



# Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma

Resolution #15-38  
April 22, 2015

## RESOLUTION

- Whereas,** the Pawnee Business Council is the Supreme governing body of the Pawnee Nation and is authorized to conduct business on behalf of the Pawnee Nation in accordance with Article IV, Sections 1 and 2 of the Pawnee Tribal Constitution, and
- Whereas,** the Pawnee Business Council met in a special session on April 22, 2015, Pawnee Nation Multi-Purpose Building, duly authorized, with a quorum present, and
- Whereas,** The Bureau of Indian Affairs, Pawnee Agency, has the authority to review and approve leases determined to be in the best interest of the Tribe in accordance with regulations contained in 25 CFR Part 162 Subpart B – Agriculture Leases; and
- Whereas,** The Bureau of Indian Affairs, Pawnee Agency, has requested authorization from the Pawnee Business Council to approve agriculture leases with a beginning/effective day of January 1, 2015, on Tribal tracts; and
- Whereas,** the Pawnee Business Council approved Billy Bledsoe's bid amount for \$4,900.00 rent annually to be paid to the BIA - Pawnee Agency, and
- Whereas,** the Pawnee Nation does hereby authorize the lease between Billy Bledsoe and the Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma for one year beginning January 1, 2016 and ending December 31, 2016.

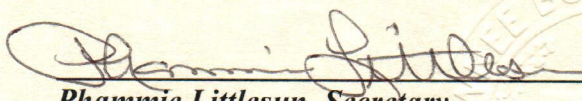
**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Pawnee Business Council hereby approves the advertised lease with Billy Bledsoe of said property lands totaling 423.5 acres for a period of one year for \$4,900.00 annually. The lessee, Billy Bledsoe, is responsible for completing all terms of Items A - J. Specified Practices and additional lease requirements on this lease beginning January 1, 2016 ending December 31, 2016. This is in accordance with regulation contained in 25 CFR Part 162 Subpart B – Agriculture Leases.

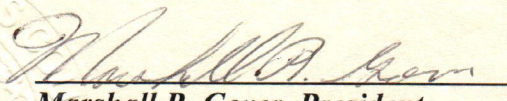
## CERTIFICATION

I, Phammie Littlesun, Secretary of the Pawnee Business Council, certify that a special meeting of the Pawnee Business Council was held on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of April 22, and that the Pawnee Business Council is composed of eight members, of whom 7 were present, 1 absent, comprising a quorum; and that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by a vote of 5 for, 1 against, 0 abstaining, and 1 not voting.

*Signed this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of April 2015*

**ATTEST:**

  
Phammie Littlesun, Secretary  
Pawnee Business Council

  
Marshall R. Gover, President  
Pawnee Business Council