



CALL TO ORDER:

Councilwoman Sherry Turner Lone-Fight called the meeting to order at 1:45 PM.

I. ROLL CALL:

Present: Councilman Fred Fox, Councilman Cory Spotted Bear, Councilwoman V. Judy Brugh, & Councilwoman Sherry Turner Lone-Fight. *Quorum established.*

II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

Motion: Councilwoman V. Judy Brugh moved to approve the agenda. Councilman Cory Spotted Bear seconded the motion. Vote: 4-0-0. Motion carried.

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

- **August 23rd, 2022 Cultural Committee Minutes.**

Motion: Councilwoman V. Judy Brugh moved to approve August 23rd, 2022 Cultural Committee Minutes with corrections. Councilman Cory Spotted Bear seconded the motion. Vote: 4-0-0. Motion carried.

IV. PROGRAM REPORTS:

A. Tribal Historic Preservation Office – Allan Demaray, Director

Item deferred

B. Tourism – Darian Morsette, Director

Item deferred

C. Interpretive Center – Delphine Baker, Director

Item deferred

D. Language Department – Tony Lone Fight, Director

Need more office space and was recommended that he visit with the CEO. Would like to hire more apprentices, have it in our budget to get more apprentices. Councilman Fred Fox states, make sure to advertise with HR first. Tony will go through the proper procedure for raises. Discussed the possibility of moving apprentices directly to Mentors without having to advertise. Has already lost some due to the time it takes.

E. Language Program – Maybella Lone Fight / Aaron Abby

Item deferred



V. NEW BUSINESS

A. **Ryan Wilson Proposed Resolution**

Poncho Brady, Native American Church, proposed resolution. Councilwoman Sherry Turner-Lone Fight asked if we would have peyote grow here or elsewhere. Ryan states it should grow in its natural environment. Elected as Chair of the National Native American Church of North America in June. In Texas, the USDA is plowing up peyote habitat. Indorsed by the NCAI and trying hold the gov. to their ARPA responsibilities. Seeking support in the form of a tribal resolution. Ryan Wilson also provided addition information about increasing land owner benefits to not plowing under the peyote natural habitat, the comment period for the bill, meetings with the White House. Also seeking review of the of the 1978 Indian Religious Act.

Motion: Councilman Cory Spotted Bear moved to forward an endorsement resolution seeking protections Peyote Habitat in the Farm Bill to TBC. Councilwoman V. Judy Brugh seconded the motion. Vote: 4-0-0. Motion carried.

FTR: Councilman Cory Spotted Bear left the meeting at 2:04 PM.

VI. ADJOURNMENT

Motion: Councilwoman V. Judy Brugh moved to adjourn the meeting. Councilman Fred Fox seconded the motion. Meeting adjourned at 2:10 PM.

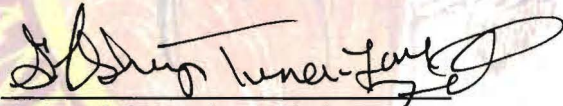


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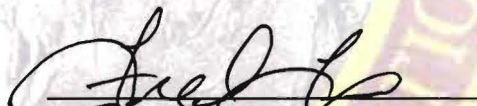
I, the undersigned, as Chairman for the Tribal Business Council's Cultural Committee of the of the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation, hereby certify that the Tribal Business Council's Cultural Committee is composed of three [3] members of whom [2] constitute a quorum; 3 were present at the Cultural Meeting thereof duly called, noticed, convened and held on the 29th day of January, 2023; that the foregoing Minutes were duly adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of 3 members; 0 members opposed; 0 members abstained; 0 Members not voting.

Dated this 29th day of January, 2023.

ATTEST:



Cultural Committee Chairwoman,
Councilwoman Sherry Turner Lone-Fight
Tribal Business Council
Three Affiliated Tribes



Executive Secretary
Councilman Fred W. Fox
Tribal Business Council
Three Affiliated Tribes