

LUMBEE TRIBE OF NORTH CAROLINA

CLLO-2024-0418-01

DATE: APRIL 18, 2024

"2024 TRIBAL COUNCIL REDISTRICTING MAPS"

WHEREAS, The Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina ("Lumbee Tribe") is a recognized American Indian Tribe of the State of North Carolina, subject to the Constitution of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina ("Tribal Constitution") and its inherent powers and self-government, and;

WHEREAS, Article VII, Section 1 of the Tribal Constitution delegates all legislative authority to the Tribal Council of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina {"Tribal Council"}, and;

WHEREAS, Article VII, Section 3 of the Tribal Constitution establishes twenty-one (21) members elected from districts within Lumbee Tribal Territory.

WHEREAS, Article VII, Section 3 of the Tribal Constitution requires that these districts be redrawn within one (1) year of the decennial federal census to maintain equal representation for the Tribal membership.

WHEREAS, The duly elected Tribal council now seated, along with the Lumbee Tribal Administration, in order to maintain compliance with the Lumbee Constitution has created district maps to provide equal representation to the Tribal Membership.

WHEREAS, The Tribal Council Constitution and Ordinance Committee, having reviewed and revised said "District Maps" have determined them adequate for equal representation, presents such maps for approval by the full body elect of the Tribal Council.

WHEREAS, The district maps are now comprised of twenty-one (21) individual districts for representation. Each district is to be represented by one duly elected Council Member.

WHEREAS, The new "District Maps" once approved by the Tribal Council will leave three new Districts without a seated Council member residing in the District.

WHEREAS, In those districts who lack a Council member residing in such district the current Council member currently representing that district will remain their representative until the expiration of their current terms.

WHEREAS, Upon expiration of the term of the Council member holding over as representative of the unrepresented districts a Council member will be elected to represent those districts as their current terms expire.

WHEREAS, The Tribal Council will maintain representation for all Tribal members throughout this transition to provide stability and continuity for the membership with engaged proactive implementation of this plan.

WHEREAS, Such maps having a margin of error of fifteen (15) percent as being sufficient to ensure adequate and equal representation per the Lumbee Constitution.

WHEREAS, Recognizing no seated Tribal Council has taken on the responsibility to ensure such district maps were provided in compliance with the Lumbee Constitution.

WHEREAS, The Tribal Council comes now to present these district maps as being adequate and ensuring fair and equal representation for the tribal membership.

THEREFORE, Be it adopted, the Tribal Council of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina acknowledging heretofore that sufficient "District Maps" were not devised sufficient to satisfy the Lumbee Constitution; and acknowledging the complexities required in accomplishing this task now presents these "District Maps" as complying with the Lumbee Constitution and ensuring equal representation by the Tribal membership before the Tribal Council of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina.

BE IT FURTHER ADOPTED, That the Tribal Council ensures continued representation by those Council Members currently serving those unrepresented Districts and those Council Members will finish their terms uninterrupted. Upon expiration of said terms those districts will elect their representative at the next election.

CERTIFICATION

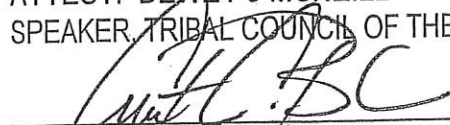
THIS ~~CLLO~~ **CLLO-2024-0418-01** "2024 TRIBAL COUNCIL REDISTRICTING MAPS,"
ADOPTED AT A MEETING OF THE TWENTY-ONE (21) MEMBER TRIBAL COUNCIL
OF THE LUMBEE TRIBE OF NORTH CAROLINA WHERE 16 MEMBERS WERE
PRESENT, CONSTITUTING A QUORUM, THIS THE 18th DAY OF APRIL, 2024, BY A
VOTE OF 15 YES, 1 NO, 0 ABSTENTION(S), RECUSE(S) 0.



ATTEST: DEWEY J MCNEILL
SPEAKER, TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE LUMBEE TRIBE OF NORTH CAROLINA

4/18/2024

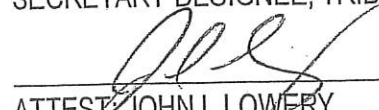
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ATTEST: ALEX BAKER
SECRETARY DESIGNEE, TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE LUMBEE TRIBE OF NORTH CAROLINA

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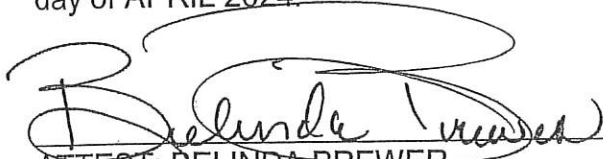
ATTEST: JOHN L LOWERY
CHAIRMAN, LUMBEE TRIBE OF NORTH CAROLINA

4/30/24

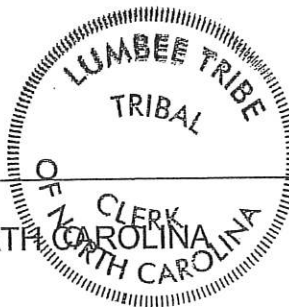
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THIS **CLLO-2024-0418-01**, "2024 TRIBAL COUNCIL REDISTRICTING MAPS" duly posted on the 18th
day of APRIL 2024.



ATTEST: BELINDA BREWER
TRIBAL CLERK DESIGNEE, LUMBEE TRIBE OF NORTH CAROLINA



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ROLL CALL VOTE RESULTS TO ADOPT

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15 FOR, 1 AGAINST, 0 ABSTENTION(S)

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| District 1: | Billy Oxendine | NO |
| District 2: | Graylen Mitchell | ABSENT |
| | Gerald Goolsby | YES |
| District 3: | Harold Smith | YES |
| | Pam Hunt | YES |
| District 4: | Jody Bullard | YES |
| District 5: | Wendy Moore | ABSENT |
| | Carrington Locklear | ABSENT |
| District 6: | Larry Chavis | YES |
| | Kristie Hunt | YES |
| District 7: | Nanci Locklear | ABSENT |
| | Yvonne Dial | ABSENT |
| | Rudy Locklear | YES |
| District 8: | Kathy Hunt | YES |
| District 9: | Dewey J McNeill | YES |
| District 10: | Bobby Emanuel | YES |
| District 11: | Chocajuana Oxendine | YES |
| District 12: | Josephine Doss | YES |
| | Larry Soles | YES |
| District 13: | Alex Baker | YES |
| District 14: | Homer Fields | YES |



Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina

The Desk of the Tribal Clerk

Record of Posting

Tribal Ordinance: CLLO-2024-0418-01 "2024 TRIBAL COUNCIL REDISTRICTING MAPS"

Posted Date: 4/18/2024

Presented to Tribal Chairman for Review: 4/18/2024 Hand Delivered

Signature or Veto date: _____

Reason for Veto: _____

Other: _____


John L. Lowery

Tribal Chairman of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina

4/30/24
Date


Belinda Brewer

Tribal Clerk Designee of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina


4/18/24
Date