



KANSAS NATURAL RESOURCE TRUSTEE COUNCIL

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Cherokee County Superfund Project
Cherokee County, Kansas

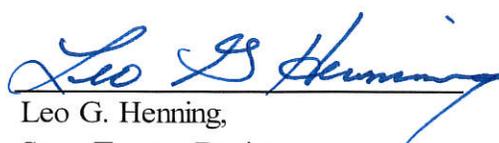
Trustee Council Resolution #32
November 30, 2015

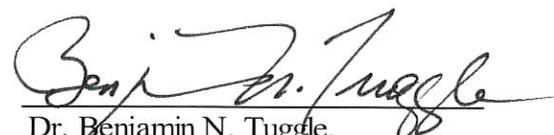
The Kansas Natural Resource Trustee Council (Council) authorizes the transfer of funds from the federal account to the Kansas Department of Wildlife, Parks and Tourism (KDWPT) via the state account to fund the Project Planner position. The requested total is as follows:

Salary – KDWPT Project Planner	\$ 77,750
Sub-Total	\$ 77,750
KDWPT Contribution	\$ (42,763)
Total	\$ 34,988

Kansas Trustee Council Resolution #20, dated March 3, 2013, authorized KDWPT to hire a Natural Resources Damage Assessment and Restoration (NRD) Project Planner. The Project Planner position is an unclassified, temporary, full-time position that facilitates implementing all aspects of NRD restoration activities and management of restoration properties in Cherokee and surrounding counties for the Trustees. Position responsibilities include quarterly reporting (including financial expenditures and tracking) to the Trustees, maintaining the geographic information system land acquisition database, planning and implementing restoration activities (including completing land availability reports, appraisals, and property purchases), and oversight of all restoration, management and monitoring projects and actions on acquired properties. The Project Planner has successfully furthered the Council's ability to complete restoration activities.

The Council seeks a total of \$34,988 to fund a portion of this position for the 2016 calendar year. This funding will come from the joint settlement account number 0585-Cherokee County ASARCO Restoration. The total of \$34,988 will be transferred to the state fund with the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE). KDHE will transmit the funds to KDWPT via electronic interfund transfer.


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