

Cherokee Council House
Cherokee, North Carolina

Date

Resolution No. _____ (2018)

WHEREAS, there are members of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians with limited mobility due to health and disabilities who are in need of motorized wheelchairs and have limited means by which to acquire them; and

WHEREAS, there is currently no tribal program providing assistance to tribal members for the purchase of motorized wheelchairs; and

WHEREAS, there is a need to provide financial assistance to these members through an existing tribal program.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians in Council assembled, at which a quorum is present, that Tribal Council requests that funding in the amount of \$25,000.00 from _____ shall be placed in the Family Support Services Budget of Public Health and Human Services for the purpose of assisting tribal members with the purchase of motorized wheelchairs.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED Family Support Services shall be responsible for developing guidelines and administering the motorized wheelchair assistance program.

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

Submitted by: Alan B. Ensley, Vice-Chief