



Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma

RESOLUTION #21-100
DECEMBER 22, 2021

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 an emergency session on December 22, 2021, on Pawnee Nation Microsoft TEAMS, duly authorized, with a quorum present; and
- Whereas,** the Pawnee Business Council, based on the recommendations of the COVID Committee, recommends the following appropriation from funds received as part of the American Rescue Plan Act in the amount of **\$3,800,000.00** for Revenue Replacement; and
- Whereas,** these funds will be used for provisions of government services and rehiring of Tribal Government staff to allow the Tribe to restore and maintain employees at pre-pandemic levels necessary to provide government services essential to Tribal members, and;
- Whereas,** these funds should be automatically transferred to the Pawnee Nation or in the special account set up for allocation

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Pawnee Business Council does hereby approve the ARPA Revenue Replacement in the amount of \$3,800,000.00.

CERTIFICATION

I, George Gardipe, Secretary of the Pawnee Business Council, certify that a Special Meeting of the Pawnee Business Council was held on the 22nd day of December 2021 and that the Pawnee Business Council is composed of eight members, of whom 8 were present, 0 absent, comprising a quorum, and the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a vote of 7 for, 0 against, 0 abstaining, and 1 not voting.

Signed this 22nd day of December 2021

ATTEST:


George Gardipe, Secretary
Pawnee Nation Business Council


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