

September 1, 1967

The Honorable Stewart L. Udall  
Secretary of the Interior  
Department of the Interior  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Secretary:

We have received a copy of the Resolution adopted by the Advisory Council of the Chickasaw Nation, recommending and urging the reappointment of Overton James as Governor of the Chickasaw Nation, the original of which was sent to you.

We would like to join in recommending Governor James' reappointment. He has done an outstanding job as Governor.

Sincerely,

CARL ALBERT, M. C.  
Third District, Oklahoma

CA/Wia

September 1, 1967

Chenena Roach, Secretary  
Chickasaw Nation  
1915 Northwest 28th Street  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Dear Friend:

Thank you very much for sending us a copy of the Resolution adopted by the Advisory Council of the Chickasaw Nation, recommending and urging the reappointment of Overton James as Governor of the Chickasaw Nation.

We have been pleased to join your council in your recommendation to Secretary Udall. We are proud of the fact that we strongly recommended Governor James' original appointment and are extremely pleased at the outstanding record he has made.

Our best wishes.

Sincerely,

CARL ALBERT, M. C.  
Third District, Oklahoma

CA/Wia



OVERTON JAMES  
GOVERNOR  
6033 GLENCOVE PLACE  
OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA. 73132

CHICKASAW NATION

August 12, 1967

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Honorable Carl Albert  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Congressman Albert:

Enclosed is a copy of the Resolution adopted by the Advisory Council of the Chickasaw Nation, recommending and urging the reappointment of Overton James as Governor of the Chickasaw Nation. The original has been sent to Honorable Stewart Udall. Respectfully submitted.

Yours truly,

*Chenena Roach*

Chenena Roach, Secretary  
Chickasaw Nation  
1915 N. W. 28th Street  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

cc: Oklahoma Delegation



THE ADVISORY COUNCIL OF THE CHICKASAW INDIAN NATION OF OKLAHOMA

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Advisory Council of the Chickasaw Nation of Oklahoma wishes to express its sincere gratitude to Mr. Overton James for faithfully fulfilling his duties and obligations as Governor of the Chickasaw Nation for the past four years, and

WHEREAS, Governor James has a deep and sincere compassion for the Chickasaw people, and

WHEREAS, He is constantly seeking any and all available advantages and opportunities which will benefit our tribal members, and

WHEREAS, The Chickasaw Advisory Council greatly appreciates the tribal objectives toward which Governor James is so very diligently striving, and

WHEREAS, It is of the utmost importance that the links of tribal unity and tribal contentment not be broken in the chain of progress which Governor James has forged during the past four years.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Chickasaw Advisory Council go on record as strongly recommending the reappointment of Governor Overton James to our highest tribal office, the Governor of the Chickasaw Nation.

Robert H. Kingsbery  
Robert H. Kingsbery, Secretary

F. L. Lewis  
F. L. Lewis, Chairman

George Bourland  
George Bourland

Emmett Seeley  
Emmett Seeley, Vice-Chairman

Abijah Colbert  
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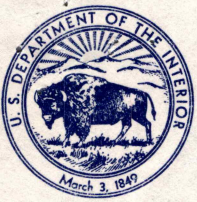
Marvin Liddell  
Marvin Liddell

Jonas Imotichey  
Jonas Imotichey

Paul McKinney  
Paul McKinney

ADOPTED THIS 11th DAY OF JULY 1967, AT TISHOMINGO, OKLAHOMA





UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20240

SEP 8 1967

Dear Mr. Albert:

In the absence of Secretary Udall, I am acknowledging your letter of September 1 in behalf of Overton James, Governor of the Chickasaw Nation.

When the Secretary returns to Washington next week, we shall bring your letter to his personal attention so that he may know of your recommendation for reappointment of Governor James. I am sure he will be glad to have your views, as always.

Sincerely yours,

*Grenville Garside*

Grenville Garside  
Assistant to the Secretary

Hon. Carl Albert  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D. C. 20515



**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, D. C.**

September 11, 1967

Honorable Stewart L. Udall  
Secretary of the Interior  
Department of the Interior  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Enclosed is a resolution from the Advisory Council of the Chickasaw Indian Nation recommending the re-appointment of Governor Overton James.

Most of the members of this tribe reside in the district of Congressman Albert, and I understand he has joined in recommending the re-appointment of Governor James. Some members of the tribe live in my district, and in my observation Governor James has done an outstanding job. I am glad to join in urging your favorable consideration to his re-appointment.

Sincerely yours,

TOM STEED, M. C.

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bc: Charles Ward  
Overton James

Interior

Bureau of Indian Affairs

September 11, 1967

Chenena Roach, Secretary  
Chickasaw Nation  
1915 Northwest 28th Street  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Dear Friend:

Enclosed is a copy of a letter just received from the Office of the Secretary of the Interior, Stewart Udall, concerning the reappointment of Overton James as Governor of the Chickasaw Nation. We will be in touch with you again when we hear further from the Secretary.

Very best wishes.

Sincerely,

CARL ALBERT, M. C.  
Third District, Oklahoma

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Encl.



INTERIOR

BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS  
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September 12, 1967

The Honorable Overton James  
Governor, Chickasaw Nation  
6033 Glencove Place  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73132

Dear Governor:

Upon our return to Washington, we found a letter from the office of the Secretary of the Interior acknowledging our recommendation that you be reappointed Governor of the Chickasaws. A copy is enclosed. Congressman Steed also has recommended your reappointment.

It was good to see you at Tuskahoma.

Our best always.

Sincerely,

CARL ALBERT, M. C.  
Third District, Oklahoma

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Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

**THE HONORABLE OVERTON JAMES, GOVERNOR CHICKASAW NATION  
6033 GLENCOVE PLACE  
OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA**

CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR REAPPOINTMENT. WISH I COULD BE THERE  
FOR PRESENTATION TOMORROW. OUR THOUGHTS WILL BE WITH YOU AND  
OUR FELLOW CHICKASAWS. PLEASE EXTEND TO ALL THOSE ATTENDING  
TOMORROW'S MEETING MY WARM GREETINGS, MY HIGH REGARD AND MY  
BEST WISHES.

CARL ALBERT, M. C.

CA/Wia

Overton James has been reappointed for a two-year period beginning  
October 19. Virgil Harrington will present him with appropriate  
certificate.



INTERIOR

BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

*re: Ornton James*

October 23, 1967

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Chenena Roach, Secretary  
Chickasaw Nation  
1915 Northwest 28th Street  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Dear Friend:

We are delighted that Governor James has been reappointed for a two year period and only regret that it was not possible for me to be there for the presentation on Saturday. As you know, I strongly recommended his reappointment and am sure he will continue to be an outstanding Governor of the Chickasaw Nation.

My warm regards to you and the other members of the Advisory Council.

Sincerely,

CARL ALBERT, M. C.  
Third District, Oklahoma

CA/ia



Congress of the United States  
House of Representatives  
Office of the Majority Leader  
Washington, D.C.

Sent a wire to  
Gov. Overton Jones  
congrat. his reappointment  
for 2-year period  
Nov. 19 -  
Bill Anderson -