

RESOLUTION NO. 25-2018

A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING OWNERSHIP AND DEVOTING THE VETERANS MEMORIAL, LOCATED ON THE CHEROKEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE LAWN IN COLUMBUS, KANSAS, CHEROKEE COUNTY, KANSAS, AS A PUBLIC SYMBOL OF RESPECT AND APPRECIATION TO ALL MILITARY SERVICE MEMBERS, PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CHEROKEE COUNTY, KANSAS, THAT THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION BE ADOPTED:

SECTION 1. GENERAL AUTHORITY. K.S.A. 19-101, *et. seq.*, and K.S.A. 19-212 authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Cherokee County, Kansas, to transact all County business and perform all powers of local legislation deemed appropriate, and to make all contracts and do all other acts in relation to the property and concerns of the County necessary to the exercise of its corporate or administrative powers.

SECTION 2. SCOPE AND APPLICATION. The County is hereby authorized and accepts ownership of the Veterans Memorial, located on the northeast section of the lawn of the Cherokee County Courthouse, located in Columbus, Cherokee County, Kansas, and devotes the property as a public symbol of respect and appreciation to all military service members, past, present and future. The ad hoc Veterans Memorial Committee has issued its request for said action by the County in its letter dated October 26, 2018, which is attached.

SECTION 3. ADVISORY ADMINISTRATION. The Board of County Commissioners hereby establishes the volunteer Veterans Memorial Committee for the purpose of advising the County and for administration of maintenance and additions to the Veterans Memorial site.

SECTION 4. APPOINTMENTS. The Board of County Commissioners appoints Sonja Duley, Athena McColm and Margaret McColm as volunteer charter members of the Veterans Memorial Committee to serve indefinitely and for as long as members are willing and able to serve.

SECTION 5. FUNDING. Funds for future maintenance have been placed with the Columbus Community Foundation and shall be available as reimbursement to the County for maintenance or additions, as deemed necessary or recommended by the Veterans Memorial Committee or the Board of County Commissioners.

SECTION 6. All resolutions and parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed in so far as they conflict herewith.

SECTION 7. This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after passage and publication in the official County newspaper.

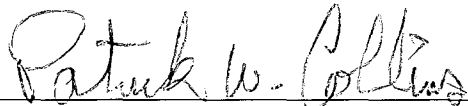
PASSED AND APPROVED this 14 day of November, 2018, by the Board of County Commissioners of Cherokee County, Kansas.



Cory Moates, Chairman
Cherokee County Commissioner

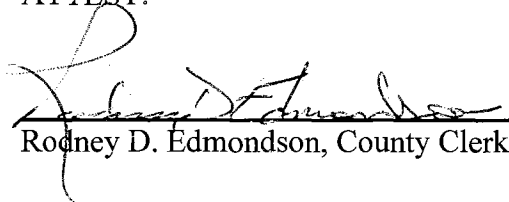


Neal Anderson
Cherokee County Commissioner



Patrick Collins
Cherokee County Commissioner

ATTEST:



Rodney D. Edmondson, County Clerk

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