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## ‘Not Invisible Act’ Commission Set to Begin Active Advisory Role

On May 5, 2022, U. S. Secretary of the Interior Deb Haaland and U. S. Deputy Attorney General Lisa Monaco recognized ‘National Missing or Murdered Indigenous Persons Awareness Day’ with a virtual event to highlight the ‘Not Invisible Act’ Commission.

During the event, panelists discussed the Missing and Murdered Indigenous Peoples (MMIP) crisis and the importance of the Not Invisible Act Commission in the collaborative efforts to address the crisis. The event was live-streamed on the Interior Department’s website.

The Departments of the Interior and Justice are working

### In Combating Violence Against Native People

to implement the Not Invisible Act, sponsored by Secretary Haaland during her time in Congress. The law established the Not Invisible Act Commission, a cross jurisdictional advisory committee composed of law enforcement, Tribal leaders, federal partners, service providers, family members of missing and murdered individuals, and most importantly - survivors. The Departments announced the Not Invisible Act Commission members.

“The Justice Department is committed to addressing the

crisis of missing or murdered Indigenous persons with the urgency it demands,” said Attorney General Merrick B. Garland. “That commitment is reflected in the strength of our partnerships across the federal government, including with the Department of the Interior as we take the next steps in launching the Not Invisible Act Commission.

“The Commissioners announced today will play a critical role in our efforts to better meet the public safety needs of Native communities. The Justice Department will continue to work alongside our Tribal partners with respect, sincerity, and a shared interest in the well-being of Tribal communities.”

“Everyone deserves to feel safe in their community, but a lack of urgency, transparency and coordination have hampered our country’s efforts to combat violence against American Indians and Alaska Natives,” said Interior Secretary Deb Haaland.

“As we work with the Department of Justice to prioritize the missing and murdered Indigenous people’s crisis, the Not Invisible Act Commission will help address the underlying roots of the Missing and Murdered Indigenous Peoples crisis by ensuring the voices of those impacted by violence against Native people are included in our quest to implement solutions.”

The Not Invisible Act Commission will make recommendations to the Departments of the Interior and Justice to improve intergovernmental coordination and establish best practices for state, tribal, and federal law enforcement, to bolster resources for survivors and victim’s families, and to combat the epidemic of missing persons, murder, and trafficking of Native American, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian people.

Among its missions, the Commission will:

- Identify, report and respond to instances of missing and murdered Indigenous peoples (MMIP) cases and human trafficking;
- Develop legislative and administrative changes necessary to use federal programs, properties, and resources to combat the crisis;
- Track and report data on MMIP and human trafficking cases;
- Consider issues related to the hiring and retention of law enforcement offices;
- Coordinate Tribal-state-federal resources to combat MMIP and human trafficking offices on Indian lands; and,
- Increase information shar-

ing with Tribal governments on violent crimes investigations and other prosecutions on Indian lands.

The Commission has the authority to hold hearings, gather testimony, and receive additional evidence and feedback from its members to develop recommendations for the secretary and attorney general.

### ‘Victory Day’ Celebration



Pictured standing from left are: Stephanie Hudson, Annette Rice, Stacy Leeds and Greg Bigler. Seated is Carol Childers. (Photo courtesy of Anthony Ramirez)

## Mother of Deceased Tribal Member Creates Resource Tool for Native Homicide Victims’ Families

MS to y  
SeeM ef o Me

The local Oklahoma headline of the Shawnee News-Star read “Woman Lying in the Road Gets Hit, Killed by Car near Shawnee.” But, I am so much more than that. I was taken from my family on the night of January 9th, 2021 under questionable circumstances.

My name is Skye (Griggs) Jim, I was 30 years old and a mother of five beautiful children. I was a daughter, grand daughter, a sister, a niece, and an auntie. I was Sac and Fox and Shawnee. My maternal great grandmother was the late Beatrice Onzawah. My paternal grandmother was the late Cora Bass. I was also Bear clan and, like my relatives before me, I belonged to this land. I belonged here.

In order to understand my story, it is also important that you understand the issue of Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women (MMIW).

According to the 2018 Urban Indian Health Institute Research Report:

- \* Murder is the third-leading cause of death among American Indian and Alaskan Native women.

- \* Native women are murdered and sexually assaulted 10X the national average.

- \* 29 years old is the median age of the victims.

- \* 1 out of 3 Native women are sexually assaulted in their lifetime.

- \* 8 % of these assaults are perpetrated by non-natives.

- \* In 2015 there were 5,712 known incidents yet only 112 cases were logged into the federal database and 95% of those cases were not covered by national or international media.

● Oklahoma is one of the top ten states with highest numbers of MMIW cases.

You should know, however, that my story may or may not



The Late Skye Jim

be unique. You see, I have fallen under both categories of Missing and Murdered.

At the young age of 15, I went missing and in that, I experienced some trauma, but I survived. It became a federal interstate case, but my family fought for me and, unlike many missing indigenous women and girls, they were able to find me and bring me home alive.

It is difficult for my family knowing that they fought for me but have now lost me 15 years later to yet another act of colonial violence. Colonial violence against both Indigenous Women and Men is real. It’s tragic and affects our families and communities in so many ways

- Submitted by Her Mother  
Alecia Onzawah

(Note: I’m the mother of the late Sac and Fox tribal member Skye Jim. I have created a page for her story:

[www.justiceforskyejim.com](http://www.justiceforskyejim.com)

Based on our experiences since her death and our struggle to find resources, we’ve found zero resources available specifically for surviving families. As a result, I’ve created a web-based resource tool for Native Homicide Victims’ Families: [www.theskyewomanproject.com](http://www.theskyewomanproject.com))

## Camp Clean-Up Notice

The 57th Annual Sac and Fox Nation Powwow is July 7-10, 2022. **Camp Clean-Up for the first time is the 8th.** Please have trash ready for pickup by the roadway bagged or boxed. Larger items please mark with an X so we know to go into the camp for disposal. If there are limbs around your camp, please pick them up so we can mow around the campsite. Contact Maintenance at 918-968-3526 ext. 208 if you have additional questions or concerns.

**Elder Abuse Awareness Day Lunch**  
Mon., June 13  
10 am - 2 pm  
in the  
Sac and Fox  
Community Building

## Activity, Employee Committees Host 29th Annual Celebration

by Mike Brown

Sac and Fox Nation tribal members and special guests gathered on the evening of May 17, 2022 to observe the 29th Annual ‘Victory Day’ celebration. Victory Day commemorates the Sac and Fox Nation’s successful defense of sovereignty against the Oklahoma Tax Commission before the Supreme Court of the United States.

The event included the serving of a traditional meal, followed by a slate of guest speakers, a photo slide show, video and other activities. It was hosted by the Sac and Fox Nation’s Activity Committee and Employee Committee in the Nation’s Community Building.

Serving as master of ceremonies was Sac and Fox Nation Historical Researcher Juakin Hamilton. Guest speakers for the evening program included:

- Attorney Greg Bigler, who in 1993, along with the late Attorney General G. William Rice and late attorney Truman Carter, successfully presented the court case before the Supreme Court;
- Charlotte Valero, who in 1993 served as revenue administrator for the Sac and Fox Nation Tax Commission;
- Professor Stacy Leeds, who previously served as dean of the University of Arkansas Law School, and currently serves as district court judge for the Muskogean County.

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Shown is a UH-60 Black Hawk helicopter similar to the unit to be unveiled and dedicated on July 9, 2022. (Stock Photo)

## Black Hawk Helicopter Static Display Unveiling, Dedication Tentatively Set for July 9, 2022

The Sac and Fox Veterans cordially extend an invitation to all Sac and Fox Nation tribal members, families and all veterans alike, to the dedication of a UH-60 Black Hawk Helicopter. “This particular piece of equipment is symbolic to our tribe in the fact that it has been the workhorse for our military, carrying troops to and from bat-

tlefields throughout the globe. We are honored to share this day with you and hope you are able to join us. Veterans luncheon and reception to follow,” said Sac and Fox Veterans Service Officer Rickey Cline.

Tentative Date!  
July 9th, 2022 @ 0900  
Sac & Fox Veterans Memorial Park, Stroud, Okla.



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## Obituaries

Teresa Ann LeClair, 58, beloved sister, aunt and friend, passed away on April 18, 2022. Teresa was born July 14 1963 in Oklahoma City, Okla.

She was a Stroud High School graduate. She enjoyed playing softball, going

### Mismatch in Emotions vs Assistance Received After Natural Disasters

*by Brian Brus  
Oklahoma State University  
Agricultural Communications Services*

The intensity of emotions expressed Online when natural disasters strike doesn't necessarily lead to an equal amount of financial assistance when people need recovery help afterward, according to recent Oklahoma State University research.

"There was a significant mismatch," said Courtney Bir, an Oklahoma State University Extension farm management specialist and assistant professor in the OSU Department of Agricultural Economics. "This rapid fall in media attention may leave directly impacted communities without help and support as they face the difficulty of rebuilding after a disaster."

An understanding of social media activity might help government agencies and relief organizations make better use of public attention before, during and after disasters such as hurricanes, as well as wildfires, tornadoes and weather events common in Oklahoma.

In the study recently published in the journal Natural Disasters, researchers found Online media responses to catastrophes vary based on a wide range of factors such as the type of disaster, geography, population impacted and severity of damage. For example, social media content related to hurricanes has typically outnumbered fire content, which mostly can be attributed to larger populations in coastal areas. Analysis of such social media references could be helpful to policymakers and agencies such as the American Red Cross and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

Researchers also warned of pitfalls, such as unscrupulous people who prey on trending media content to increase promotions of unrelated products. They also noted the impact of "compassion fatigue," a personal sense of depleted empathy due to overwhelming exposure to suffering.

So, timing is key, Bir said. The research showed there was a mismatch in public response between periods that people posted about disasters on social media and the times when aid was needed to rebuild. "That range of behavior could be a significant factor in helping Oklahomans," Bir said. "Wildfires impact Oklahoma agricultural producers, and they cannot rely on early social media support to result in material help later. Thoughts and prayers Online are great, but donations and support post-disaster are still needed."

## Teresa Ann LeClair

to casinos and listening to music. She also enjoyed getting to work as a caregiver for awhile. Teresa was loved and will be missed by all.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Lionel LeClair and Georgia Noble; and, brother Perry LeClair. Survivors in-



Teresa Ann LeClair

clude: brother Mike Harris, brother R.G. Harris; sister Sandra Tate and many nieces and nephews.

## Thank You

The Harris Family would like to say 'thank you' for all your help laying my sister, Teresa, to rest. Greg Morris, Jackie King and my nephew Sam Spang were gracious in accepting my request for their help. Thank you everyone who had a kind word for the family. Also, those who just wanted to pay their last respects.

Thank you Edgar Butler, our clan chief, for taking care of her name. I was able to feel good in my time of sorrow knowing all that had to be done would be done. Thanks to all of you.

I feel Teresa was shown in death the love and respect she seldom seen in life. For that, may Our Creator bless each and everyone.

Sincerely,  
M. Harris and Family

## Happy June Birthday Elders!

Abney, Sharon Kay  
Ahgoom, Ronald Wayne  
Alexander, Edmond Jacob Jr.  
Alexander, Erin Casey  
Allen, Viola Kay  
Britt, Mary Sue  
Brown, Stewart Matthew  
Bushyhead, David Wade  
Coombs, Diane Elizabeth  
Delaware, Rodney Keith  
Eldredge, Larry Ernest  
Ellis, Linda Sue  
Franklin, Carole Ann  
Franklin, Martin Edward  
Galloway, Ronald Lee  
Garrison, Shirley Jean  
Goodeagle, Ronald Charles Jr.  
Grant, Lisa Renee  
Grass, Michael Lynn  
Grass, William Lloyd  
Hilligoss, Ramona Ann  
Hocker, David D  
Hodgens, Gary Wayne  
Hodgens, Paul Ray  
Holly, Jacqueline Allene  
Horton, Dawn Hawkins  
Hoskins, James Evans  
Hutchens, Brenda June  
Johnson, Ramona Marie  
Lack, Murna Lee  
Lane, Charlotte Estelle  
Long, Becky Marie  
Long, Lamont L  
Longshore, Roy Dale  
Lovelady, Pearl Darlene



Macy, Lisa Louise  
Malone, Colin Sean  
Mascorro, David Jon  
McAllister, Sharron  
McDonald, Christine  
Nelson, John Wallace  
Patten, David Roy  
Pawling, Richard Leroy Jr.  
Perry, Allyson Beth  
Preston, Roseanna Frances  
Quintana, Hilda  
Ramseyer, Phyllis Ruth  
Rhodd, Connie Paulette  
Rivas, Daniel Jr.  
Roubidoux, Linus  
Saulsberry, Clyde  
Smith, Deborah Lou  
Springer, Peggy Melody  
Tate, Sherri Leigh  
Tipton, Bobbe Ann  
Trammell, Frederick Allen  
Trammell, Michael Steven  
Wachter, Deborah Diane  
Wakolee, Angela Sue  
Wallace, Charles William  
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Ward, Larry James  
Whitlow, Constance Irene  
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# Sec. Haaland Announces the Launch Of Boarding School ‘Road to Healing’

Secretary of the Interior Deb Haaland and Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs Bryan Newland on May 11, 2022 released Volume 1 of the investigative report called for as part of the Federal Indian Boarding School Initiative, a comprehensive effort to address the troubled legacy of federal Indian boarding school policies. This report lays the groundwork for the continued work of the Interior Department to address the intergenerational trauma created by historical federal Indian boarding school policies.

This investigative report is a significant step by the federal government to comprehensively address the facts and consequences of its federal Indian boarding school policies—implemented for more than a century and a half—resulting in the twin goals of cultural assimilation and territorial dispossession of Indigenous peoples through the forced removal and relocation of their children. It reflects an extensive and first-ever inventory of federally operated schools, including profiles and maps.

The investigation found that from 1819 to 1969, the federal Indian boarding school system consisted of 408 federal schools across 37 states or then territories, including 21 schools in Alaska and 7 schools in Hawaii. The investigation identified marked or unmarked burial sites at approximately 53 different schools across the school system. As the investigation continues, the Department expects the number of identified burial sites to increase.

“The consequences of federal Indian boarding school policies—including the intergenerational trauma caused by the family separation and cultural eradication inflicted upon generations of children as young as 4 years old—are heartbreaking and undeniable,” said Secretary Haaland. “We continue to see the evidence of this attempt to forcibly assimilate Indigenous people in the disparities that communities face. It is my priority to not only give voice to the survivors and descendants of federal Indian boarding school policies, but also to address the lasting legacies of these policies so Indigenous peoples can continue to grow and heal.”

“This report presents the opportunity for us to reorient federal policies to support the revitalization of Tribal languages and cultural practices to counteract nearly two centuries of federal policies aimed at their destruction,” said Assistant Secretary Newland. “Together, we can help begin a healing process for Indian Country, the Native Hawaiian Community and across the United States, from the Alaskan tundra to the Florida everglades, and everywhere in between.”

As part of the Federal Indian Boarding School Initiative and in response to recommendations from the report, Secretary Haaland announced the launch of “The Road to Healing.” This year-long tour

will include travel across the country to allow American Indian, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian survivors of the federal Indian boarding school system the opportunity to share their stories, help connect communities with trauma-informed support, and facilitate collection of a permanent oral history.

“The Department’s work thus far shows that an all-of-government approach is necessary to strengthen and rebuild the bonds within Native communities that federal Indian boarding school policies set out to break,” added Secretary Haaland. “With the President’s direction, we have begun working through the White House Council of Native American Affairs on the path ahead to preserve Tribal languages, invest in survivor-focused services, and honor our obligations to Indigenous communities. We also appreciate the ongoing engagement and support for this effort from Members of Congress and look forward to continued collaboration.”

Volume 1 of the report highlights some of the conditions children endured at these schools and raises important questions about the short- and long-term consequences of the federal Indian boarding school system on American Indian, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian communities.

The investigation found that the federal Indian boarding school system deployed systematic militarized and identity-alteration methodologies in an attempt to assimilate American Indian, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian children through education, including but not limited to renaming Indian children from Indian to English names; cutting the hair of Indian children; discouraging or preventing the use of American Indian, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian languages, religions and cultural practices; and organizing Indian and Native Hawaiian children into units to perform military drills.

Despite assertions to the contrary, the investigation found that the school system largely focused on manual labor and vocational skills that left American Indian, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian graduates with employment options often irrelevant to the industrial U.S. economy, further disrupting Tribal economies.

## Victory Day Celebration

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cogee Nation;

- Stephanie Hudson, who serves as director of Oklahoma Indian Legal Services;
- Annette Rice and son, John Queton; and,
- Carol Childers, who in 1993, served as a member of the Sac and Fox Law and Order Committee.

The program also included a National History Day award-winning video by tribal member Kealan Hamilton, a photo slide show prepared by Shanarae Boyd, and a video provided by Carol Childers.



## Traditional Meal Served

Members of the Activity Committee are pictured preparing and serving a traditional meal during the May 17 Victory Day celebration in the Sac and Fox Community Building. (Photo courtesy of Anthony Ramirez)

# SAVE THE DATE



## 57TH ANNUAL SAC & FOX NATION POWWOW

(Covid guidelines)

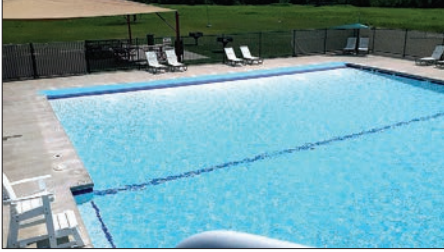
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## Sac and Fox Nation Swimming Pool Rules and Hours



### Opening Memorial Weekend!!!

Pool hours are:

12 pm to 6 pm Tuesday through Sunday  
Closed on Mondays

(Children Under age 12 must be accompanied by an adult)

Admission prices are \$2.00 for the general public,  
\$1.00 for Sac and Fox Nation tribal members  
Season Pass Available Through the Maintenance Dept.  
\$35 for Individual or \$70 for Family of 5

Private Parties are in the evenings from 6 pm until 8 pm  
Parties are required to fill out proper paperwork for rental agreements as well as for scheduling 24 hrs in advance  
**and Full Payment Must be Received**

Arrangements will be administered  
through the Maintenance Dept.  
(918) 968-3526 Ext. 2062

Pool rental prohibited during the week of the  
Nation’s Annual Celebration

Rental prices are \$75.00 (2 hours) for general public,  
\$50.00 for Sac and Fox Nation tribal members  
Certified Lifeguards with CPR/First aid training will be on duty  
No waiving of fees. No exceptions.

Business Committee Meeting Minutes  
are now accessible on the Website  
[sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov](http://sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov) and Facebook

FRIDAY, JULY 8, 2022

## GENEALOGY WORKSHOP Meet Your Ancestors

SAC AND FOX NATION  
CULTURAL CENTER  
10AM TO 12PM

Attendees get a Free gift for filling out Genealogy Sheet

Bring your family  
information

Blank genealogy charts  
will be available

Contact Information

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918-968-3526 ex 2022



Sac and Fox Nation Education Department News

by Edwina Butler-Wolfe

Greetings!

The Education Department would like to inform everyone of a possible delay in the RAP Clothing/School Supply assistance. The VISA cards may not be ready until August 1; we are hoping that the minor delay with the vendors will be resolved by July 1. We would like to inform you that there could be a delay.

Please send in your RAP Clothing/School Supply Applications starting July 1st. Parents/Guardians please complete the application forms with child/children enrollment cards. Do not assume we have them on hand, last year applications are file and box away and we do not have time to look for enrollment cards. It is your responsibility to send in a copy of enrollment card (s).

**NOTICE**

**COLLEGE STUDENTS! DEADLINE FOR FALL SEMESTER 2022 IS JUNE 30, 2022 ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE COMPLETE BY JUNE 30 AND MAILED IN.**

Justin Morris and I are planning to be available for any Sac and Fox College Student that have questions and need help with college applications that we provide. (RAP and DOI Higher Education). Here is the schedule:

- June 3, 2022, Friday, Sac and Fox Multi-Purpose Building - Shawnee, 5:00 pm until 7:00 pm.
- Sac and Fox Nation Learning Center - Stroud, June 11, 2022, Saturday 9:00 am until 12:00 pm.

We are scheduling to be available at two sites for JOM Applications and other program assistance. Cushing and Shawnee area. The Cushing site will be at the Cushing Public Schools Administration Office 1401 N. Little Ave, Cushing and the Shawnee site will be the Sac and Fox Multi-Purpose Building, 215 N. Harrison Ave, Shawnee.

**CUSHING SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION BUILDING – JUSTIN MORRIS**

- TUESDAY, JUNE 14, 2022, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm until 4:00 pm;
- THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 2022, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm until 4:00 pm;
- MONDAY, JUNE 20, 2022, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm until 4:00 pm
- WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 2022, 9:00 AM UNTIL 4:00 PM.

**SAC AND FOX MULTI-PURPOSE BUILDING – SHAWNEE – EDWINA BUTLER-WOLFE:**

- WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15, 2022, 8:00 AM UNTIL 5:00 PM;
- FRIDAY, JUNE 17, 2022, 8:00 am – 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm until 5:00 pm;
- TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 2022, 8:00 am – 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm until 5:00 pm;
- THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 8:00 am – 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm until 5:00 pm.

Justin or I will be at the Stroud Office accepting applications throughout the two weeks we have plan for the two sites. If you have any questions please let us know. You can call 918 968-3526, ext: 2043 or ext: 2046

Thank you,  
Edwina Butler-Wolfe  
Director of Education Department  
Cell number: 405 328-0402

Sac and Fox Nation School Students

Wear Their Graduation Stoles



Paulena Lynn Watson, graduate of Southern Nazarene University, Bethany, Oklahoma; Bachelor of Science in Organizational Leadership.



Adeline Mae Bemo, Kindergarten graduate; Meeker Elementary School.



Breea Zacher, Cloquet High School graduate, Cloquet, Minnesota



Corwin Ross, Kindergarten graduate, Agra Public Schools.



Icle Brewer, Meeker High School graduate.




Seinna Carter, Meeker High School graduate.



Donavin Nordyke, North Rock Creek High School.



Jayden Brown North Rock Creek High School.



**SAC AND FOX KINDERGARTEN GRADUATES**

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ELIANA SUWENV GRASS

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**HORTON HIGH SCHOOL (HORTON, KANSAS)**  
MALIYAH ROSE SOTO

**QUAPAW HIGH SCHOOL**  
PAYTON GEYLYNN RICE

**VIRGINIA BEACH CITY PUBLIC SCHOOL, FRANK W. COX HIGH SCHOOL**  
KATRINA PAULINE GARCIA

**MCCLOUD HIGH SCHOOL**  
JAI ALLEN WALKER  
DESTIN C. CHRISTINE WALKER

**RINCON HIGH SCHOOL (ARIZONA)**  
MICHA NADINE PAHSETOPAH

**CLOQUET SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL (MINNESOTA)**  
BREEA CAYDENCE ZACHER

**DIBBLE HIGH SCHOOL**  
STEEV CAIDENCE ROUBIDOUX

**SAC AND FOX COLLEGE GRADUATES**


**SOUTHERN NAZARENE UNIVERSITY**  
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JILLIAN ROSE LUCERO



**SAC AND FOX NATION EDUCATION DEPARTMENT FUN DAY**



**WHEN**  
July 8th, 2022  
9:00 am to 2:00 pm

**WHERE**  
Sac and Fox Nation Pow Wow Grounds  
Stroud, OK

**FEATURING** • Water Slide • Dry Slide • Obstacles Course • Carnival Games • Prizes • Inflatables

Sac and Fox Nation is not responsible for theft, bodily injuries.

[HTTPS://WWW.SACANDFOXNATION-NSN.GOV/DEPARTMENTS/EDUCATION/](https://www.sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov/departments/education/)

**ALL AGES EVENT**



**FOOD**  
Hot Dogs  
Chips  
Drinks







**WORLD ELDER ABUSE AWARENESS DAY**  
Building Strong Support for Elders

**ARE YOU PARTICIPATING IN WALK FOR WEAAD?**

Build a national elder justice movement, through movement!

Walk for WEAAD begins May 1st, on the first day of Older Americans Month, and runs through June 15th, WEAAD.

Register & create your profile on [weaad.walkertracker.com](https://weaad.walkertracker.com)!



JUNE 29, 2022

FOOD HANDLER CERTIFICATION

Instructed by: Beau Carter  
RPS\RPES  
INDIAN HEALTH SERVICES

LEARNING CENTER  
930102 S 3562 RD STROUD OK  
1:00 P.M.  
CONTACT ANGELA GASPER TO REGISTER  
918-968-3526 EXT. 2011

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920963 S. Hwy. 99, Building A • Stroud, OK 74079 • (918) 968-1141 • FAX (918) 968-1142

NAME CHANGE  
AND/OR  
CHANGE OF ADDRESS FORM

NAME

PRINT CURRENT FULL NAME (First, Middle & Last)ROLL NUMBER

SIGNATUREDATE

A COPY OF THE LEGAL DOCUMENT CHANGING YOUR NAME AND A COPY OF YOUR NEW SOCIAL SECURITY CARD MUST BE ATTACHED.

PLEASE LIST PREVIOUS NAME (PRINT)DATE OF BIRTH

MAILING ADDRESS

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CHANGE OF ADDRESS FOR MINORS REQUIRE A W-9 FORM BE COMPLETED FOR THE BANK. PLEASE REQUEST A FORM FOR EACH CHILD FROM THE ENROLLMENT DEPARTMENT, 918-968-3526 ext. 1040 or 1041.

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE ENROLLMENT DEPARTMENT

Date Electronic File Was UpdatedDate Sac and Fox News Was NotifiedStaff Initials

Save - the - Date

06.10.22

Save the date for the  
2022-2023 Sac & Fox Nation Tribal  
Princess Pageant

Sac & Fox Nation Community Bldg. Stroud, OK

NOTICE

A W-9 form is not needed for Per Capita Payments unless you have a name change, new address, you are a newly-enrolled tribal member or, if required, for RAP applications.

↓ W-9 FORM MUST BE CUT ON DOTTED LINE BEFORE MAILING ↓

Business Committee Meeting Minutes are now accessible on the Website [sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov](http://sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov) and Facebook

Sac and Fox Nation Telephone Extensions

Main Number: 918-968-3526

- Chief - 1004
- Second Chief - 1008
- Treasurer - 1006
- Secretary - 1007
- Committee Member - 1005
- BC Front Desk - 1009
- Tax - 1043-1045
- Accounting - 1030-1036
- Property and Procurement - 1020-1039-1022
- Maintenance - 2062
- BHHC - 918-968-9531
- ICW - 1711
- Court - 2039
- Library - 2020-2021
- Language - 1075
- JUVI - 4000
- USDA - 2077 (WIC 2079)-2080-2081-2082 (Warehouse USDA 2089)
- Education - 2046
- IT - 2041
- Police - 2033
- Self-Governance - 1080
- Capitol Security - 1090
- Realty - 1052
- Enrollment - 1040-1041
- RAP - 2000 - 2001
- Social Services - 2010-2011
- OES - 2091-2092-2094
- Veterans - 1065
- Newspaper - 1060
- Tribal Administrator - 1010
- NAGPRA/Historic Preservation - 1070
- ARPA - 1819

Form W-9  
(Rev. October 2018)  
Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

Go to [www.irs.gov/FormW9](http://www.irs.gov/FormW9) for instructions and the latest information.

1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.

2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above

3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on line 1. Check only **one** of the following seven boxes.  
☐ Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC  
☐ C Corporation  
☐ S Corporation  
☐ Partnership  
☐ Trust/estate  
☐ Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=Partnership) **▶** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Note:** Check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner. Do not check LLC if the LLC is classified as a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner unless the owner of the LLC is another LLC that is **not** disregarded from the owner for U.S. federal tax purposes. Otherwise, a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner.  
☐ Other (see instructions) **▶** \_\_\_\_\_

4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):  
Exempt payee code (if any) \_\_\_\_\_  
Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)*

5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) See instructions.

6 City, state, and ZIP code

7 List account number(s) here (optional)

Requester's name and address (optional)  
SAC AND FOX NATION  
920883 S. HIGHWAY 99 BLDG. "A"  
STROUD, OKLAHOMA, 74079

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.  
**Note:** If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. Also see *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number  
or  
Employer identification number

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:  
1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and  
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and  
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and  
4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.  
**Certification instructions.** You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later.

Sign HereSignature of U.S. person **▶** \_\_\_\_\_Date **▶** \_\_\_\_\_

General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.  
**Future developments.** For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to [www.irs.gov/FormW9](http://www.irs.gov/FormW9).  
**Purpose of Form**  
An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following.  
• Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)  
• Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)  
• Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)  
• Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)  
• Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)  
• Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)  
• Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)  
• Form 1099-C (canceled debt)  
• Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)  
Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.  
*If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding, later.*

Cat. No. 10231X

Form W-9 (Rev. 10-2018)



## Business Committee Meeting Minutes

Please be advised that the following are official actions taken by the Business Committee in a Recessed Regular Business Committee meeting held on April 26, 2022. These actions are to be followed up by the appropriate departments.

- 1) Robert E. Williamson motion to approve with Special Business Committee meeting minutes dated March 22, 2022. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 2) Lana J. Butler motion to ratify the following straw poll resolutions/motions:

a. **Resolution SF-22-98**, a resolution authorizing and approving the proposal agreement between the Sac and Fox Nation and Heartland Seating, Inc. for improvements to the Powwow Grounds. The funding source is identified as the ARPA (Treasury) Powwow Grounds Budget.

b. **Resolution SF-22-107**, a resolution approving and authorizing Lana J. Butler, Secretary, to have temporary signature authority for the Sac and Fox Nation Casino bank accounts at Banc First and removing Principal Chief Justin F. Wood's temporary signature authority for the Sac and Fox Nation Casino bank accounts at BancFirst.

c. Approval to rescind the motion reappointing Lottie Coody to the Sac and Fox Nation Gaming Commission.

d. **Resolution SF-22-108**, a resolution reappointing Lottie Coody to Position #2 for the Sac and Fox Nation Gaming Commission pending a successful and satisfactory background check and licensing.

e. **Resolution SF-22-109**, a resolution authorizing and approving the proposal agreement between the Sac and Fox Nation and Greenlawns Plus for improvements to the Powwow Grounds, contract #2022-03-08, not to exceed Twenty-Five Thousand Nine Hundred Fifteen Dollars (\$25,915.00). The funding source is identified as the ARPA (Treasury) Powwow Grounds Budget.

f. Approval of Tribal Emergency Home Repair (T.E.H.R.) Assistance for the following resident: 23 E. Burnham Ave., Sapulpa, OK 74066 in the amount of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00). Contract #2022-04-09.

g. Approval of Tribal Emergency Home Repair (T.E.H.R.) Assistance for the following resident: 1533 E. 75<sup>th</sup> N., Tulsa, OK 74126 in the amount of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00). Contract #2022-04-10.

h. Approval of Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) Assistance for the following resident: 1016 E. Dewey Ave., Sapulpa, OK 74066 in the amount of Eight Thousand Two Hundred Thirty Dollars (\$8,230.00). Contract #2022-04-11.

i. Approval of Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) Assistance for the following resident: 1232 E. 4<sup>th</sup>, Cushing, OK 74023 in the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00). Contract #2022-04-12.

j. Approval of Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) Assistance for the following resident: 4809 E. 9<sup>th</sup> St., Cushing, OK 74023 in the amount of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000.00). Contract #2022-04-13.

k. Approval of Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) Assistance for the following resident: 1208 E. Wallace, Shawnee, OK 74801 in the amount of Seven Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$7,600.00). Contract #2022-04-14.

l. Approval of Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) Assistance for the following resident: 45702 Hazell Dell Rd., Meeker, OK 74855 in the amount of Two Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$2,950.00). Contract #2022-04-15.

m. Approval of Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) Assistance for the following resident: 355866 E. 810 Rd., Stroud, OK 74079 in the amount of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00). Contract #2022-04-16.

n. Approval of Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) Assistance for the following resident: 4018 N. Euchee Valley, Cushing, OK 74023 in the amount of Nine Thousand Dollars (\$9,000.00). Contract #2022-04-17.

o. Approval of Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) Assistance for the following resident: 840831 S. 2<sup>nd</sup> St., Kendrick, OK 74079 in the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00). Contract #2022-04-18.

p. Approval of contract renewal between Sac and Fox Nation and Levi Killman for the DOI ARPA Food Sovereignty Program. Contract #2021-09-08a.

q. **Resolution SF-22-110**, a resolution authorizing and approving an agreement between the Sac and Fox Nation and Randall Tiger for the DOI ARPA Food Sovereignty Program. Contract #2022-04-03.

r. **Resolution SF-22-111**, a resolution authorizing and approving an agreement between the Sac and Fox Nation and Robert Johnson for the DOI ARPA Food Sovereignty Program. Contract #2022-04-02.

Carla J. Wallace-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.

3) **Resolution SF-22-114**, a resolution adding twelve (12) people to the Membership Roll of the Sac and Fox Nation in accordance with the Constitution and Laws of the Sac and Fox Nation. Robert E. Williamson-motion. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.4) **Resolution SF-22-115**, a resolution approving the Blackhawk Donation Budget in the total amount of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00). The funding source is identified as the Chicago Blackhawks Foundation. Robert E. Williamson-motion. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Abstain, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.5) **Resolution SF-22-116**, a resolution approving the American Plan Act (ARPA) Indian Health Service Testing Budget Modification #1 in the total funding amount of One Million Nine Hundred Fifty-Six Thousand Three Hundred Sixty-Three Dollars (\$1,956,363.00). The funding source is identified as the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Fiscal Year 2021 Indian Health Services Funding Agreement. Don W. Abney-motion. Lana J. Butler-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-No, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.6) **Resolution SF-22-117**, a resolution approving the Fiscal Year 2022 Black Hawk Health Center COVID-19 Indian Health Services Budget Modification #2 in the total amount of One Million Three Hundred Seventeen Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-Eight Dollars (\$1,317,988.00). The funding source is identified as the Fiscal Year 2020 Indian Health Services Compact Funding Agreement with one-time COVID-19 Supplemental Cares Act Funds. Carla J. Wallace-motion. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-No, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.7) **Resolution SF-22-118**, a resolution approving the Fiscal Year 2022 Department of Interior Compact Library Budget Modification #1 in the total funding amount of One Hundred Thirty-One Thousand Dollars (\$131,000.00). The funding source is identified as the Fiscal Year 2022 US Department of Interior Compact Funding Agreement. Carla J. Wallace-motion. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-No, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Abstain, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.8) **Resolution SF-22-119**, a resolution approving the Department of the Interior American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Department of Public Safety Budget Modification #1 in the total funding amount of Ninety-One Thousand Four Hundred Forty-Two Dollars (\$91,442.00). The funding source is identified as the Fiscal Year 2021 US Department of the Interior Funding Agreement, one-time distribution of ARPA funds. Carla J. Wallace-motion. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.9) **Resolution SF-22-120**, a resolution approving the Consolidated Appropriations Act 2021 OAA Title VI-A & B Supplemental Funding Budget in the total funding amount of Thirty-One Thousand Eighty Dollars (\$31,080.00). The funding source is identified as the Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Community Living, Grant Document No. 2123OKNAC5-00. Carla J. Wallace-motion. Lana J. Butler-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.10) **Resolution SF-22-121**, a resolution approving the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Information Technology Budget in the total funding amount of One Million Seven Hundred Sixteen Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety Dollars (\$1,716,790.00). The funding source is identified as the ARPA Treasury Appropriations. Don W. Abney-motion. Lana J. Butler-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Abstain, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.

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- 11) **Resolution SF-22-122**, a resolution authorizing and approving an agreement between the Sac and Fox Nation and Rockin R Pro Rodeo/Rusty Morland. Robert E. Williamson-motion. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 12) **Resolution SF-22-123**, a resolution authorizing and approving the Black Hawk Health Center Remote Work Policy and Procedures. Don W. Abney-motion. Robert E. Williamson-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 13) Robert E. Williamson motion to approve Revisions to the Sac and Nation RV Park Regulations. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 14) Carla J. Wallace motion to approve Revisions to Tribal Emergency Home Repair (TEHR) Program Guidelines and accompanying new form: Sworn Affidavit – Proof of Ownership. Robert E. Williamson-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 15) **Resolution SF-22-124**, a resolution approving the Fiscal Year 2022 Revenue Allocation Plan Rodeo Committee Budget in the total funding amount of Thirty-Three Thousand Six Hundred Seventy Dollars (\$33,670.00). The funding source is identified as the Governing Council approved Resolution SF/GC-22-07. Robert Williamson-motion. Carla J. Wallace-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 16) Lana J. Butler motion to ratify the following straw poll resolutions/motions:

a. **Resolution SF-22-112**, a resolution approving the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Tribal Employment Rights Office, Tribal Historic Preservation Office and the Native American Graves Protection Repatriation Act Budget in the total funding amount of Fifty-Seven Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$57,200.00). The funding source is identified as the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Treasury Appropriations.

b. **Resolution SF-22-113**, a resolution authorizing and approving an agreement between the Sac and Fox Nation and Robert Cast for the TERO/THPO/NAGPRA Programs. The funding source is identified as the ARPA TERO/THPO/NAGRA Budget.

c. Motion to approve Tribal Emergency Home Repair (T.E.H.R.) assistance for the following resident: 1137 SW 128<sup>th</sup> St., Oklahoma City, OK 73170 in the amount of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00). Contract #2022-04-20.

d. Motion to approve Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) assistance and Sole bid for the following resident: 3804 N. Beard St., Shawnee, OK 74801 in the amount of Four Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars (\$4,800.00). Contract #2022-04-21.

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NATIONAL CENTER ON ELDER ABUSE

12 Things Everyone Can Do to Prevent Elder Abuse



Our communities are like buildings that support people's wellbeing. Sturdy buildings ensure that people are safe and thriving at every age. We all have a part to play in this construction project.

**Here are 12 things everyone can do to build community supports and prevent elder abuse.**

> **Learn the signs** of elder abuse and neglect and how we can collectively solve the issue.

> **Talk to friends and family members** about how we can all age well and reduce abuse with programs and services like improved law enforcement, community centers, and public transportation.

> **Prevent isolation.** Call or visit our older loved ones and ask how they are doing regularly.

> **Send a letter** to a local paper, radio or TV station suggesting that they cover World Elder Abuse Awareness Day (June 15) or Grandparents Day in September.

> **Join Ageless Alliance**, an organization that connects people of all ages, nationwide, who stand united for the dignity of older people and for the elimination of elder abuse. Visit [agelessalliance.org](https://agelessalliance.org).

> **Provide respite breaks** for caregivers.

> **Encourage our bank managers** to train tellers on how to detect elder financial abuse.

> **Ask our doctors** to ask all older patients about possible family violence in their lives.

> **Contact a local Adult Protective Services or Long-Term Care Ombudsman** to learn how to support their work helping older people and adults with disabilities who may be more at-risk.

> **Organize an "Aging with Dignity" essay or poster contest** in a local school.

> **Ask religious congregation leaders** to give a talk about elder abuse at a service or to put a message about elder abuse in the bulletin.

> **Volunteer** to be a friendly visitor to a nursing home resident or to a homebound older person in our communities.

*It is up to **all of us** to prevent and address elder abuse!*

For more information on elder abuse prevention, please visit [ncea.acl.gov](https://ncea.acl.gov).

HOMEOWNERS ASSISTANCE FUNDS

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

JUNE 17, 2022

If program re-opens, we will notify the community.

Applications may be obtained:

Housing Authority of the Sac & Fox Nation

(201 N Harrison Shawnee, OK 74801)

Mail

E-mail

Via the website: [sacandfoxha.com](https://sacandfoxha.com)

(Select Program Tab and scroll to the bottom)



SERVICE AREA:

Cleveland Creek Lincoln Oklahoma Payne Pottawatomie Tulsa

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS:

All Native American members within the service area.

All Sac & Fox of Oklahoma Tribal Members

Must meet income limits at or below 100% of the U.S. median income or 150% of the local area median income.

Any questions or concerns, please contact:

Cora Thomas

(405) 275- 8200 Ext 101

[cthomas@hasfn.net](mailto:cthomas@hasfn.net)





Some of the special guests are shown enjoying a traditional meal at the 29th Annual Sac and Fox Nation Victory Day celebration held May 17, 2022 in the Community Building. (Photos courtesy of Anthony Ramirez)



The 29th Annual Sac and Fox Nation Victory Day celebration was well-attended in the Community Building. The photo below features a cake prepared and served at the special event.



**Ma f M cCo mickD eerC la**  
To: Business Committee, Sac and Fox Nation  
(Recommendations and/or Proposals: From: April 262021)

1.Casino at Stroud; 2. Casino at Cushing (already in Trust Status); 3. Tribal Vegetable Garden (right north Quigg home-site, with Road-side Sales, & paid employees); 4. Tribal Grocery Store, and Gasoline Station (with service, and minor car repair, wash cars); 5. Publicize Trailer-home Park (must have TV connections); also,

6. Elder’s Nursing Home (Guidelines: Negotiate size, and site, with Gov Council); 7. Tribal Rodeo (Small towns, communities, love Western theme); 8. Weekly Entertainment – Community Bldg (Tribal committees work Concession, for funds) Ex Dance, every Fri night; square-dancing, Singing on Sunday Afternoon, Bow Contest; 9. Annual Historical Meeting – w/Speaker, known State/National (emphasize tribal history/members); 10. Sac and Fox Nation “Hall of Fame.” Honor Four men and Four Women each year (to begin with); and

11. Keep the tribal Delinquency Bldg full: Must negotiate contracts with the State/Tribes/ BIA/ Cities; 12. New Tribal Bldg Complex (2 story, with Conference Room, basement for storing files, Tornado room; 13. Jim Thorpe Statue (in front of the new Tribal Bldg Complex ; 14. Negotiate with the City in Pennsylvania, for the return of Jim Thorpe’s body, to our reservation; 15. Butterfly Area (Northeast side of reservation, and/or near the river on north side); 16. Clean up/out the entire tribal reservation, to look nice at all times. Cut trees down, we always need fire-wood; make posts, burn small limbs, etc; and,

17. Keep all tribal cemeteries clean, and neat. Ex the Dancing Ground cemetery. Also, Realty needs to insure that the owner possesses ingress, and egress ownership; 18. Use tribal Road funds, on tribal roads, and streets where members live. (Ex Prague); 19. Our tribal Realty Office need to include, on sale of any tribal land, that the owner possesses ingress and egress with the sale of land, that has a family cemetery; also,

20. Build a Bark-house. (for display, and show our heritage); 21. Build a Gift Store (allow tribal members to contribute sale-items, hand-made items); 22. Build “brook” on east side of the Pow-wow grounds; 23. Build two “foot-bridges” across the brook, (south end and northern end); 24. Plant flowering trees around the pow-wow area, and other areas, such as the church; 25. Build a “Splash-pond” for the children, and elders, to cool off during Pow-wow; 26. Trim all trees on the Jim Thorpe Park area(s), at least twelve feet from ground. Kill all poison-ivy; and,

27. Move the “Drum, and Singing Contests” to October, and/or November. November is National Indian month, isn’t it?; 28. Once we move the casino to Stroud, then that building will be free for tribal use; 29. Invite other businesses to hold their annual/quarterly meetings on the reservation; 30. Invite the Western Tribes to hold meeting on reservation. Who do the Bureau of Indian Affairs pay to hold their meetings? They need to do business with the Indian tribes who provide their jobs, and salaries; also,

31. Get “quotes” from insurance companies, as to the cost to provide the Nation with burial expense, and also all the other services that the Nation provides; 32. Sell “Note-pads” with the tribe’s name, and other tribal items. Ex Rocks, t-shirts, w/Clan; 33. Have a “genealogy sheet” on every member, filed in his personal folder, with his/her Indian name, and Clan name. Go back to the years, at least, when we started our tribal Computerized Membership List; 34. Again, I request that an up-dated Membership Booklet be developed, and distributed to the current membership; 35. Always have a picture of the Business Committee in the annual Governing Council packet, at the front of the book, with their names, and positions; and, 36. INVITE/ENCOURAGE out-of-state members to attend either the annual Governing Council, and/or the annual Pow-wow. Then, introduce them, and honor them.



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SAUK LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT PRESENTS



**LANGUAGE SUMMER CAMP**

LEARN SAUK THROUGH FUN ACTIVITIES

**JULY 7TH & 8TH**

**FROM 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM**

FUN GAMES, LANGUAGE HANDOUTS, SNACKS & DRINKS, ENJOYABLE LEARNING, AND MUCH MORE

**SAC & FOX POWWOW GROUNDS**



NATIONAL CENTER ON ELDER ABUSE

## The Facts About Elder Abuse

Elder abuse is the harming of an older person. It can include neglect, physical, emotional, financial or sexual abuse.

**Here are some elder abuse facts that everyone should know.**

- > About 1 in 10 Americans age 60+ have experienced abuse.<sup>1</sup>
- > Without decent health care and public resources, our population becomes more at risk for abuse as we age.<sup>2</sup>
- > The impact of elder abuse is felt by people of all ages.
- > Elder abuse also reduces older people's participation in the life of our communities.
- > Elder abuse creates health care and legal costs that are often carried by public programs like Medicare and Medicaid.<sup>3</sup>

*It is up to all of us to prevent and address elder abuse!*

Our country's value of justice for all requires that we construct strong supports that help people of all ages. Ending isolation, creating and improving transportation, law enforcement, senior centers and social services can help stop abuse.



Visit [ncea.acl.gov](https://ncea.acl.gov) to learn more.



**NOTIFICATION**

The Sauk Language Department will be putting out a new app this year!

Each category of this app will feature a tribal member in our traditional clothing.

If you are a tribal member interested in being featured in our app, please call Connie Cobb at (918) 968-3526 ext. 1077





Business Committee Meeting Minutes

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- e. Motion to approve Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) assistance and Sole bid for the following resident: 7206 Neff St., Houston, TX 77074 in the amount of One Thousand Twenty-Five Dollars (\$1,025.00). Contract #2022-03-07.
- f. Motion to approve the following Government Donation: Seminole State College for the 2022 Spring Recognition Banquet in the total amount of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00).
- Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 17) **Resolution SF-22-125**, a resolution acknowledging receipt of the Conditional Relinquishment of Tosha Elaine Butler from the Membership of the Sac and Fox Nation. Carla J. Wallace-motion. Lana J. Butler-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-No, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes.
- 18) **Resolution SF-22-126**, a resolution appointing Shawna Spoon to Position Number Two (#2) of the Sac and Fox Nation Housing Authority Board of Commissioners. Robert E. Williamson-motion. Lana J. Butler-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 19) Robert E. Williamson motion to accept the Native Care Health, LLC (NCH) Settlement. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 20) **Resolution SF-22-127**, a resolution approving and authorizing the submission of an application to the United States Department of Justice Office on Violence Against Women for Fiscal Year 2022 Grants to Indian Tribal Governments Program. Robert E. Williamson-motion. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 21) **Resolution SF-22-128**, a resolution approving the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Powwow Grounds Budget Modification #1 in the total funding amount of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00). The funding source is identified as the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Treasury Appropriations. Carla J. Wallace-motion. Lana J. Butler-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 22) Lana J. Butler motion to approve the following Local/Government Donations: Sac and Fox Nation Education \$23,800.00, Agra Public Schools \$200.00, Shawnee High School \$1,000.00, Department of the Interior – Riverside Indian School \$500.00 for a total amount of Twenty-Five Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$25,500.00). Carla J. Wallace-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 23) Lana J. Butler motion to approve the following Charitable Donations: Kush Radio \$2,500.00, National Indian Education Association \$1,000.00, Tulsa Indian Club \$1,200.00 in the total amount of Four Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$4,700.00). Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.



Nooner and Ramirez Represent BHHC at OKC Thunder Native American Student Day

Black Hawk Health Center Dietitian Josh Nooner, left, and Exercise Specialist Anthony Ramirez are pictured at their booth representing the Sac and Fox Nation Diabetes Program at the OKC Thunder ‘Native American Student Day’ event held April 1, 2022 at the Paycom Center in Oklahoma City. All Native American students were invited to attend for an opportunity to network, learn and showcase their heritage. The event featured special guests, exhibitors, and representation from all 39 federally-recognized tribes in Oklahoma. The vendors included representation from tribes and Native-focused organizations to provide resources regarding culture, language, prevention, and education. (Photo Provided)

- Letter to Editor -

April 10, 2022  
To: Sac and FoxN ews  
Greetings, Sac and Fox Nation and to all my relations. My heart and prayers go out to every single Native American tribe out there amongst the world. May we receive blessings upon blessings.  
I am Shaandiin C. Sekayumptewa. I’m also of the Hopi and Navajo tribes in northern Arizona. My mother and her mother are from the Sac and Fox Nation. I’m very grateful to wake up everyday to greet the sun and, also to receive a monthly newspaper from the Sac and Fox Nation. It has changed the spirit inside of me to see what progress Indian Country is making. And, they are making a big difference for future generations to come.  
The encouragement in holding onto our language is very powerful and valuable, especially for a person like me who has lost a lot of relatives at a young age. So, those things weren’t passed down to me because my elders and parent were already gone by the time I grew up.  
So, reading about our cultural and belief system in holding on to our language is very encouraging to me to do the right thing in life. Change a new leaf, go back and help other people. We love and miss our elders, parents, brothers, sisters and

grandma. I wish we could bring them back, but we have to remember they are always inside of us, encouraging us to move forward. To work together as one nation.  
I think as a young Native American, I see we are headed in the right direction, and our ancestors would be proud of us for being so strong. Thank you! My blessings I send to all my relations. Aho-Usgualii. I love the Sac and Fox Newspaper.  
Signed,  
Shaandiin C. Sekayumptewa  
AZ State Prison-Perryville



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SAC AND FOX TAX COMMISSION REVENUE	
September 2021	
Beer and Liquor.....	\$338.77
State Tobacco Rebate.....	\$297,072.53
Motor Vehicle.....	\$7,912.94
Sales Tax.....	\$15,933.13
Treasury.....	\$650.00
Oil and Gas.....	\$0.00
Gaming.....	\$166,949.11
TOTAL.....	\$488,856.48

SAC AND FOX TAX COMMISSION REVENUE	
October 2021	
Beer and Liquor.....	\$249.90
State Tobacco Rebate.....	\$256,434.37
Motor Vehicle.....	\$7,205.04
Sales Tax.....	\$15,192.33
Treasury.....	\$2,930.00
Oil and Gas.....	\$0.00
Gaming.....	\$190,410.84
TOTAL.....	\$472,422.48

SAC AND FOX TAX COMMISSION REVENUE	
November 2021	
Beer and Liquor.....	\$368.30
State Tobacco Rebate.....	\$254,389.94
Motor Vehicle.....	\$6,868.98
Sales Tax.....	\$14,844.40
Treasury.....	\$3,690.00
Oil and Gas.....	\$0.00
Gaming.....	\$207,201.44
TOTAL.....	\$487,363.06



Kids and Grandkids Are G-R-E-A-T!!



We want to feature the scholastic, academic and athletic awards or achievements of your child or grandchild of the Sac and Fox Nation!  
Send all pertinent information, such as name of student, town, school and grade attending, explanation of award or achievement, and names of parents and/or grandparents, along with a current photo of the student to:  
newspaper@sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov  
or: Sac and Fox News, 920963 S. Hwy. 99  
Stroud, OK 74079



INTEREST TO SERVE ON COMMITTEES, COMMISSIONS, AND BOARDS

The Sac and Fox Nation’s Business Committee will appoint people to fill vacancies, as they occur on various Committees, Commissions and Boards. If you are a tribal member 18 years of age or older, and wish to serve, please complete the information below and return the completed form to the Tribal Secretary.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ ROLL NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_  
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City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
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• **SAUK BUSINESS ENTERPRISES BOARD**  
Purpose is to provide sources of revenue, remedy the underemployment rate of tribal members, attract diversified business enterprises and expand the Nation’s land base and economic development potential. The board is composed of a Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and Member. The term of office shall be for three (3) years, and staggered. A board member may be a member or non-member of the Sac and Fox Nation and shall be at least twenty-one (21) years of age and legally capable of entering into a binding contract. Must be able to pass background check for Gaming License.

Vacancies: Position #1

Please submit Interest to Serve forms with Resume to:  
Secretary, Lana Butler  
Business Committee  
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Stroud, Ok 74079  
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# Sac and Fox Mission School Report

**Submitted by: Chris Boyd,  
NAGPRA Coordinator**

The Sac and Fox Historic Preservation Office, along with the Bureau of Indian Affairs, has taken an initiative to conduct multiple surveys to better understand the history of the Sac and Fox Agency property. Our first objective is to investigate the history of our Mission School.

Between December 31st 2021 and January 4th 2022, Joe Deere Consulting, LLC conducted a Class III archaeological survey at the site of the mission school campus. Tribal members have a growing interest and concern in the history of our school bearing in mind the current climate surrounding investigations involving multiple mission schools and boarding schools across Canada and the United States.

We must first understand the history of the school before we continue to investigate. We are at the beginning phases of a multiple survey project that will allow us to better understand a critical point in our past as Sauk people. We know that the construction and implementation of this school along with the Dawes act were disturbing actions of assimilation to destroy our language, history and culture. We will continue to unveil the truth in order to educate Sauk people on the importance of language, history and culture. Below is a summary from the survey:

The Sac and Fox Mission School project is in the northern portion of the SW quartile of Section 22, Township 14N R6E. This parcel, along with much of the surrounding land, was assigned through Treaty and later allotted to the Sac and Fox Nation, pre-1900 (Specifically, Government Land Office (GLO) 1873 map has, “Sack Fox Agency” written in pencil and the 1875 GLO map has the Sac and Fox agency and Mission school well established.

Historic resources do not agree on dates for the Mission school or its buildings. However, a general outline of the history of the archaeological resources found in this survey can be constructed:

- Between 1870 and 1873 – The Sac and Fox Mission school began, originally called a manual labor school, then an industrial school, the school began with both boys and girls in attendance, but not on the original campus. The school started in “an unfinished dwelling of the physician at the Sac and Fox Agency” (Chronicles of Oklahoma, Winter 1951, Vol 29:4). Between 1872 and 1874 – The original brick one-room school building was built with a south facing entrance towards the main road. There was a dirt wagon road leading up to the school building, and a fieldstone wall extending west from the building on its front side.

This wall may have extended on the eastern end as well, but photo evidence does not allow for this assertion. This original school had a single entrance and two shuttered windows on each side of the entrance on the south end, a chimney on the north end, and its east and west facing façades had three shuttered windows each. First-person memoirs comment that the school was, “filled with double school desks” (House, page 451, Chronicles).

- Between 1873 and 1874 – Possibly just after but about the same time as the original school building was built; the Mission Building was built in its original 3-story brick form. The Mission Build-

ing was built in the Gothic Revival style, with a steeply pitched roof, front and side gables, and a one-story porch.

- Between 1875 and 1910 – There were 3-4 construction episodes that included additions to the Mission school building. A frame structure on the back of the building (north side), a frame addition on the east end of the building, a larger frame addition to the north side of the building (from one story on stilts to 3 stories with a brick sub-wall foundation), and an addition of a bell, another chimney (east end) and window extensions are the additions that happened over the years.

- 1891 to 1892 – A large frame building was built behind (north) the Mission Building for laundry and storage; the Girls’ Dormitory was built on the eastern edge of the campus, and the two-story frame School Building addition was built.

- The Girls’ Dormitory originally did not have the windows protruding for the rooftop that allows the attic rooms to have windows. No addition to the dormitory is discussed in historic documents, so it is probable that the additional windows were constructed very soon after the building was built. The Girls’ Dormitory was of the Colonial Revival style, which was popular in America from 1880-1955 (McAlester 2013). The façade was symmetrical with square Doric columns.

- The School Building addition is also of the Colonial Revival style. The School Building addition was hipped (roof style with no gables) with a full-width porch, and is sometimes called the Classic Box. The façade was symmetrical. Around 1900 – wood plank sidewalks were built around the buildings.

- Between 1895 and 1910 – The steel water tower, bell tower, and a windmill were built. These were probably built closer to 1895. However, the evidence is misleading. There could have been an earlier windmill and water tower that were situated further south and closer to the main road than any of the buildings. This is probable. Then the new steel tower would have been built in its current location closer to 1910. There is no picture evidence of a windmill. The bell tower is equally lacking in historic documentation.

Though the wooden tower behind the School Building addition (NW) obviously was created for something heavy and has a visible pulley, this author originally believed the tower to be for a well wheel pulley system. With the lack of historic and archaeological evidence for either, the tower remains mysterious. The first photo of the place where the wooden tower was built was before the actual construction of the tower, and is a photo of boys (Jim Thorpe reportedly amongst them) taken ca. 1894.

If this tower is a bell tower, then there is little chance for any archaeological evidence. However, if a well is found filled in where the tower once stood (which is a very real possibility due to its location next to the original brick school building), then further archaeological evidence may allow for a better understanding of this tower structure.

- 1905 to 1915 – Several relatively small buildings were built around campus. Reports are of: Coal house (1906), Pump House (1907), Laundry addition (1908), Carpenter Shop (1909), Cow

Shed (1910), Poultry House (1911) and the Silo (1914). Only further phase II excavation can reveal these buildings archaeologically.

After the close of the school between 1917 and 1921, no more building construction happened. There was some disagreement over ownership of the buildings and land during the 1920s as the Federal Government tried to sell the houses and use the land for oil and gas purposes. The Sac and Fox took their case to court, and saved the buildings from being sold, and the campus from being used for oil and gas extraction.

- By the 1940s Tribal members had moved into the out-building like the staff quarters and the laundry house. Historic archaeological evidence for this time period is found in mounds and mechanical push-piles around the site with artifacts

including hair spray cans, glass bottles and other dateable refuse. The girls’ dorm burned down in the early 1940s and historic evidence suggests the school building may have met the same fate after 1951.

Archaeological evidence of mechanical ground disturbance in and around the area of the School Building addition and the Mission Building are the last entries for the timeline and would have happened after 1951, and could have been from multiple disturbance episodes over a couple of decades. Trees growing up in the area that would have been razed are between 20 and 50+ years old.

If you would like more information, or are interested in viewing the report in its entirety, please contact the Historic Preservation office at 918-968-3526 Ext 1070.



Overview of Sac and Fox Mission school campus, ca. 1910, view facing northeast.



Girls dormitory, ca. 1892, view facing northwest



Mission building ca. 1886 with addition and bell tower, view facing north

## Little Miss Indian Oklahoma City Princess Zoli Layne Gibson

Aho nihkânetike! Menwikishekwi, Neshitho Petikim'se. Hello my friends, it's a good day! My name is Pe Ti Ki M'se (pee-tah-kahm-see) Zoli Layne Gibson. I am 7 years old and attend first grade at Little Axe Elementary. I am the only daughter of Taylor McClellan and Kyle Gibson. I have four older brothers: Nick, Kelin, Kingston and Grayson Wayne. My paternal grandparents are Pamela (Freeman) Gibson and Jeff Gibson. My maternal grandparents Teresa Bible and the late Billy McClellan, Sr.

I was brought into the arena as soon as I could walk, just like my late grandfather and mother before me. I am enrolled member of the Absentee-Shawnee tribe, I am turtle clan and my Shawnee name translates as “makes water foamy; when turtle swims up and makes the water foamy”. I am a descendant of the Sac and Fox, Ioway, Otoe-Missouria, Cherokee and Mvskoke Nations. I enjoy drawing, coloring, singing, dancing at pow-wow's, attending our Native American Church, cheerleading, wrestling, softball and time with my family.

Thank you to my family and friends for the support and encouraging words, also

to the Changing Winds Cultural Society for giving me the honor of representing your organization as the incoming 2022-2023 Little Miss Indian Oklahoma City Princess. It will be a great year, Aho!



Zoli Layne Gibson



**WORLD ELDER ABUSE  
AWARENESS DAY**  
Building Strong Support for Elders

**ARE YOU PARTICIPATING IN  
WALK FOR WEAAD?**

Build a national elder justice movement, through movement!

Walk for WEAAD begins **May 1st**, on the first day of Older Americans Month, and runs through **June 15th**, WEAAD.

Register & create your profile on [weaad.walkertracker.com](https://weaad.walkertracker.com)!





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# Sac and Fox Nation Lawn Services Applications Now Being Accepted

Sac and Fox Nation  
Elders Lawn Care Services  
Program  
920883 S Highway 99  
Stroud OK 74079  
Phone: (918) 968-3526, ext.  
2012 \*Fax: (918) 968-0142

Aho Tribal Elders~  
The Sac and Fox Na-  
tion Title VI Department is  
starting to take applications  
for the 2022 Lawn Mowing  
Season. The Lawn Services  
Program are for ALL Tribal  
Member Elders or Disabled  
individuals regardless of  
where you live. The Services  
will start on April 15, 2022  
and end on September 15,  
2022. \*\* First Come, First  
Serve \*\*  
If you have any ques-  
tions, please do not hesitate  
to reach out to Carrie R.  
LaDeaux, Title VI Elder Co-  
ordinator at 918 968-3526  
ext. 2012  
or Carrie.Ladeaux@sacand-  
foxnation-nsn.gov.  
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## Elders Lawn Care Services Program Guidelines

This program is designed to  
provide Lawn Care services  
for the safety and healthy dai-  
ly living needs of all our eligi-  
ble Sac and Fox Nation Trib-  
al Member Elders, Members  
who are physically disabled  
and cannot safely perform  
Lawn Care themselves, re-  
gardless of location/residency.

- Applicant(s) must be an  
enrolled member of the Sac  
and Fox Nation age 55 or old-  
er, or who is physically dis-  
abled and residing within or  
out of jurisdiction.
- Participants will have their  
lawns cut Two (2) times per  
month for Five (5) months,  
based on available funding  
and number of participants  
served.
- Funding for this program  
is limited and each application  
will be processed in the order  
in which it was received. This  
program will fund as many  
Tribal Member requests as  
funding will permit. Howev-  
er, preference may be given to  
emergency situations.
- Applicants claiming a phys-  
ical disability must provide a  
physician's statement.

**Business Committee Meeting  
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Tribal Elder/Disables Lawn Care Services Program

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address City State Zip

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Tribal Roll#: \_\_\_\_\_ Tribal Elder: \_\_\_\_\_ Disabled: \_\_\_\_\_

Directions to Home: \_\_\_\_\_

PROOF OF RESIDENCE

You must provide one of the following:

1. Utility bill in eligible Sac and Fox Tribal Members name with corresponding address.

2. Property Rental/Lease Agreement in Sac and Fox Tribal Members names with corresponding address.

3. Notarized Letter from spouse/guardian of tribal members affirming residence of the client and a utility bill in their name with corresponding address of the home receiving benefits.

Failure to provide verification will cause application to be incomplete and pending. Services will be approved once completion of application is received.

Disabled Tribal Member:

Must provide a Benefit Award Letter or State/Tribal Vocational Rehabilitation Agency Letter

I hereby authorize the Sac & Fox Nation Elders Title VI Lawn Program to make any necessary inquiries relating to my account's which the Department may be considering making payment on my behalf. I understand that I have a right to request a fair hearing of any action which I do not agree with by submitting the request in writing within Ten (10) days to the Business Committee. I understand that any person who knowingly, willfully and fraudulently provides false information for the purpose of obtaining benefits which he/she is otherwise ineligible to receive, may be subject to prosecuting to the fullest extent to the appropriate Tribal Statutes.

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

(FOR OFFICE USE ONLY)

Supporting Documents Received: ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, what type: \_\_\_\_\_

Human Services Representative: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Cc: file

Business Committee Approved 3/3/2022

ELDERS/DISABLED LAWN CARE SERVICES  
RESPONSIBILITY LETTER

2022 Mowing Season will begin April 15, 2022 through September 15, 2022

1. Home and Property must be occupied by the eligible Sac and Fox Tribal Member.

2. This Program is a Supplemental Lawn Service to the eligible Sac and Fox Tribal Member. There will be a guarantee of Ten (10) cuts per mowing season, to occur bi-weekly during the 2022 mowing season.

3. Property must be cleared of any and all debris before lawn can be mowed. This includes all trash receptacle's, trash, toys, etc. Failure to remove any and all items large and small that may interfere with the lawn care will result in your Service Provider/Contractor not mowing/weed eating that specific area.

4. The Sac and Fox Tribal Member is responsible for notifying the Service Provider/Contractor of any hazards i.e. pipes, boards, tress stumps, etc. (This information helps protect the Service Provider/Contractor from harm and also allows him/her to protect their equipment).

5. Up to One (1) acre will be mowed. A lawn is considered to be less than an acre in size & in proportion with a normal sized urban lot.

6. If you, as the Sac and Fox Tribal Member, request the Service Provider/Contractor to mow and or weed eat more, it will be your responsibility to pay for that portion serviced. The Elders Title VI Lawn Care Program is only responsible for payment of \$60.00 for Two (2) mows a month for the above mentioned sizes.

7. If you or our Service Provider/Contractors have any issues regarding the safety of a lawn or the size of a lawn that cannot be resolved between yourself and the Service Provider/Contractor; Services will be suspended until the Elders Title VI Program assesses the situation and reaches a mutual resolution with both parties.

8. It will be at the discretion of the Elders Title VI Lawn Care Services Program who will be your Service Provider/Contractor for the 2022 Lawn Care season.

9. DO NOT sign the Service Provider/Contractor invoice until AFTER services are completed.

For questions or concerns contact

Elders Title VI Program at 918-968-3526, ext. 2012


**\*\*OFFICE ONLY\*\***

Service Provider/Contractor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Service Provider/Contractor Number: \_\_\_\_\_



RAP Department Application Form



SAC AND FOX NATION  
RAP ASSISTANCE APPLICATION

**HARDSHIP**

FAX: 918-968-4207  
PH: 918-968-3526  
EXT: 2001  
EMAIL: [sfnrap@sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov](mailto:sfnrap@sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov)  
ADDRESS: 920963 S. Hwy 99  
Stroud, OK 74079  
RAP APP  
Form#2011-01  
BC Approved on  
10/06/2020

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE# (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ SOCIAL SECURITY# xxx-xx-(\_\_\_\_\_) SFN ROLL# \_\_\_\_\_

**Sac and Fox Nation tribal membership will be verified by the Sac and Fox Nation RAP Department**

Please List Statement of Need: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_


**Please Provide the Following:**  
Completed W-9 form and proof of residency.

**CLIENT’S STATEMENT OF RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

**I hereby authorize the Sac and Fox Nation RAP Department to make any necessary inquiries relating to my account’s which the RAP Department may be considering making payment on my behalf.** I understand that I have the right to a hearing of any action of the Sac and Fox Nation, which I consider improper, and also any unreasonable delay in decision. (Request for fair hearings may be made in writing to the Business Committee of the Sac and Fox Nation, 920963 S. Hwy. 99 Stroud, OK 74079) I understand that any person who knowingly, willfully and fraudulently provides false information for the purpose of obtaining benefits which he/she is otherwise ineligible to receive; may be subject to prosecution to the fullest extent to the appropriate Tribal statutes.

DATE _____	SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT OR GUARDIAN _____	GUARDIAN FOR _____
	PERSON ASSISTING WITH APPLICATION _____	RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT _____
DATE _____	RAP SPECIALIST _____	

The W-9 FORM CAN BE FOUND IN THIS EDITION ON PAGE 5



SAC AND FOX NATION  
RAP ASSISTANCE APPLICATION

**TRIBAL ENERGY**

FAX: 918-968-4207  
PH: 918-968-3526  
EXT: 2001  
EMAIL: [sfnrap@sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov](mailto:sfnrap@sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov)  
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Stroud, OK 74079  
RAP APP  
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NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE# (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ SOCIAL SECURITY# xxx-xx-(\_\_\_\_\_) SFN ROLL# \_\_\_\_\_

**Sac and Fox Nation tribal membership will be verified by the Sac and Fox Nation RAP Department**

Please List Statement of Need: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_


**Please Provide the Following:**  
The most current bill you are requesting assistance with & proof of residency if the bill is not in your name.

**CLIENT’S STATEMENT OF RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

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DATE _____	SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT OR GUARDIAN _____	GUARDIAN FOR _____
	PERSON ASSISTING WITH APPLICATION _____	RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT _____
DATE _____	RAP SPECIALIST _____	





SAC AND FOX NATION  
AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT  
TRIBAL EMERGENCY WATER REPAIR PROGRAM  
APPLICATION

REFERENCE PROPERTY LOCATION:

Street Address

City

State

Zip

DESCRIBE THE EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE BEING REQUESTED:

I the undersigned do certify that I am authorized to make application, grant all authorizations, and to authorize all release from liability and responsibility regarding the above referenced tribal emergency water repair assistance being provided by the Sac and Fox Nation.

I hereby request assistance from the Sac and Fox Nation as described above.

I hereby authorize the Sac and Fox Nation officials, agents, employees, material men, laborers, and contractors to enter the property with any equipment and vehicles and to perform such work or inspections as is necessary to provide and complete this tribal assistance.

I hereby release the Sac and Fox Nation, its officials, agents, employees, material men, laborers, and contractors from all liability for loss, damage, or injury of any kind whatsoever as a result of participation in this emergency tribal assistance program.

Signature

Date

Printed Name

Roll Number

Birthdate


Mailing Address

City

State

Zip

Phone Number



SAC AND FOX NATION  
TRIBAL EMERGENCY HOME REPAIR PROGRAM  
(TEHR)  
APPLICATION, AUTHORIZATION AND RELEASE

REFERENCE PROPERTY LOCATION:

Street Address

City

State

Zip

DESCRIBE THE ASSISTANCE BEING REQUESTED:

I the undersigned do certify that I am authorized to make application, grant all authorizations, and to authorize all releases from liability and responsibility regarding the above referenced housing assistance being provided by the Sac and Fox Nation.

I hereby request assistance from the Sac and Fox Nation as described above.

I hereby authorize the Sac and Fox Nation officials, agents, employees, material men, laborers, and contractors to enter the property with any equipment and vehicles and to perform such work or inspections as is necessary to provide and complete this tribal assistance.

I hereby release the Sac and Fox Nation, its officials, agents, employees, material men, laborers, and contractors from all liability for loss, damage, or injury of any kind whatsoever as a result of participation in this tribal assistance program.

Signature

Date

Printed Name

Roll Number

Birthdate

Mailing Address

Phone Number

City

State

Zip

Handicap Preference: Yes ☐ No ☐

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FNS HANDBOOK 501  
EXHIBIT M

FOOD DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM ON INDIAN RESERVATIONS (FDFPIR)  
FY 2022 NET MONTHLY INCOME STANDARDS  
(Effective October 1, 2021 to September 30, 2022)

The net monthly income standard for each household size is the sum of the applicable Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) net monthly income standard and the applicable SNAP standard deduction.

48 Contiguous United States:

Use this Amount

Household Size	SNAP Net Monthly Income Standard		SNAP Standard Deduction		FDFPIR Net Monthly Income Standard
1	\$1,074	+	\$177	=	\$1,251
2	\$1,452	+	\$177	=	\$1,629
3	\$1,830	+	\$177	=	\$2,007
4	\$2,209	+	\$184	=	\$2,393
5	\$2,587	+	\$215	=	\$2,802
6	\$2,965	+	\$246	=	\$3,211
7	\$3,344	+	\$246	=	\$3,590
8	\$3,722	+	\$246	=	\$3,968
each additional member					\$379

Alaska:

Use this Amount

Household Size	SNAP Net Monthly Income Standard		SNAP Standard Deduction		FDFPIR Net Monthly Income Standard
1	\$1,341	+	\$303	=	\$1,644
2	\$1,815	+	\$303	=	\$2,118
3	\$2,288	+	\$303	=	\$2,591
4	\$2,761	+	\$303	=	\$3,064
5	\$3,235	+	\$303	=	\$3,538
6	\$3,708	+	\$308	=	\$4,016
7	\$4,181	+	\$308	=	\$4,489
8	\$4,655	+	\$308	=	\$4,963
each additional member					\$474

FNS HANDBOOK 501  
EXHIBIT M

FY 2022 FDFPIR Income Deductions (see 7 CFR 253.6(e))  
Effective October 1, 2021 to September 30, 2022

**Signs of Elder Abuse**

Elder abuse can include neglect, physical, emotional, financial or sexual abuse. It is up to all of us to prevent and report suspected abuse. **Here are some signs of elder abuse that everyone should know.**

**Emotional & Behavioral Signs**

- Unusual changes in behavior or sleep
- Fear or anxiety
- Isolated or not responsive
- Sadness

**Physical Signs**

- Broken bones, bruises, and welts
- Cuts, sores or burns
- Torn, stained or bloody underclothing
- Sexually transmitted diseases without clear explanation
- Dirtiness, poor nutrition or dehydration
- Poor living conditions
- Missing daily living aids (glasses, walker, and medications)


**Financial Signs**

- Unusual changes in bank account or money management
- Unusual or quick changes in a will or other financial documents
- Fake signatures on financial documents
- Unpaid bills

**REPORTING ABUSE**

Programs such as Adult Protective Services (APS) and the Long-Term Care Ombudsmen are here to help. For reporting numbers, contact Eldercare Locator at 1-800-677-1116 [www.eldercare.acl.gov].

*In cases of urgent danger, call 911 or the local police or sheriff.*





# WE ARE HIRING

LET'S JOIN OUR TEAM NOW!

**APPLY NOW!**

For more information please call 918-968-3526 ext 1013

## JOB VACANCY OPEN POSITIONS

Executive Director-Gaming (Shawnee)  
Licensing Investigator-Gaming (Shawnee)  
IT Assistant - (Stroud)  
Medical Coder - BHHHC (Stroud)  
Maintenance Director - (Stroud)  
Pool Operator Manager - (Seasonal, Stroud)  
Lifeguard - (Seasonal, Stroud)  
Landscapers/Laborers - (Seasonal, Stroud)  
ARPA Specialist - (Stroud)  
Transportation Driver - BHHHC (Stroud)  
Appointment Clerk - BHHHC (Stroud)  
Meal Delivery Driver - Part-Time (Stroud)

Accounts Payable Technician - (Stroud)  
Information Clerk - BHHHC (Stroud)  
Laborer - (Stroud)  
Shipping & Receiving & Filing Clerk - Temporary (Stroud)  
Assistant Cook - Part-Time (Stroud)  
Economic Development Director - (Stroud)  
Community Health Nurse - BHHHC (Stroud)  
Policy Analyst - (Stroud)  
Grant Writer/Planner - (Stroud)  
Maintenance Technician - (Stroud)  
Chief Financial Officer - (Stroud)  
Resident Advisor - JDC (Stroud)

Log on to [www.sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov](http://www.sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov) under the Human Resources tab on instructions how to fill out and submit your application.

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## ARE YOU PARTICIPATING IN WALK FOR WEAAD?

Build a national elder justice movement, through movement!

Walk for WEAAD begins **May 1st**, on the first day of Older Americans Month, and runs through **June 15th**, WEAAD.

Register & create your profile on [weaad.walkertracker.com](http://weaad.walkertracker.com)!

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
		1 Shipment	2 Elders Day	3 Elders Day
6 <u>Late Night</u> Shawnee 8 am - 6 pm	7 Elders Day	8	9	10 Stroud HD Shawnee HD
13	14	15 Shipment	16	17 Shawnee HD
20 <u>LATE NIGHT</u> Stroud 8 am - 6 pm Shawnee 8 am - 6 pm	21	22	23	24 Stroud HD
27	28	29 CLOSED FOR INVENTORY	30 CLOSED FOR INVENTORY	

### ALL FOOD DISTRIBUTIONS ARE BY APPOINTMENT ONLY! THANK YOU!!

HOURS	MONDAY - FRIDAY	HOME DELIVERIES ARE FOR HOMEBOUND AND/OR DISABLED ELDERS. CALL OUR STROUD OFFICE TO SEE IF YOU QUALIFY.
CERTIFICATION	8:00 am - 4:30 pm	
STORE	8:30 am - 2:30 pm	
STORE AM INVENTORY	8:00 am - 8:30 am	
STORE PM INVENTORY	2:30 pm - 4:30 pm	This institution is an equal opportunity provider.



## Business Committee Meeting Minutes

Please be advised that the following are official actions taken by the Business Committee in a Regular Business Committee meeting held on May 10, 2022. These actions are to be followed up by the appropriate departments.

- 1) Carla J. Wallace motion to approve the Regular Business Committee meeting minutes dated April 14, 2022. Lana J. Butler-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 2) Robert E. Williamson motion to approve the Recessed Regular Business Committee meeting minutes dated April 26, 2022. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 3) Robert E. Williamson motion to appoint Greg Morris and Aislinn Munson to serve on the Rodeo Committee. Carla J. Wallace-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 4) Carla J. Wallace motion to accept Sauk Business Enterprise Board resignation from Eugenia Denny. Robert E. Williamson-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-No, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 5) Carla J. Wallace motion to accept Sauk Business Enterprise Board resignation from Lavonda Youngman. Lana J. Butler-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Abstain, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 6) Resolution SF-22-129, a resolution appointing Angela Gasper to fill Position Number Two (#2) on the Sauk Business Enterprise Board pending a successful and satisfactory background check and licensing. Lana J. Butler-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 7) Robert E. Williamson motion to ratify straw polls for the following motions:

a. Approval of Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) Assistance for 900273 S. 3540 Rd., Stroud, OK. 74079 in the amount of Five Thousand Dollars. (\$5,000.00). Contract #2022-04-25.

b. Approval of Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) Assistance for 930083 S. 3540 Rd., Stroud, Oklahoma 74079 in the amount of Four Thousand Five Hundred Ninety Dollars (\$4,590.00). Contract #2022-04-30.

c. Approval of Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) Assistance for 1418 E. Moses, Cushing, OK. 74023 in the amount of Two Thousand One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$2,150.00). Contract #2022-04-27.

d. Approval of Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) Assistance for 1439 E. Moses, Cushing, OK. 74023 in the amount of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00). Contract #2022-04-31.

e. Approval of Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) Assistance for 1211 E. Pecan, Cushing, OK. 74023 in the amount of Five Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$5,600.00). Contract #2022-04-28.

f. Approval of Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) Assistance for 1211 E. Pecan, Cushing, OK. 74023 in the amount of Four Thousand Three Hundred Dollars (\$4,300.00). Contract #2022-04-29.

g. Approval to Tribal Emergency Home Repair (T.E.H.R.) Assistance for 803 N. Main, Sapulpa, Oklahoma 74066 in the amount of Four Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$4,750.00). Contract #2022-04-26.

h. Approval of Tribal Emergency Home Repair (T.E.H.R.) Assistance for 930083 S. 3540 Rd., Stroud, OK. 74079 in the amount of Four Thousand Two Hundred Fifteen Dollars (\$4,215.00). Contract #2022-04-24.

i. Approval of Renewal of Professional Services Agreement between Sac and Fox Nation Black Hawk Health Center and Mason Williamson. Contract #2021-08-04a.

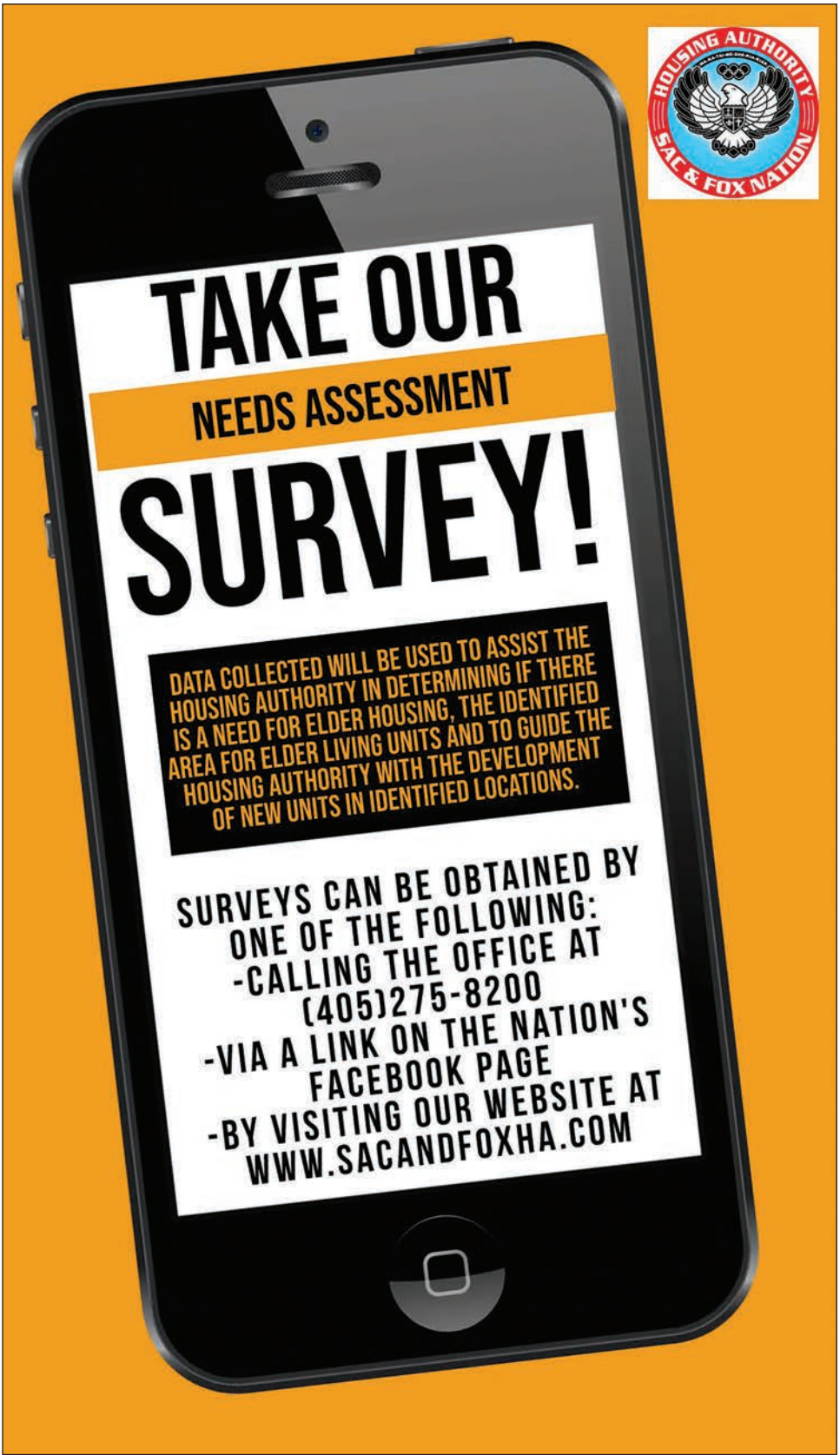
j. Approval of Charitable Donation to Shawnee/Tecumseh Indian Education Craft Market & Powwow in the amount of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00).

k. Approval of Local/Government Donation to Shawnee Indian Education Senior Banquet in the amount of One Thousand One Hundred Fifty-Four Dollars and Sixty-Five Cents (\$1,154.65).

Lana J. Butler-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 8) Resolution SF-22-130, a resolution approving the Black Hawk Health Center Covid-19 Provider Relief Funds Budget in the total amount of One Million One Hundred Forty-Six Thousand Three Hundred Seventy-Two Dollars (\$1,146,372.00). The funding source is identified as the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA). Carla J. Wallace-motion. Robert E. Williamson-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 9) Resolution SF-22-131, a resolution approving the Calendar Year 2022 Special Diabetes Program for Indians Budget Modification #1 in the total amount of Eight Hundred Seventy-One Thousand Seventy-Two Dollars (\$871,072.00). The funding source is identified as the Department of Health and Human Services, Indian Health Services, Special Diabetes Grant # HID4IHS0027-24-03 with carryover from Calendar Year 2021. Robert E. Williamson-motion. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 10) Resolution SF-22-132, a resolution approving the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Special Inspector Budget in the total funding amount of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00). The funding source is identified as Revenue Replacement Funds. Carla J. Wallace-motion. Lana J. Butler-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 11) Resolution SF-22-133, a resolution authorizing and approving the Black Hawk Health Center Relief Pharmacist Contract with Dorothy Lett, DPH. Contract #2022-04-06. Robert E. Williamson-motion. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 12) Resolution SF-22-134, a resolution increasing the Blood Degree from 1/8 to ¼ for one (1) person on the Membership Roll of the Sac and Fox Nation in accordance with the Constitution and Laws of the Sac and Fox Nation. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 13) Resolution SF-22-135, a resolution authorizing and approving a memorandum of understanding between the Sac and Fox Nation and the Agra Public Schools. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 14) Robert E. Williamson motion to approve the Contract Renewal between Sac and Fox Nation and Upgrowth Group, LLC. Contract #2021-11-03a. Lana J. Butler-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 15) Robert E. Williamson motion to authorize and approve a Tribal Emergency Home Repair (T.E.H.R.) Application for the following resident: 13010 178<sup>th</sup> Rd. Mayetta, KS 66509 in the amount of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00). Contract #2022-04-07. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 16) Robert E. Williamson motion to authorize and approve a Tribal Emergency Water Repair (T.E.W.R.) Application for the following resident: 1118 W. Oak, Cushing, OK 74023 in the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00). Contract #2022-04-19. Carla J. Wallace-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 17) Robert E. Williamson motion to authorize and approve Department of the Interior Professional Services Agreement for Charlotte Valero, Renewal Contract #2021-09-12a. The funding source is identified as the Fiscal Year 2022 Department of the Interior Realty Budget Modification #1. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 18) Carla J. Wallace motion to authorize and approve a Tribal Emergency Home Repair (T.E.H.R.) for the following resident: 333 E. 9<sup>th</sup> St. Horton, Kansas 66439 in the amount of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00). Robert E. Williamson-2<sup>nd</sup>. Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.

## Business Committee Meeting Minutes

- 19) Resolution SF-22-136, a resolution adding seven (7) persons to the Membership Roll of the Sac and Fox Nation in accordance with the Constitution and Laws of the Sac and Fox Nation. Robert E. Williamson-motion. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.
- 20) Resolution SF-22-137, a resolution authorizing and approving an agreement between the Sac and Fox Nation and Berwyn Moses, Jr. for the ARPA Food Distribution Operations Program. The funding source is identified as the ARPA (Treasury) Food Distribution Operations Budget. Robert E. Williamson-motion. Don W. Abney-2<sup>nd</sup>. VOTE: Justin-No, Don-No, Lana-Abstain, Carla-No, Robert-Yes. Motion failed.
- 21) Robert E. Williamson motion to approve the following Local/Government Donation: Sac and Fox Nation Pow Wow Committee in the total amount of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00). Lana J. Butler-2<sup>nd</sup>. Justin-Yes, Don-Yes, Lana-Yes, Carla-Yes, Robert-Yes. Motion carried.



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