

The INTER-TRIBAL COUNCIL of the FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

A Resolution to Support the National Day of Prayer of The United States of America

Resolution No.15-34



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Principal Chief



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Governor



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Principal Chief



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WHEREAS, The Inter-Tribal Council of The Five Civilized Tribes (ITC) is an organization that unites the tribal governments of the Cherokee, Chickasaw, Choctaw, Muscogee (Creek), and Seminole Nations, representing over 500,000 Indian people throughout the United States, and,

WHEREAS, the leaders and citizens of the Five Civilized Tribes acknowledge the one true God who made the world and everything in it, and

WHEREAS, we believe He made every nation of men to inhabit the whole Earth, determined the times set for them and the exact places where they should live, and

WHEREAS, As sovereign nations, He has placed upon us and all nations the precept to be stewards and keepers of His creation, and that we are united with our sacred relationship with God and each other, and

WHEREAS, it is a commission of all nations to acknowledge our God, in humility with assured hope of mercy and pardon, recognizing the sacred truth that He blesses our nations; and

WHEREAS, throughout our history, in times of joy and thanksgiving as well as in times of sorrow or uncertainty, we have lifted our voices in prayer to rejoice in the many blessings bestowed upon the Five Civilized Tribes

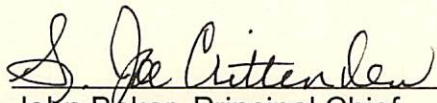
WHEREAS, He has kept us as First Nation People with the responsibility before us to be caretakers and keepers of the land, and

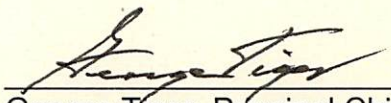
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Five Tribes hereby support the United States of America in recognizing May 5, 2016 as the National Day of Prayer.

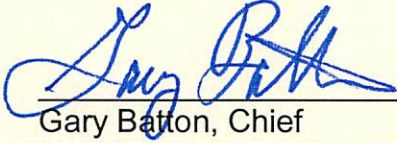
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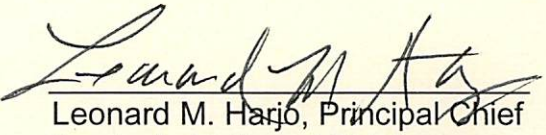
The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes meeting in Durant, Oklahoma on this 9th day of October, 2015, by a vote of All for 0 against and 0 abstentions.

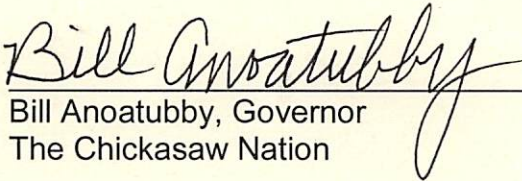
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