



# PAWNEE NATION GAMING COMMISSION

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March 18, 2020

**RE: Order of Closure**

Mr. Goodfox;

It is the responsibility of the Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission to protect the public health and welfare of the employees and patrons. According to the Pawnee Nation Gaming Ordinance §1.1 Declaration of Policy, all Gaming Activities must conform with 25 U.S.C. §2701-2721. According to §2710(b)(2)(E), operation of Gaming Activities must be conducted while protecting the environment and the public health and safety.

Also, according to §1.1 of the Gaming Ordinance, Gaming Activities shall be regulated by the Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission. According to §3.6, the Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission must continue to monitor Gaming Activities conducted on Pawnee Nation Land. According to numerous public health agencies, including State and Federal agencies, the outbreak of COVID is a global pandemic. These agencies have recommended against gatherings of no more than ten (10) people as well as practicing of "social distancing" of six (6) feet or more between individuals.

Based on the threat to public health safety and welfare, the Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission is ordering the closure of the gaming facilities as a way to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 and protect the health and well-being of our citizens and patrons. The Gaming Commission **Order of Closure** will expire March 31, 2020, and a re-evaluation will take place on that date or earlier if circumstances allow or is warranted.

If there are any questions, please feel free to contact the Gaming Commission at (918)762-3378 or [aattocknie@pawneenation.org](mailto:aattocknie@pawneenation.org).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Arthur L. Attocknie".

Arthur L. Attocknie  
Director

Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission

cc: Pawnee Business Council  
Stonewolf Casino  
Trading Post Casino  
Tee Pee Caso



PAWNEE NATION GAMING COMMISSION  
PAWNEE NATION OF OKLAHOMA

IN RE THE APPLICATION )  
FOR GAMING LICENSE OF )  
LICENSEE FL-121613 ) Case 2020-007  
TEE PEE CASINO )  
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ORDER OF CLOSURE

In an emergency vote taken by electronic means, the Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission finds the following:

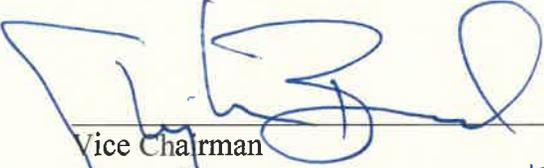
WHEREAS the Gaming Commission is acting with respect to authority granted by the Pawnee Nation Gaming Ordinance §3.6 and §1.1, and

WHEREAS the Gaming Commission has found it necessary to protect the public health and welfare of employees and patrons at Gaming Facilities conducting Gaming Activities, and

WHEREAS, on March 18, 2020 the Oklahoma State Department of Health confirmed a positive case of COVID-19 in Pawnee County, and the confirmed positive cases has increased to 29 cases in Oklahoma, and,

WHEREAS the Gaming Commission has received information from the Gaming Facilities and finds the information and activities in response to COVID-19 and suggested recommended guidance insufficient to mitigate the threat to the public health and welfare of Gaming Activities,

THEREFORE, the Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission orders a suspension of Gaming Activities and temporary closure of Gaming Facility located at Tee Pee Casino, 28314 E 6<sup>th</sup> St, Yale, Oklahoma 74085, this 18<sup>th</sup> day of March 2020, under the authority of §3.6 of the Pawnee Nation Gaming Ordinance. This order shall remain in effect until March 31, 2020, or superseded by a subsequent order by the Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission at a later date.

  
Vice Chairman  
Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission 5/8/2020

PAWNEE NATION GAMING COMMISSION  
PAWNEE NATION OF OKLAHOMA

IN RE THE APPLICATION )  
FOR GAMING LICENSE OF )  
LICENSEE FL-020106 ) Case 2020-006  
STONEWOLF CASINO )  
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ORDER OF CLOSURE

In an emergency vote taken by electronic means, the Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission finds the following:

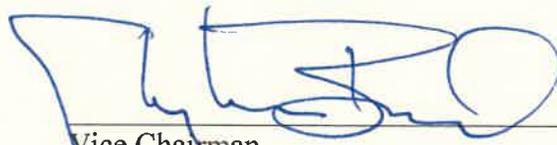
WHEREAS the Gaming Commission is acting with respect to authority granted by the Pawnee Nation Gaming Ordinance §3.6 and §1.1, and

WHEREAS the Gaming Commission has found it necessary to protect the public health and welfare of employees and patrons at Gaming Facilities conducting Gaming Activities, and

WHEREAS, on March 18, 2020 the Oklahoma State Department of Health confirmed a positive case of COVID-19 in Pawnee County, and the confirmed positive cases has increased to 29 cases in Oklahoma, and,

WHEREAS the Gaming Commission has received information from the Gaming Facilities and finds the information and activities in response to COVID-19 and suggested recommended guidance insufficient to mitigate the threat to the public health and welfare of Gaming Activities,

THEREFORE, the Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission orders a suspension of Gaming Activities and temporary closure of Gaming Facility located at Stonewolf Casino, 54251 S 349 Rd, Pawnee, Oklahoma 74058, this 18<sup>th</sup> day of March 2020, under the authority of §3.6 of the Pawnee Nation Gaming Ordinance. This order shall remain in effect until March 31, 2020, or superseded by a subsequent order by the Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission at a later date.

  
Vice Chairman  
Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission  
3/18/2020



PAWNEE NATION GAMING COMMISSION  
PAWNEE NATION OF OKLAHOMA

IN RE THE APPLICATION )  
FOR GAMING LICENSE OF )  
 ) Case 2020-005  
LICENSEE FL-092602 )  
TRADING POST CASINO )  
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ORDER OF CLOSURE

In an emergency vote taken by electronic means, the Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission finds the following:

WHEREAS the Gaming Commission is acting with respect to authority granted by the Pawnee Nation Gaming Ordinance §3.6 and §1.1, and

WHEREAS the Gaming Commission has found it necessary to protect the public health and welfare of employees and patrons at Gaming Facilities conducting Gaming Activities, and

WHEREAS, on March 18, 2020 the Oklahoma State Department of Health confirmed a positive case of COVID-19 in Pawnee County, and the confirmed positive cases has increased to 29 cases in Oklahoma, and

WHEREAS the Gaming Commission has received information from the Gaming Facilities and finds the information and activities in response to COVID-19 and suggested recommended guidance insufficient to mitigate the threat to the public health and welfare of Gaming Activities,

THEREFORE, the Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission orders a suspension of Gaming Activities and temporary closure of Gaming Facility located at Trading Post Casino, 291 Agency Rd, Pawnee, Oklahoma 74058, this 18<sup>th</sup> day of March 2020, under the authority of §3.6 of the Pawnee Nation Gaming Ordinance. This order shall remain in effect until March 31, 2020, or superseded by a subsequent order by the Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission at a later date.

  
Vice Chairman 3/18/2020  
Pawnee Nation Gaming Commission