

ATTENTION: POTENTIAL TRIBAL COUNCIL CANDIDATES

DEADLINE: RESUMES DUE THURSDAY, JUNE 29 BY NOON (CST)
INTERVIEWS HELD ON JUNE 29 AT 1 PM (CST) IN TALLAHASSEE, OK

According to the 1999 Cherokee Constitution, which has been implemented as the Supreme Law of the Cherokee Nation, the Tribal Council shall consist of seventeen (17) members. Fifteen (15) members are to represent fifteen (15) equally apportioned districts within the historical jurisdiction of the Cherokee Nation, two (2) "at large" members are to represent Cherokee citizens residing outside the historical jurisdiction.

The Supreme Court of the Cherokee Nation has mandated that the Tribal Council appoint two (2) "at large" Tribal Council members to serve until the next general election which will be held in June 2007.

Those interested in being appointed to the Tribal Council shall meet these qualifications to-wit:

1. A citizen of the Cherokee Nation by blood
2. At least twenty-five (25) years of age
3. Not be convicted of a felony or a crime under the laws of the Cherokee Nation that committed in some other jurisdiction would be a felony or proof of a pardon of said crime from the appropriate jurisdiction.
4. Not hold any office of honor, profit or trust in any other tribe of Indian Nation, unless approved by the Cherokee Nation Tribal Council.

All individuals seeking appointment shall send proof of the qualifications listed above, resumes, and any other information they deem pertinent to:

Shelby Meadows-Hailey
Cherokee Nation Tribal Council
P.O. Box 991
Tallahassee, Oklahoma 74405

E-mailed resumes can be sent to the following address: shelby@cherokee-nsn.gov

Deadline for submission of resumes is 12:00 noon, June 29. The candidates will be interviewed during the June 29 tribal meeting at 1:00 p.m.. Individuals are encouraged to attend the Rules Committee Meeting. The finalists will be notified and will be presented for approval at a special rules meeting July 10, 1:00 p.m. CST, and confirmed at the regular Tribal Council meeting July 10, 6:00 p.m., CST.

For further information concerning this matter, please contact Todd Hedbreck at (918) 453-0202.