Lumbee Tribal Council
Business Meeting Minutes
For Thursday February 18, 2021 / 6:30pm
Via Zoom

Meeting Called To Order: Speaker, Ricky Burnett
Invocation: Richard Jones
Pledge of Allegiance: Carrington Locklear
Preamble: Chocajuana Oxendine
Roll Call: Belinda Brewer, Tribal Council Liaison
Ethics Statement read by Speaker Ricky Burnett

Council Members Present at Roll Call: 21
Carvicious Barfield
Sharon Hunt
Gerald Goolsby
Harold Smith
Pam Hunt
Ted Woodell
Wendy Moore
Carrington Locklear
Larry Chavis
Richard Jones
Reginald Oxendine
Yvonne Dial
Alvin Mercer
Corbin Eddings
Dewey J. McNeill
Marshil Locklear
Chocajuana Oxendine
Shelley Strickland
Annie Taylor
Ricky Burnett
Terry Hunt

Quorum established
Speaker Ricky Burnett welcomed Chairman Harvey Godwin, Jr., guest speaker Mr. Ben Money, Dr. Mary Ann Jacobs, UNCP Teacher of American Studies and all that were in attendance.

Pam Hunt made a motion to approve the agenda
Larry Chavis 2nd the motion
VOICE VOTE
ALL IN FAVOR
CARRIED
Terry Hunt made a motion to approve the January Tribal Council Minutes & Actions
Annie Taylor 2nd the motion
VOICE VOTE
ALL IN FAVOR
CARRIED

Terry Hunt made a motion to approve the February Special Called Minutes & Actions
Annie Taylor 2nd the motion
VOICE VOTE
ALL IN FAVOR
CARRIED

Presentation was given by Mr. Ben Money, deputy Secretary of North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services on COVID-19 Vaccines (Your best shot against COVID-19)

Community Comments
Chairman Harvey Godwin, Jr. spoke on the importance of getting the vaccine, if we receive full Federal Recognition the vaccine will be able to give the vaccine and other healthcare. The board of directors for the Lost Colony Production reached out to the Lumbee Tribe to assist with improving their production, Kaya Littleturtle and Patrick Strickland has been assisting. Karen Bird has been working on a display about the Lumbee experience and forced participation at Fort Fisher during the Civil War, they are also building onto their museum. Lumbee Facebook page has a video that was done by Tasha Oxendine on the Dam at the Cultural Center.

Committee Reports

Federal Recognition – Dewey J McNeill
CLLR-2021-0218-01 “RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE JULIAN THOMAS PIERCE MEMORIAL LUMBEE RECOGNITION ACT OF 2021”
ROLL CALL VOTE
21Y0N0ABS
CARRIED
Item came out of committee

Education – Yvonne Dial
CLLR-2021-0218-02 “ESTABLISHMENT OF THE GARRET CAIN GOOLSBY EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP”
ROLL CALL VOTE
20Y0N1ABS
CARRIED
Item came out of committee
Calendar Review
March 1 – Finance 6pm
    Health 7pm.
    Housing 8pm.
March 2 – Economic Development 6pm.
    Constitution and Ordinance 7pm.
    ANR 8pm.
March 8 – Federal Recognition 6pm.
    Education 7pm.
    Ethics 8pm.

Pam Hunt stated that all committee members wanted to have set dates for monthly committee meetings. There were no objections.

Marshall Locklear made a motion to adjourn
Terry Hunt 2nd the motion

Benediction – Terry Hunt