

CHEROKEE COUNCIL HOUSE
CHEROKEE, NORTH CAROLINA

DATE

RESOLUTION NO. _____ (2018)

WHEREAS, the Charter and Governing Document authorizes and empowers the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Tribal Council to manage and control all real or personal property owned by the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians. Charter and Governing Document, sect. 16 (Sept. 5, 1995).

WHEREAS, "[n]o money shall be paid out except upon warrant of the Principal Chief as authorized by an act of the Council." Charter and Governing Document, sect. 20.

WHEREAS, the current post office building needs major repairs, i.e. a new roof that will cost approximately ninety thousand dollars (\$90,000); and

WHEREAS, this leak is causing a safety hazard to all individuals using the post office because there is standing water at the entrance; and

WHEREAS, Tribal Council established Endowment Two to purchase additional lands for the Tribe and for major infrastructure projects. *See* C.C. 16C-11(a)(2).

WHEREAS, Endowment Two would be the appropriate funding source to build a new post office facility that is safe for the enrolled members and visitors.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians in Council assembled, at which a quorum is present, the Tribal Council instructs the Executive Committee to develop plans and construct a new post office building near the round about located on Acquoni Road.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if land needs to be purchased for the new post office construction then this resolution shall serve as Tribal Council's approval pursuant to C.C. 16C-11(a)(2).

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Executive Committee shall carry out the intent of this resolution and this resolution shall become effective upon the ratification.

Submitted by: Tommye Saunooke, Painttown Representative
Vice-Chief Alan B. Ensley