

RESOLUTION NO. 2019-R- 014

"BE IT RESOLVED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF THE COUNTY OF POPE, STATE OF ARKANSAS THAT: A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF CHEROKEE NATION BUSINESSES, LLC/LEGENDS RESORT AND CASINO, LLC (COLLECTIVELY "CNB") CASINO LICENSE APPLICATION"

WHEREAS, we the Pope County Quorum Court have considered the qualifications and suitability of five potential casino operators to establish a facility in Pope County, giving specific attention to public safety, public benefit, business integrity, entertainment amenities and long-term commitment to community partnership; and

WHEREAS, The County Judge has executed an Economic Development Agreement with CNB that establishes significant commitments to the benefit of Pope County; We thank the County Judge for the leadership and judgment he has demonstrated in selecting the proposal and operator best suited for Pope County and negotiating the most favorable terms possible in the Agreement,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Pope County Quorum Court grants and expresses its support for a casino license application to be submitted by the Cherokee Nation Businesses, LLC/Legends Resort and Casino, LLC to build and operate the Legends Resort and Casino in Pope County, Arkansas.

DATE: 8-13-19

APPROVED:

ATTEST:

BEN D. CROSS, COUNTY JUDGE DATE SIGNED: 8/13/2019

@ 7:25 P.M.

PAM ENNIS, COUNTY CLERK

VOTES FOR: VOTES AGAINST: 4
ABSTAIN: PRESENT: 3 ABSENT: 4