting and preserving the interests of the Nation and communities, and

WHEREAS, the SS4A program supports the US Department of Transportation’s National Roadway Safety Strategy and the goal of zero roadway deaths using a Safe System Approach, and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council believes in establishing a comprehensive Vision Zero policy that prioritizes safety and plans for a safe network for all users, for all modes of transportation, in all communities, and for people of all ages and abilities, and

WHEREAS, the Nation establishes a goal of reducing fatalities and serious injuries for all roadway users by 50% by 2035, and

WHEREAS, the Nation establishes a goal of zero fatalities and serious injuries for all roadway users by 2040.

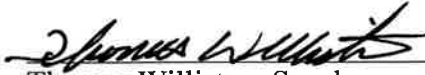
THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Tribal Council to hereby approve the Vision Zero Policy and efforts to address inequities and prioritize improvements in areas most in need of safety improvements.

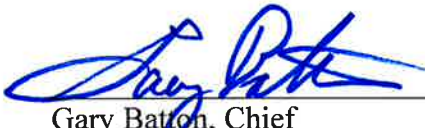
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CERTIFICATION

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 Tvshka Homma, Oklahoma on August 08, 2026. I further certify that the foregoing Council Bill CB- 79 -26 was adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of twelve (12) members, zero (0) negative votes, and zero (0) abstaining.


James Dry, Secretary
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council


Thomas Williston, Speaker
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council


Gary Patton, Chief
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

Date 8-10-26