

**TO APPROVE APPLICATION FOR THE FY24 NATIVE PUBLIC HEALTH RESILIENCE (NPHR)
GRANT**

IN THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE CHOCTAW NATION
RONALD PERRY INTRODUCED THE FOLLOWING COUNCIL BILL

A COUNCIL BILL

TO APPROVE application to the United States Department of Health and Human Services Indian Health Service for the FY24 Native Public Health Resilience Grant

WHEREAS, in accordance with Article VII, Section I of the Constitution of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma, the Chief shall perform all duties pertaining to the Office of the Chief Executive. He shall sign official papers on behalf of the Nation;

WHEREAS, in accordance with Article IX, Section 6 of the Constitution of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma, the Tribal Council (the "Council") shall make decisions pertaining to the acquisition, leasing, disposition, and management of tribal property;

WHEREAS, the Choctaw Nation (the "Nation") recognizes the value of screening, prevention, and education regarding sexually transmitted infections;

WHEREAS, the maximum federal budget is \$400,000.00 per budget period for 3 years for a maximum award of \$1,200,000.00 with no tribal match; and

WHEREAS, obtaining these grant funds will meet the Nation's strategic goal of supporting service delivery to improve quality of life of Tribal Members.

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma that this Bill be cited as approval for application to the United States Department of Health and Human Services Indian Health Service for the FY24 Native Public Health Resilience grant for a maximum federal award of One Million Two Hundred Thousand Dollars and 00/100 (\$1,200,000.00) with no tribal match.

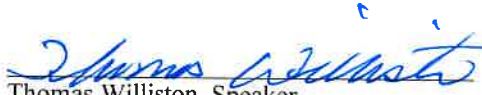
CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as speaker of the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma, do hereby certify that the Tribal Council is composed of twelve (12) seats. Eight (8) members must be present to constitute a quorum. I further certify that twelve (12) members answered roll call and that a quorum was present at the Regular Session of the Tribal Council at Tuskahoma, Oklahoma on May 11, 2024. I further certify that the foregoing Council Bill CB-66-24 was adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of twelve (12) members, zero (0) negative votes, and zero (0) abstaining.


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Ronald Perry, Secretary
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council



Thomas Williston, Speaker
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council



Gary Batton, Chief
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

Date 5-16-24

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Purpose/Need of Council Bill: To approve the application to the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Indian Health Service for the FY24 Native Public Health Resilience Grant (“NPHR”). Funds from the NPHR Grant will provide services related to screening, prevention, and education regarding sexually transmitted infections. The NPHR grant program will meet the Nation’s strategic goal of supporting service delivery to improve quality of life for Tribal Members. This Council Bill is recommended for review by the following Standing Committees of the Choctaw Nation Tribal Council: **Health Services Committee; Member Services Committee; and Finance Committee.**

Title of Council Bill: TO APPROVE APPLICATION FOR THE FY24 NATIVE PUBLIC HEALTH RESILIENCE (NPHR) GRANT

Agency: United States Department of Health and Human Services, Indian Health Service

CNO Agency: Choctaw Nation Health Services Authority Behavioral Health

Budget: \$400,000.00 per budget period for 3 years

Match Required: N/A

Request by/Project Director: Rikki LaRoche, Program Director; Todd Hallmark, Executive Officer, CNHSA; Teresa Jackson, SEO Tribal Services