

Cherokee Council House
Cherokee, North Carolina

Date: _____

Resolution No. _____ (2020)

WHEREAS, the goal of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Choices program is to promote physical, mental, spiritual, emotional and cultural well being in order to prevent chronic diseases such as diabetes; and

WHEREAS, the United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc. (USET) Tribal Health Program Support will provide the EBCI' s Cherokee Choices program a Good Health and Wellness in Indian Country 1903 initiative to increase Tribal public health capacity and increase the wellness of Tribal citizens; and

WHEREAS, the initiative will support USET' s ongoing efforts to assist USET member Tribal Nations to help address chronic disease to improve the health of the Tribal citizens in their communities; and

WHEREAS, this funding source aligns with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention' s (CDC) four strategy areas of obesity prevention, commercial tobacco use prevention and control, diabetes prevention and heart disease and stroke prevention; and

WHEREAS, no salaries will be paid out of this sub-award; and

WHEREAS, there is no grant match required; and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians in Council assembled where a quorum is present that the Cherokee Choices program of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Public Health and Human Services Division be authorized to apply and accept funds from USET in the amount of \$150,000 for the sub-award period of January 6, 2020- September 29, 2022.

BE IT FURTHERMORE RESOLVED that upon passage of this resolution that this will be a continuing resolution and that the EBCI agrees to accept these funds as external funds are distributed with no requirement of additional cash match other than their approved Tribal budget.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Principal Chief is authorized to carry out the intent of the resolution, which shall remain in effect until implemented or rescinded.

Submitted by: the Grants Compliance Office on behalf of the Cherokee Choices program.