

MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION COUNCIL

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Speaken: Randall Hicks

Second Speaker: Thomasene Yahola Osborn

MINUTES PRE-AGENDA

Muscogee (Creek) National Council Auditorium – Mound Building – Capitol Complex February 24, 2024

Time Meeting Convened: 9:04 a.m.

Call to Order: Speaker Randall Hicks

Invocation: Representative Thomasene Yahola Osborn Roll Call: National Council Secretary Alicia Stroble

Roll call was taken with the following being recorded: 16 present, 0 absent, at time of roll call.

CREEK DISTRICT Patrick Freeman Jr		Robert Hufft Present					
MCINTOSH DISTRICT Darrell Proctor	Nelson Harjo Sr Present	Charles McHenry Present					
MUSKOGEE DISTRICT Mary Crawford	Anna MarshallPresent						
A quorum was established; therefore, all business transacted will be valid.							

AGENDA REVIEW:

Health, Education & Welfare: Chairperson Joyce C. Deere

Chairperson Deere reported no additions.

Land, Natural Resources & Cultural Preservation: Chairman Darrell Proctor

Chairman Proctor reported no additions.

Business, Finance & Justice: Chairman Robert Hufft

Chairman Hufft reported no additions.

OTHER BUSINESS:

Representative Nelson Harjo Sr. made a motion to **Add Mary Mashunkashey to the Agenda for Nominee Interview.** Representative Charles McHenry seconded the motion. Upon a motion and second being made, a voice vote was taken with the following results being recorded: **15 in favor, 0 against.**

Representative Thomasene Yahola Osborn made a motion to **Go in to Executive Session**. Representative Charles McHenry seconded the motion. Upon a motion and second being made, a voice vote was taken with the following results being recorded: **15 in favor**, **0 against.**

Interviewed nominees in Executive Session:

Grover Wind to serve as Veterans Affairs Services Administrator;

Shawn Terry to serve as Secretary of Health;

Kaila Harjo to serve as Secretary of Education;

Carmin Techumseh-Williams to serve as Secretary of Community and Human Services;

Little Snow Fields to serve as Secretary of Housing;

Richard Lerblance to serve as a Supreme Court Justice;

Andrew Adams III to serve as a Supreme Court Justice; and

Mary Mashunkashey to serve as Tax Commissioner.

Representative Thomasene Yahola Osborn made a motion to **Come out of to Executive Session**. Representative Robert Hufft seconded the motion. Upon a motion and second being made, a voice vote was taken with the following results being recorded: **15 in favor**, **0 against**.

In to Executive Session at 9:07 a.m. Out of Executive Session at 11:09 a.m.

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ADJOURNMENT:

Representative Charles McHenry made a motion to Adjourn. Representative Sandra Golden seconded the motion. Upon a motion and a second being made a voice vote was taken with the following results being recorded: All in favor, none against.

Meeting adjourned at 11:10 a.m.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Journal of the Muscogee (Creek) National Council comprised of sixteen members, with **Fourteen** members who approved this set of minutes on **March 30, 2024**.

Alicia Stroble, Recording Secretary Muscogee (Creek) National Council

APPROVAL

I, Speaker of the National Council, hereby affix my signature, certifying that the minutes of <u>February 24, 2024</u> Pre-Agenda Session were approved on <u>March 30, 2024</u> during the Regular Session of the National Council.

Randall Hicks, Speaker

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