



CHEROKEE COUNCIL HOUSE  
CHEROKEE, NORTH CAROLINA

DATE

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_ (2026)

WHEREAS, On April 5, 2018, Tribal Council established the Beloved Women Committee to lead the efforts in defining the contemporary qualifications roles and stipulations of the "Beloved" honor. Tribal Council Resolution No. 177 (2018),

WHEREAS, Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Resolution No. 131 (2020) changed the resolution to "one member appointed by Tribal Council, one member appointed by the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indian Office of the Principal Chief, one member elected from within the North American Indian Women's Association Cherokee NC Chapter, and two outstanding community members, one female and one male, selected by the aforementioned members

WHEREAS, Tribal Council has selected Painttown Tribal Council Representative, Shannon Swimmer to fill the vacancy on the board on behalf of Tribal Council.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians in Tribal Council assembled at which a quorum is present that Tribal Council hereby appoints Shannon Swimmer, Painttown Tribal Council Representative to the Beloved Women Committee

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED this resolution shall become effective upon ratification of the Principal Chief

Submitted by: Vice Chairman, David Wolfe, Yellowhill Council Representative