

Resolved by the committee & council and people in general assembled.

That Messrs. John Ross, Rich^d Taylor, Samuel Gunter, Edwards Gunter, James Brown, Elijah Hicks, Setu wa ke & White Path, be, and they are hereby authorized and fully empowered on the part of the Cherokee Nation; to make and enter into any & all such arrangements with Maj. Gen^l Winfield Scott on the part of the United States, which they may deem necessary and proper for effecting the entire removal of the Cherokee people from the east to the west of the Mississippi river. And also to enter into such further arrangements with the commanding Gen^l in relation to the payment of such sums of money by the United States as may be needed for the removal and subsistence of all the Cherokee people.

And they are hereby further authorized, and empowered to make any such selection of persons as they may deem necessary to aid and assist in the said removal of the Cherokees to the western country.

Cherokee Camps, July 26, 1838.

- Richard Taylor Pres. N. Comm.
- James M. Coffey
- J^r. F. Baldridge
- Samuel Gunter
- George Hicks
- Thomas Foreman
- Old Fields
- Hair Conrad
- George Still
- James Hawkins

Na-hoo-lah
 Chu-nos-la-has-ko
 Elijah Hicks
 William Proctor
 Ka-loo-sa-ti-ke

Stephen Foreman Clerk N. Council

Young Snake Speaker of the Council

James Spears
 John Watts
 Small Back
 Wa-hatch-chu
 The Bark
 Money Corio
 Soft Shell Turtle
 Bean Stick
 John Oter-lifter
 John Keys
 White Bath
 Charles
 Chu-wa-lu-ge
 John Wane
 Sitti-wa-ge
 Peter
 Sweet Water
 Jarquah
 The Koon

Jepi Bushyhead Clerk N. Council

Resolution of the
Genl. Council of
the Cherokee Nation

A large, ornate handwritten signature or seal, possibly in cursive, located below the text. It features several loops and flourishes, characteristic of 18th or 19th-century handwriting.