

TENTH LEGISLATURE  
OF THE  
CHEYENNE AND ARAPAHO TRIBES  
REGULAR SESSION  
DECEMBER 13, 2025  
LCR, CONCHO, OK

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**RESOLUTION:** A Resolution to Approve the Adoption of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes Fiscal Year 2025 Transportation Safety Plan (FY25 TSP) as per 25 CFR Part 170, §170.128(a)(1), and Pursuant to 23 USC 201(c) to the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA)

**RESOLUTION NO:** 10L-RS-2025-12-003  
**DATE INTRODUCED:** November 3, 2025  
**SPONSOR:** Bruce Whiteman, Jr., District C1  
**CO-SPONSOR:** Rector Candy, District A4

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**SUBJECT:** A Resolution to Approve the Adoption of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes Fiscal Year 2025 Transportation Safety Plan (FY25 TSP) as per 25 CFR Part 170, §170.128(a)(1), and Pursuant to 23 USC 201(c) to the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA)

**WHEREAS:** The Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes are a federally recognized Indian Tribe organized under the Constitution of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes approved by the Tribal membership on April 4, 2006 and accepted by the Secretary of Interior; and

**WHEREAS:** Article VI, Section 5(a) of the Constitution provides that the Legislative power shall be vested in the Legislature; and

**WHEREAS:** Article VI, Section 5(a) of the Constitution grants the Legislature the power to make laws and resolutions in accordance with the Constitution which are necessary and proper for the good of the Tribes; and

**WHEREAS:** The Cheyenne and Arapaho Department of Transportation as per Government-to-Government Agreement #A23AV00096, Article III, Section 4, is responsible to carry out transportation planning and inventory process on behalf of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes; and,

**WHEREAS:** The Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes are dedicated to providing safe, dependable, economical transportation services for the welfare of Tribal people; and

**WHEREAS:** The Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes Department of Transportation, as a transportation-related responsibility, identifies the need for a Transportation Safety Plan as an essential component and effective planning tool for prioritizing and implementing safety solutions to transportation within the Tribes' service area; and

**WHEREAS:** The Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes Department of Transportation hereby certifies that the required public involvement was conducted through a call for projects, community meetings, and a Stakeholders' Meeting held on July 22, 2025 per Tribal Transportation Program requirements as outline in §170.413 (a) and (b); and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Tenth Legislature of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes, pursuant to its Constitutional authority, hereby approves the Department of Transportation's FY2025 Transportation Safety Plan to implement transportation safety activities related to education, emergency response, enforcement, and engineering improvements.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that the Tenth Legislature of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribe, pursuant to its Constitutional authority, approves the adoption of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes Fiscal Year 2025 Transportation Safety Plan (FY25 TSP) as per 25 CFR Part 170; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED,** that the Tenth Legislature of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes, authorizes the Governor to sign all related documents for the submission of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes FY25 TSP pursuant to 23 USC 201(c) to the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA).



Kendricks Sleeper  
Speaker of the Tenth Legislature  
Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes



**ATTEST:**

I, Jodi White Buffalo, Legislative Clerk, hereby certify that the foregoing is a True and Accurate Copy of the Original Bill No. 10L-RS-2025-12-003 which was acted upon by the Legislature of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes in the Tenth Legislature Regular Session, by a roll call vote on the 13th day of December 2025, by a vote.

**VOTE RECORD:**

DISTRICT	LEGISLATOR	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
A1	Diane Willis	✓			
A2	Kendricks Sleeper	✓			
A3	Travis Ruiz	✓			
A4	Rector Candy	✓			
C1	Bruce Whiteman, Jr.	✓			
C2	George Woods	✓			
C3	Thomas Trout				✓
C4	Byron Byrd	✓			
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>7</b>			<b>1</b>
Passes (7) Fails ( ) Tabled ( ) Allowed to Die ( ) No Action ( )					

BT - <sup>1st</sup> TR <sup>2nd</sup> BB  
 CV - TR BB

*Jodi White Buffalo*  
 Jodi White Buffalo, Legislative Clerk  
 Tenth Legislature, Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes



**ATTEST:**

Pursuant to Article VI, Section 7, subsection (a)(iv) of the Tribes Constitution reads in part: "All Bills passed by the Legislature shall be presented to the Governor for signature or veto. All laws shall take effect thirty days after signature by the Governor or veto override by the Legislature unless any Member of the Tribes submits to the Coordinator of the Office of Tribal Council a petition signed by at least one hundred fifty Members of the Tribal Council seeking to repeal the law or resolution at the next Tribal Council meeting. If the Tribal Council fails to repeal such law or resolution at the next Tribal Council where the matter has been properly placed on the agenda for the Tribal Council meeting, such law or resolution shall become effective immediately."

Pursuant to Article VII, Section 4, subsection (g) of the Tribes Constitution reads: "The Governor shall have the power to sign any enactment passed by the Legislature into law or to veto any enactment passed by the Legislature within ten days of passage with a written explanation of any objections; and if the Governor takes no action within ten days, then the enactment shall become law in accordance with this Constitution."

{  } APPROVED

{  } VETOED: Attachment \_\_\_\_; Governor's written explanation of any objections.

On the 13 day of December, 2025.

  
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Reggie Wassana, Governor  
Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes



**TRANSMITTAL OF DOCUMENTS:**

**From the Legislative Branch to the Office of Records Management**

**ATTEST:**

Pursuant to Article VI, Section 7, subsection (a)(v), of the Tribes Constitution reads, "The Office of Records Management shall compile all Laws and Resolutions into a comprehensive Code in an orderly manner that shall be published annually."

Office of Records Management Staff, hereby certify that the foregoing is a True and Accurate Original Resolution No. 10L-RS-2025-12-003.

Space below is reserved for Stamp:

Received (Date) Office of Record Management



Signature: Cheryl Blind

Print Name: Cheryl Blind

Title: Director

Date: 12/18/2025

Office of Records Management  
Department of Administration, Executive Branch  
Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes

