

CHEROKEE COUNCIL HOUSE
CHEROKEE, NORTH CAROLINA

DATE

RESOLUTION NO. _____ (2019)

- WHEREAS, the Cherokee Cancer Support Group plays a critical role in the Cherokee Community by supporting those afflicted with cancer; and
- WHEREAS, the group is supported by dedicated and compassionate volunteers many of whom are cancer survivors and a vibrant example of community and healing for our tribe; and
- WHEREAS, the Cherokee Cancer Support Group was formed in 1998 and in over two decades of service to our community has supported and assisted countless cancer patients and survivors; and
- WHEREAS, the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians has pledged its financial support of the Cherokee Cancer Support Group through an annual, recurring contribution from the tribe's general fund currently budget at \$35,000.00; and
- WHEREAS, the work required and cost of running the Cherokee Cancer Support Group has increased over time.

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, the General Fund Line Item (1001.10.001.7707.00000.) entitled CHEROKEE CANCER SUPPORT GROUP is increased to \$50,000.00 (fifty thousand dollars) beginning in FY2019 and continuing annually until amended by resolution of the Tribal Council.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the Tribal Council and Executive Office offer their highest commendation for the work performed by the Cherokee Cancer Support Group and its volunteers.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED this resolution shall become effective upon ratification by the Principal Chief and the Principal Chief shall carry out the intent of this resolution.

Submitted By: Principal Chief Richard G. Sneed on behalf of the Cherokee Cancer Support Group