

**TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE NORTHERN CHEYENNE TRIBE  
NORTHERN CHEYENNE RESERVATION  
LAME DEER, MONTANA**

**SPECIAL SESSION COUNCIL MEETING**

**MINUTES**

March 2, 2011

**CALL TO ORDER:** President Spang called the meeting to order at 11:02 a.m.

**INVOCATION:** Joe Fox, Jr.

**ROLL CALL:**

	PRESENT	ABSENT	EXCUSED
George Scalpcane	X		
R.D. Bailey	X		
Tracy Robinson	X		
Vernon Small	X		
Alec Sanderane		X	
Jule Spang, Sr.	X		
L. Jace Killsback	X		
Donna Fisher	X		
Jennie Small LaFranier	X		
Marlene Redneck	X		
Vice President Fox	X		
President Spang	X		

Quorum Established

Meeting called to assist a NC Tribal member with legal assistance with a child custody and criminal case filed by the state of Oregon.

Discussion followed.

**RESOLUTION ASSIGNING THE TRIBE'S SPECIAL LEGAL COUNSEL, STEVE CHESTNUT, TO PROVIDE LEGAL ASSISTANCE TO KRISTINA M. RED BIRD-QUAEMPTS, AN ENROLLED NORTHERN CHEYENNE TRIBAL MEMBER, INVOLVED IN CRIMINAL AND CIVIL PROCEEDINGS IN UMATILLA COUNTY COURT IN THE STATE OF OREGON** Motion made by Tracy Robinson. Second by R.D. Bailey.

**ROLL CALL VOTE:**

	YES	NO	ABSTAIN
George Scalpcane	X		
R.D. Bailey	X		
Tracy Robinson	X		
Vernon Small	X		

<b>Alec Sandcrane</b>			
<b>Jule Spang, Sr.</b>	<b>X</b>		
<b>L. Jace Killsback</b>	<b>X</b>		
<b>Donna Fisher</b>	<b>X</b>		
<b>Jennie Small LaFranier</b>	<b>X</b>		
<b>Marlene Redneck</b>	<b>X</b>		
<b>Vice President Fox</b>	<b>X</b>		

**10 votes Yes      0 votes No      0 Abstentions      Motion Carried**

Also included: Kristina Red Bird-Quaempts, is a former regular full-time Tribal employee who was released from her place of employment due to criminal court proceedings that are being challenged by Ms. Red Bird Quaempts and the Tribal Council is in support of this individual's right to continue gainful employment with the Tribe.

**ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING.** Motion made by R.D. Bailey. Second by L. Jace Killsback.

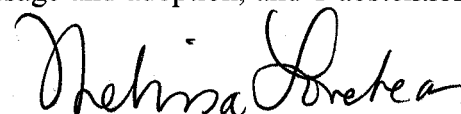
**ROLL CALL VOTE:**

	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>ABSTAIN</b>
<b>George Scalpcane</b>	<b>X</b>		
<b>R.D. Bailey</b>	<b>X</b>		
<b>Tracy Robinson</b>	<b>X</b>		
<b>Vernon Small</b>	<b>X</b>		
<b>Alec Sandcrane</b>			
<b>Jule Spang, Sr.</b>	<b>X</b>		
<b>L. Jace Killsback</b>	<b>X</b>		
<b>Donna Fisher</b>	<b>X</b>		
<b>Jennie Small LaFranier</b>	<b>X</b>		
<b>Marlene Redneck</b>	<b>X</b>		
<b>Vice President Fox</b>	<b>X</b>		

**10 votes Yes      0 votes No      0 Abstentions      Motion Carried**

**Meeting Adjourned at 11:39 a.m.**

**PASSED, ADOPTED, AND APPROVED** by the Northern Cheyenne Tribal Council by 9 votes for passage and adoption, 0 votes against passage and adoption, and 1 abstention this 16<sup>th</sup> day of May 2011.

  
 Melissa Lonebear, Secretary  
 Northern Cheyenne Tribe