

The Wichita and Affiliated Tribes

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RESOLUTION

Approving Ara Newton, Tribal Government Services Assistant, Michelle Emerson, Tribal Government Services Specialist or President Amber Silverhorn-Wolfe to execute the Indian Preference Form BIA 4432

- WHEREAS,** the Wichita and Affiliated Tribes (Wichita, Keechi, Waco, and Tawakoni) (the "Tribe") possess substantial inherent sovereign powers and have exercised those powers since time immemorial; and
- WHEREAS,** the Tribe has a duly established Tribal Government recognized by the Secretary of the Interior; and
- WHEREAS,** Article V of the Wichita Governing Resolution authorizes and empowers the Wichita Executive Committee of the Wichita and Affiliated Tribes to act in all matters of business on behalf of the Tribe; and
- WHEREAS,** the Wichita Executive Committee asserts that it is in the best interest of the Wichita and Affiliated Tribes to have an enrollment office that meets the needs of our tribal members, and
- WHEREAS,** the Tribe is working diligently to secure full funding for tribal government programs to address these financial challenges and support the Tribe's operations and services to its people; and
- WHEREAS,** Issuing Indian Preference Form BIA 4432 allows tribal members to apply for Federal Employment under Indian Preference and is an added service to our people

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Wichita Executive Committee hereby authorizes Ava Newton, Tribal Government Services Assistant, Michelle Emerson, Tribal Government Services Specialist or Amber Silverhorn-Wolfe, President to execute Indian Preference Form BIA 4432 by certifying and signing the document. and

THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, the Wichita and Affiliated Tribes Executive Committee hereby authorizes President Amber Silverhorn-Wolfe or Vice President Tasha R. Mousseau in her absence, to sign this resolution and any associated documents.

CERTIFICATION

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Wichita Executive Committee of the Wichita and Affiliated Tribes of Oklahoma on **January 30, 2025**, in Anadarko, Oklahoma, by a vote of **5** for, **0** against, **0** abstentions, a quorum being present.

Attest:

Approved:



Starr Chavez
Secretary



Tasha R. Mousseau
Vice President