

AMENDED PASSED

CHEROKEE COUNCIL HOUSE
CHEROKEE, NORTH CAROLINA

JUL 09 2020

Resolution No. 218 2020

- WHEREAS: it has been a tradition among the Cherokee people to give special recognition to Cherokee women and on occasion men who have made special and unique contributions to the Cherokee people; and
- WHEREAS: it is customary to recognize and esteem those women and men who have distinguished themselves amongst their peers by continually creating a positive impact on their community, our traditional culture, and posterity on our tribe.
- WHEREAS: such outstanding persons have been recognized as a "Beloved Woman" or "Beloved Man" of the Cherokee people; and
- WHEREAS: the Tribal Council established the Beloved Women Committee to lead the efforts in defining the contemporary qualifications, commitments, and stipulations of the "Beloved" honor and to develop and oversee the nomination process and events for the Beloved title.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians in Council assembled, at which a quorum is present, that the Tribal Council hereby approve the Beloved definition, qualifications, commitments, stipulations, and nomination process developed by the Beloved Women Committee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the established Beloved Women Committee shall proceed with the 2020 Beloved Nomination process and provide selected nominees for Tribal Council consideration at the start of fiscal year 2021.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that this resolution shall become effective upon ratification by the Principal Chief of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians.

SUBMITTED BY Beloved Women Committee

Cherokee Council House
Cherokee, North Carolina

JUL 09 2020

Date

Amendment to Resolution No. 218 (2020):

Amend the, "BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED," strike "fiscal year 2021" and replace with, "January 2021"

Amend the fifth page of application packet, strike "reg", and replace with, "retraction of"