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 July 8, 2020, at the Pawnee Nation Building 64 Conference Room, duly authorized, with a quorum present; and

WHEREAS, on the 20th day of June 2020, the Pawnee Nation Special Election was held according to the Pawnee Nation Constitution, Article IV, Section 4. (i); and

WHEREAS, the Pawnee Nation Election Commission has certified the election results on June 29, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Pawnee Nation Election Act states in Section 10 (F) Run-Off Elections, a candidate must receive fifty percent (50%) plus one (+1) of the votes cast in order to be elected; and

WHEREAS, no one candidate for the Pawnee Business Council Vice-President position met the requirements to be elected and a run-off election shall be held within sixty days between the two candidates receiving the highest number of votes cast.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Pawnee Business Council does hereby recognize the results of the Pawnee Nation Special Election held on June 20, 2020 and that the position of the Pawnee Business Council Vice-President did not meet the requirements to be duly elected.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the Pawnee Nation Election Commission will commence with the Run-Off Election in accordance with the Pawnee Nation Election Act.

CERTIFICATION

I, Patricia McCray, Secretary of the Pawnee Business Council, certify that a Special Meeting of the Pawnee Business Council was held on the 8th day of July 2020 and that the Pawnee Business Council is composed of eight members, one vacant seat of whom 7 were present, 0 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 9th day of July 2020

ATTEST:

Patricia McCray, Secretary
Pawnee Nation Business Council

Walter R. Echo-Hawk, President
Pawnee Nation Business Council