



KANSAS NATURAL RESOURCE TRUSTEE COUNCIL

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Cherokee County Superfund Project
Cherokee County, Kansas

Trustee Council Resolution #22
July 21, 2014

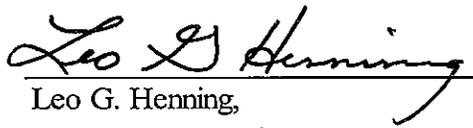
Kansas Trustee Council Resolution #10, dated March 5, 2013 authorized the Kansas Department of Wildlife, Parks, and Tourism (KDWP) to hire a Natural Resource Damage Assessment and Restoration (NRD) habitat restoration technician. The technician was to assist with habitat restoration and management activities at existing and future NRD restoration properties. \$42,224 from the Trustee's joint settlement account number 0528-Cherokee County ASARCO Restoration was provided to KDWP to fund the technician position.

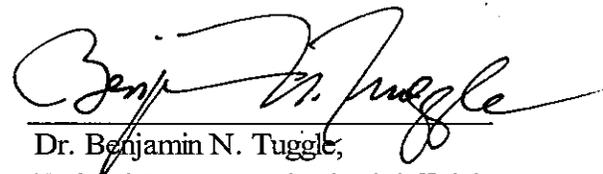
KDWP has informed the Trustees that they are unable to fill the technician's position, and have proposed to reprogram the funding provided to purchase equipment and to conduct habitat restoration activities at the Buche NRD property. The equipment and costs are as follows:

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| Utility vehicle | \$20,000 |
| 75 Gallon Skid Sprayer | \$5,000 |
| 500 Gallon Nurse Tank and Pump | \$1,500 |
| Equipment Trailer | \$10,000 |
| Buche Property Habitat Restoration | \$5,724 |
| Total | \$42,224 |

The equipment will be generally useful and necessary to conduct restoration, management and monitoring activities at all of the Cherokee County Restoration properties. The proposed restoration activities at the Buche property are preliminary in nature, and future restoration activities will be funded through separate funding action.

The Kansas Natural Resource Trustee Council concurs with KDWP's proposal to reprogram the funding provided in Trustee Council Resolution #10.


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