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Executive Order Repealing and Replacing the Cherokee Nation Advisory Committee on History and Culture

Short Title: Repealing and Replacing EO 2020-06-CTH

2024-04-CTH

1. **Authority:** The Constitution and laws of the Cherokee Nation.
2. **Policy:** The Principal Chief is committed to ensuring Cherokee art, history, and culture thrive for the next seven generations. It is the policy of this administration to elevate the perspectives of Cherokee artists, historians, and cultural advocates to ensure that the art, history, and culture of the Cherokee Nation and its people are presented in accurate and authentic ways, and to ensure that the needs and perspectives of Cherokee artists, historians, and cultural advocates are considered in future initiatives of the Cherokee Nation.
3. **Cherokee Nation Advisory Committee on History and Culture:** There is hereby established a Cherokee Nation Advisory Committee on History and Culture (CNACHC) that shall serve as a platform to gather feedback and perspectives on matters related to Cherokee art, history, and culture.
4. **Composition:** The CNACHC, selected by the Principal Chief, shall consist of the following individuals:
 - a.) Artists (1-3)
 - b.) Historians (1-3)
 - c.) Cultural and Community advocates (1-3)

- d.) The First Lady of the Cherokee Nation, who shall serve without designated term limitation and who shall be deemed the Honorary Chairperson of the committee. The First Lady may convert her portion to Ex-Officio at her discretion.
 - i Terms: Termination of Committee Membership Under EO 2020-06-CTH: Designees for positions a, b and c above made pursuant to Executive Order 2020-06-CTH shall conclude terms concurrent with the date of this memo, with each position subject to new appointments pursuant to this memo, with new annual terms ending August 14 of each year unless reappointed by the Principal Chief.
5. **CNACHC Administration:** The Principal Chief shall appoint a CNACHC administrator to serve as support staff. The CNACHC administrator shall convene all meetings and serve as the de facto Chair of each meeting. The CNACHC administrator shall notify all members of committee and subcommittees of upcoming meetings and prepare an agenda. The CNACHC administrator will be charged with reporting the recommendations of the CNACHC to the Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation through both detailed minutes and a summary of recommendations within one week of each committee and subcommittee meeting.
6. **CNACHC Scope of Review, Goals and Prescribed Tasks:** The CNACHC shall be charged with the following core objectives:
- a.) Provide guidance and feedback on the identification and acquisition of historic sites, public art through Cherokee Nation's 1% law, collection care of Cherokee Nation's art and artifacts, the Cherokee National Treasures program, historic/cultural events, museum exhibitions, books and publications, and other policy matters related to Cherokee art, history, and culture; and
 - b.) Identify opportunities to promote Cherokee culture, history, and art; and
 - c.) Authorize subcommittees to handle more periodic review of specific subject matter at the request of Cherokee Nation government and businesses. Each subcommittee shall meet no fewer than two times per calendar year. The CNACHC shall immediately authorize the following subcommittees:
 - I .) Book and Exhibit Review Subcommittee (shall be comprised of at least three CNACHC members), which periodically reviews books and literature for historical and cultural relevance and provides recommendation on what books Cherokee Nation Gift Shop should sell. This subcommittee also

periodically reviews exhibit content in Cherokee Nation's museums as new content is developed.

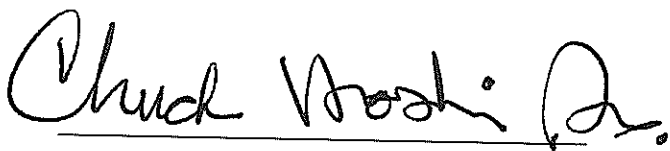
2.) Art and Artifact Review Subcommittee (shall be comprised of at least three CNACHC members), which periodically reviews and advises on special art and artifact procurement and may provide advisement on the selection of art committees for new construction art projects.

New subcommittees may be authorized based upon recommendation from the CNACHC administrator.

- d.) Conduct CNACHC meetings on no less than a quarterly basis and conduct subcommittee meetings no less than twice annually, to review and provide feedback and support on high-level priorities and projects.
- e.) Conduct a "Cherokee Nation Advisory Committee on History and Culture (CNACHC) Art Community Survey," or a series of surveys, utilizing reasonably available forms of outreach, including the Gadugi Portal and such other surveys, approved by the Principal Chief, to better inform the committee on public and stakeholder expectations in the subject of arts, culture and history. The surveys should include, but must not be limited to, specific inquiries to Cherokee Nation Treasures, should include the broader artists community and may include broader public inquiries. Survey to be completed and summary report submitted to the Office of the Principal Chief by the end of the calendar 2024 year.

7. **Order:** It is hereby ordered that the Cherokee Nation Advisory Committee on History and Culture is established, and policies and procedures related to the mission of the CNACHC shall be developed and carried out consistent with this Order.

8. **Effective Date:** This Order is effective immediately on this 15th day of May, 2024.



Date: 5/15/24

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