

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians

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Meeting Agenda - Final

Thursday, January 9, 2025

8:30 AM

Council Chambers

Tribal Council

I. Call to Order - Chairman

8:30 AM

II. Prayer**III. Roll Call****IV. Orders of the Day**

- 1.) [2024 -4705](#) Amendment to Cherokee Code Chapter 17-2 - Marijuana
Attachments: [item 1 1.9.25](#)
[bu item 1 1.9.25](#)
(new ord.)
- 2.) [2024 -4706](#) Amendment to Cherokee Code Chapter 18B - Mandatory Annual Training
Attachments: [item 2 1.9.25](#)
(New Ord)
- 3.) [2024 -4522](#) Tabled Res. No. 198(24) - A resolution requesting that Resolution 589(17) be given immediate effect all prior military service time shall count and be added to the Tribal Pension Years of Service for Tribal Employee Defined Benefit Pension Plan
Attachments: [T. Res. 198\(24\)](#)
8:30 a.m.
- 4.) [2024 -4621](#) Tabled Ord. No. 291(24) - An ordinance to require revenue-generating entities of the Tribe according to formulas or percentages developed with and approved by Tribal Council
Attachments: [Tabled Ord. 291\(24\)](#)
8:40 a.m.
- 5.) [2024 -4638](#) Tabled Ord. No. 302(24) - An Ordinance amending the disenrollment procedure
Attachments: [item 1 10.14.24](#)
[T.Ord. 302\(24\)](#)
8:50 a.m.
- 6.) [2024 -4703](#) Tabled Res. No. 365(24) - A resolution to appoint a Snowbird / Cherokee County representative to the Board of Elections
Attachments: [T. Res. 365\(24\)](#)
9:00 a.m.

- 7.) [2024 -4704](#) Tabled Res. No. 371(24) - Purchase property on Cooper's Creek from Norma Rae Hardin
Attachments: [T. Res. 371\(24\)](#)
9:10 a.m.
- 8.) [2025 -4707](#) A resolution for the Estate of Mary Carol Watty Montelongo
Attachments: [item 8 1.9.25](#)
bu item 8 1.9.25
9:20 a.m.
- 9.) [2025 -4708](#) A resolution authorizing the Tribe to purchase approximately 17.85 acres of deeded property owned by Nita Foster Ayers located in the Mountain Creek area of Cheoah Township, Graham County, North Carolina
Attachments: [item 9 1.9.25](#)
bu item 9 1.9.25
9:30 a.m.
- 10.) [2025 -4709](#) A resolution to void survey applications with Tribal Realty Services that are older than two years and have not been renewed by the applicant upon notice and publication in the Cherokee One Feather
Attachments: [item 10 1.9.25](#)
bu item 10 1.9.25
9:40 a.m.
- 11.) [2025 -4710](#) A resolution to approve the Third Amended and Restated Management Agreement between the Tribe and Harrah's NC Casino Company LLC
Attachments: [item 11 1.9.25](#)
9:50 a.m.
- 12.) [2025 -4711](#) General fund to increase revenue from ABC
Attachments: [item 12 1.9.25](#)
bu item 12 1.9.25
10:00 a.m.
- 13.) [2025 -4713](#) Addition position to Public Safety Communications Center Budget
Attachments: [item 14 1.9.25](#)
bu item 14 1.9.25
- 14.) [2025 -4712](#) Capital, funding and project request
Attachments: [item 13 1.9.25](#)
bu item 13 1.9.25

- 15.) [2025 -4714](#) The Cherokee Youth Center requests to accept funds from the B&GCA Native Services in the estimated amount of \$3,000 for FY25
Attachments: [item 15 1.9.25](#)
10:20 a.m.
- 16.) [2025 -4715](#) The Transit Program requests to apply and accept funds from the NCDOT in the estimated amount of \$196,800 for FY25
Attachments: [item 16 1.9.25](#)
- 17.) [2025 -4716](#) The Natural Resources Program requests to apply and accept funds from the EPA on behalf of the Brownfields 128a Program on a continuing basis
Attachments: [item 17 1.9.25](#)
- 18.) [2025 -4717](#) A resolution requesting approval of Evelyn Andrus' Research Request "The significance and Role of the Fiddle in Cherokee Culture"
Attachments: [item 18 1.9.25](#)
10:30 a.m.
- 19.) [2025 -4718](#) A resolution appointing Michael C. Lambert to the NC Commission on Indian Affairs
Attachments: [item 19 1.9.25](#)
10:40 a.m.
- [2025 -4719](#) Water Treatment Plant Community engagement about land service line inventory
REQUEST FOR TIME

V. Reports and Announcements

VI. Banishment Items if Necessary

- 20.) [2025 -4720](#) Banishment - Javante Keauna Ware
Attachments: [item 20 1.9.25](#)
- 21.) [2025 -4721](#) Jerry Odell Perry, Jr.
Attachments: [item 21 1.9.25](#)
- 22.) [2025 -4722](#) Andrew James Henry
Attachments: [item 22 1.9.25](#)

V. Recessed