

ANDREW SNAKE-2011-CANDIDATE FOR CHIEF OF THE SAC AND FOX NATION

My plan as your newly elected Chief is to double the amount of your per capita payment and pay you your per capita payment on a quarterly basis. This is not a campaign promise but a plan to build a bigger and more profitable casino on twelve acres across the road from our current Sac and Fox Casino in operation at 42008 West Tech Road, Shawnee, Oklahoma. This new Sac and Fox gaming resort will lure gaming patrons from the Oklahoma City area including all east and westbound traffic on a busy Interstate I-40 highway. This new 300,000 square foot gaming facility will not only offer 1000 or more class three slot machines on a 40,000 square foot gaming floor but will include 100 hotel rooms. The vacation design includes a tobacco shop, an indoor/outdoor pool and a hot sauna pool. There will be table games and poker rooms with live horse race telecasts. The dining experience includes a buffet restaurant, a casual café, a steakhouse, and a stage bar. The new gaming facility will offer over 700 jobs with a projected annual income of 70 to 80 million dollars a year. For safety, the gaming facility will be equipped with underground tornado shelters. My second plan pending the former Tanger Mall property obtains trust status is a second construction of a Sac and Fox gaming resort at the Turner Turnpike Interstate 44 and Highway 99 Stroud exit. This site will target gaming patrons from the Tulsa area and all east and westbound traffic on Interstate 44 highway. This vacation spot will also feature 1000 or more class three, slot machines, 100 hotel rooms, a buffet restaurant, an entertainment center, a refueling station, and a large wholesale tobacco drive-thru service. The design includes underground tornado shelters. The projected revenue after both gaming facilities are in full operation is 140 million dollars annually.

QUALIFICATIONS

My thirty-five years, of work experience with several tribes includes the states of Oklahoma, Kansas, Minnesota, Wisconsin, California, and Nebraska. My work experience includes Director of an Indian Health Clinic, Director of the Housing Authority. My employment tenure includes experience as Director and Counselor of several alcohol and drug treatment programs. I have working knowledge of contract deadlines, reports, human rights issues, grant writing, awareness of federal, state, and tribal laws. In 1980, as President and owner of a Native American consultant firm in Ponca City, Oklahoma my duties included supervising a staff of four consultants and a secretary with a monthly payroll of \$10,000 dollars that included a small office of consultants in the Washington D.C. area. The purpose of my firm was finding money and grants for qualified tribes. My experience includes knowledge of the political system in Washington D.C. area. I know how to find money for economic development.

AUTOBIOGRAPHY

My late mother was Pauline McClellan. My mother's half sister was Augustine Gokey. My Sauk relatives include the McClellan, Gokey, Scott, Bass families and all the children of the late Lucien Rice. Recently descendents from the Scott and Nullake family informed me I was their relatives as well. In-essence the Sac and Fox Nation is one big family and I am proud of all my Sauk relatives. I reside in Shawnee, Oklahoma with two younger brothers Sammy and Kenneth. My last name Snake is short for Big Snake a Ponca Name. I am one-half Ponca and one-half Sauk. On my Ponca side, my great-grand Father was Chief of the Ponca Nation. Chief Big Snake killed at the Ponca Indian Agency on October 31, 1879 was a victim of a planned conspiracy by the federal government. He died at the hands of soldiers but not before taking the lives of three armed guards. Big Snake's Brother Chief Standing Bear 1834-1908 successfully argued in U.S. District court 1879 in Omaha, Nebraska that Native Americans are persons within the meaning of the law have the right of habeas Corpus. A movie entitled "The trial of Standing Bear," portrayed the jury trial of Standing Bear. My Ponca ancestry comes from a line of Chief Descendents.

EDUCATION

I graduated High School at Haskell Institute, Lawrence, Kansas 1961. I studied Building Construction and design at Oklahoma State Tech, Okmulgee, Oklahoma 1970. I graduated Northern Oklahoma College, Tonkawa, Oklahoma, 1974 with a major in Community Mental Health. I attended Northeastern State College, Tahlequah, Oklahoma and Tulsa University majoring in Clinical psychology 1975-1978

MILITARY

My duties in the United States Marine Corp from 1961-1966 included everything from an infantrymen to administrative clerk. I maintained government records, filing, typing, budget analyses, and financial planning. I supervised forty civilian employees, ten military personnel and a small motor pool. I received a good conduct medal and a Marine Corp Expeditionary Medal for participation in the 1962 Cuban Missile Crisis. I served with Hotel Company, second Battalion, seventh Marine Regiment, with the First Marine Division, at Camp Pendleton, California. In Okinawa, I served with Delta Company, First Battalion, Ninth Marine Regiment, Third Marine Division, from 1963-1964. I served one year aboard the USS Renville APA 227, USS Iwo Jima LPH-2, and the USS Cavalier APA 37. In 1964, I participated in one classified mission in Viet Nam. Call me at 405-714-0035 or email me andybigsnake@yahoo.com and let us talk about what YOU want to see in a change in our leadership.

YOU ARE MY BOSS AND I WORK FOR YOU.