

ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE
OF THE
CHEYENNE AND ARAPAHO TRIBES
REGULAR SESSION
SEPTEMBER 12, 2026
LCR, CONCHO, OK

RESOLUTION: A Resolution to approve the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes' Transit Asset Management (TAM) Plan, Updates 1 and 2, as per TAM Rule, 49 CFR Part 625, and Authorize the Submission to Federal Transit Administration (FTA).

RESOLUTION NO: 11L-RS-2026-09-003

DATE INTRODUCED: August 3, 2026

SPONSOR: Rector Candy, District A4

CO-SPONSOR: Pamela Sutton, District A1

SUBJECT: A Resolution to approve the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes' Transit Asset Management (TAM) Plan, Updates 1 and 2, as per TAM Rule, 49 CFR Part 625, and Authorize the Submission to Federal Transit Administration (FTA).

WHEREAS: The Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes are duly recognized by the United States Secretary of the Interior as a self-governing, Sovereign Nation, that is a federally recognized Indian Tribe with all rights, privileges, and powers attended thereto as a sovereign government under a constitution approved 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, which includes the powers 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 an Arapaho Tribes Department of Transportation does administer the Tribal Transit Program as per P.L. 114-95 to provide Public Transportation in Indian Reservations Program under Section 5311 (j); and

WHEREAS: The Cheyenne an Arapaho Tribes, as a recipient of Section 5311 (j) to provide Tribal Transit Program services and remain compliant with 49 CFR Part 625, TAM Rule, hereby certifies that the updated Transit Asset Management (TAM) Plan shall serve as a strategic and systematic process for operating, maintaining, and improving Transit capital assets effectively through their useful life; and

WHEREAS: The Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes certifies that the updated Transit Asset Management (TAM) Plan for the Tribal Transit Program does include the inventory of transit capital assets, including equipment, rolling stock, infrastructures, and

facilities, the condition assessments of the inventoried assets, and a prioritized list of investments to improve the state of good repair of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes' transit capital assets; and

WHEREAS: The Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes further certifies that the updated Transit Asset Management (TAM) Plan for the Tribal Transit Program does establish performance targets based on state of good repair measures; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Eleventh Legislature of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribe, pursuant to its Constitutional authority, hereby approves the adoption of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes' Transit Asset Management (TAM) Plan for the Tribal Transit Program as per 49 CFR Part 625; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes Eleventh Legislature further authorizes the Governor of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes to sign all related documents for the submission of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes updated Transit Asset Management (TAM) Plan pursuant to the TAM Rule, 49 CFR Part 625 to the Federal Transit Administration (FTA).



Kendricks Sleeper
Speaker of the Eleventh 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. 11L-RS-2026-09-003 which was acted upon by the Legislature of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes in the Ninth Regular Session, by a roll call vote on the 12th day of September 2026, by a vote.

VOTE RECORD:

DISTRICT	LEGISLATOR	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
A1	Pamela Sutton	✓			
A2	Kendricks Sleeper	✓			
A3	Travis Ruiz	✓			
A4	Rector Candy	✓			
C1	Bruce Whiteman, Jr.	✓			
C2	Milan Roman Nose, Jr.	✓			
C3	Thomas Trout	✓			
C4	Mariah Youngbull	✓			
TOTAL		8			
Passes (X) Fails () Tabled () Allowed to Die () No Action ()					

Pursuant to Article VI, Section 5, subsection (a) of the Tribes Constitution reads in part: "Tie votes in the Legislature shall be decided by the Governor."

		YES	NO	ABSENT
Governor	Reggie Wassana			



Jodi White Buffalo, Legislative Clerk
Eleventh 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 12th day of September, 2026.



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. 11L-RS-2026-09-003.

Space below is reserved for Stamp:

Received (Date) Office of Record Management



Signature: Cheryl Blind

Print Name: Cheryl Blind

Title: Director

Date: 9/15/2026

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

