



Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma

RESOLUTION #22-58
SEPTEMBER 26, 2022

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 September 26, 2022, at the Pawnee Nation Roam Chief Event Center, duly authorized, with a quorum present; and
- Whereas,** the Pawnee Business Council understands the harsh emotional and cultural impact that the boarding school era has brought upon the Pawnee Nation Citizenship as generational Trauma; and
- Whereas,** the Pawnee Business Council alongside the Nasharo Council is declaring a war on Trauma that has been caused by abuse and addiction; and
- Whereas,** the Pawnee Business Council endorses the creation of a Pawnee Nation Scout Task Force that is committed to developing trauma informed practices within our Tribal Court, Law Enforcement, Health & Social Services, Education, and Employment.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Pawnee Business Council does hereby endorse the creation of a Pawnee Nation Scout Task Force to target and eradicate Trauma. This task force is committed to developing trauma informed practices within our Tribal Courts, Law Enforcement, Health & Social Services, Education, and Employment. Thereby protecting our most precious and valued responsibility; the Pawnee Nation Citizens.

CERTIFICATION

I, George Gardipe, Secretary of the Pawnee Business Council, certify that a Special Meeting of the Pawnee Business Council was held on the 26th day of September 2022 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 26th day of September 2022

ATTEST:


George Gardipe, Secretary
Pawnee Business Council


Walter R. Echo-Hawk, President
Pawnee Business Council