Whereas, The Pawnee Business Council is the supreme governing body of the Pawnee Nation and is authorized to conduct business on behalf of the Pawnee Nation in accordance with Article IV, Sections 1 and 2 of the Pawnee Nation Constitution and By-Laws; and

Whereas, The Pawnee Business Council met in special session on March 13, 2018, at the Pawnee Nation Resource Center, duly authorized, with a quorum present; and

Whereas, the Pawnee Nation’s people are its most valuable resource for interpreting the unique story of the Pawnee Nation. The Pawnee culture, history and knowledge lives within all relatives that comprise the Pawnee Nation today; and

Whereas, the Pawnee Nation recognizes the importance of protecting, preserving and documenting its oral histories from the perspective of the Pawnee People so their voice can perpetuate and be heard by future generations; and

Whereas, the Pawnee Nation desires to submit a Phase III Grant Application to the Multicultural Initiative for Community Advancements' (MICA) Cultural Resource Fund for development of the Suruksta'iwât (Tell It!) Oral History Preservation Project.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Pawnee Business Council does hereby approve the submission of the Suruksta'iwât (Tell It!) Phase III Grant Application to the MICA Culture Resource Fund.

CERTIFICATION

I, Patricia McCray, Secretary of the Pawnee Business Council, certify that a Special Meeting of the Pawnee Business Council was held on the 13th day of March 2018 and that the Pawnee Business Council is composed of eight members, of whom 7 were present, 1 absent, compromising a quorum, and the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a vote of 6 for, 0 against, 0 abstaining, and 1 not voting.

Signed this 13th day of March 2018

ATTEST:

Patricia McCray, Secretary
Pawnee Nation Business Council

W. Bruce Pratt, President
Pawnee Nation Business Council