

AFFIDAVIT OF RICHARD PHILLIPS

Richard Phillips, being first duly sworn upon oath, alleges and states:

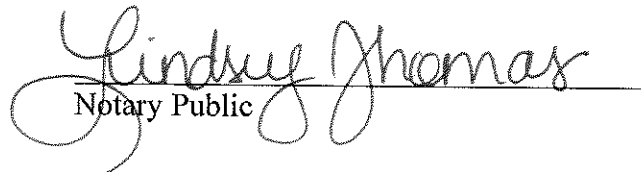
1. I am of legal age and have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein.
2. I am the Chief of the Lighthorse Police Department for the Muscogee (Creek) Nation.
3. Since July 9, 2020, the Lighthorse Department has hired an additional 20 Lighthorse police officers.
4. Since July 9, 2020, 10 new criminal investigators have been hired by Lighthorse.
5. Since July 9, 2020, 2 additional Sexual Offender Registration (SORNA) officers have been hired by Lighthorse.
6. 6 additional dispatchers and 2 records clerks have been hired by Lighthorse since July 9, 2020.
7. The Muscogee (Creek) Nation Lighthorse Department is currently actively seeking to hire an additional 15 police officers and 12 new civilian employees to monitor the Nation's CCTVs.
8. In FY 2020 the Lighthorse budget was \$5,097,915.00. In FY 2021 the Lighthorse budget was increased to \$8,808,595.00. The Lighthorse budget for FY 2022 will be \$12,431,692.00 representing an increase of over \$7,000,000.00 in the annual Lighthorse budget since July 9, 2020.
9. There are currently 2 juvenile detention agreements and 6 adult detention agreements in place between the Muscogee (Creek) Nation and counties within the reservation.
10. Since July 9, 2020, the Lighthorse Department has opened a branch office in Tulsa in order to provide more efficient services. The Lighthorse Department is seeking to add an additional 3 new substations with the objective of maintaining a police station in each quadrant within the Muscogee (Creek) Nation.

Further Affiant Sayeth Not.


Richard Phillips

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of October, 2021.

(Seal)


Notary Public

LINDSEY THOMAS
NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF OKLAHOMA
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES AUG. 02, 2025
COMMISSION # 21010900