

# Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma

RESOLUTION #19-56  
OCTOBER 28, 2019

## RESOLUTION

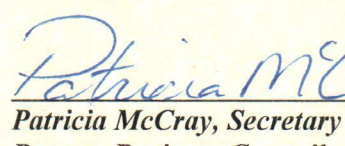
- Whereas,** The Pawnee Business Council is the supreme governing body of the Pawnee Nation and is authorized to conduct business on behalf of the Pawnee Nation in accordance with Article IV, Sections 1 and 2 of the Pawnee Nation Constitution and By-Laws; and
- Whereas,** The Pawnee Business Council met in special session on October 28, 2019, at the Pawnee Nation Roam Chief Event Center, duly authorized, with a quorum present; and
- Whereas,** the Pawnee Tribal Development Corporation (TDC) is chartered as a tribal corporation and governmental division of the Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma pursuant to Article IV, Sections 1 and 2 of the Constitution and By-Laws of the Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma and the Business Corporation Act of the Pawnee Nation; and
- Whereas,** the Tribal Constitution (By-Laws and Corporate Charter) are the "Supreme Law, and all persons subject to its jurisdiction therein; and the Business Council is the "supreme governing body" of the Pawnee Nation as a sovereign and federal recognized Indian government; furthermore, the Preamble of the Constitution stated the authority to create sub-division entities, namely the TDC; and
- Whereas,** the Pawnee Business Council retains the authority to appoint TDC Board members; and
- Whereas,** the Pawnee Business Council met and elected to appoint **Virgil Wade** to serve as Tribal Development Corporation Board member, **Seat #4**, whose inception begins on October 28, 2019 for three (3) years, ending on July 30, 2022.

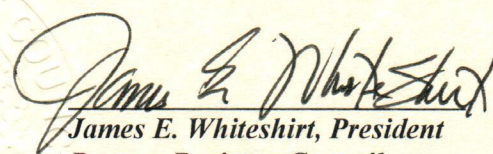
**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** the Pawnee Business Council does hereby appoint **Virgil Wade** to serve as Tribal Development Corporation Board, **Seat #4**, whose inception begins on October 28, 2019 and whose term shall expire on July 30, 2022.

## CERTIFICATION

I, Patricia McCray, Secretary of the Pawnee Business Council, certify that a Special Meeting of the Pawnee Business Council was held on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of October 2019 and that the Pawnee Business Council is composed of eight members, of whom 7 were present, 1 absent, comprising a quorum, and the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a vote of 6 for, 0 against, 0 abstaining, and 1 not voting.

*Signed this 28th day of October 2019*  
ATTEST:

  
Patricia McCray, Secretary  
Pawnee Business Council

  
James E. Whiteshirt, President  
Pawnee Business Council

