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Joe Tillman
Principal Chief

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John Shaw
Assistant Principal Chief



EXECUTIVE VETO MESSAGE

October 5, 2026

To The Honorable Alice Goodfox, Speaker of the 10th Osage Nation Congress, and Members of the Osage Nation Congress:

I hereby transmit, pursuant to the provisions of Section 11 of Article VII and Section 14 of Article VI of the Osage Nation Constitution, my objections to ONCR 26-27, entitled:

"To revise and approve the fiscal year 227 Annual Revenue Projection of the Osage Nation."

In ONCR 26-27, the Osage Legislative Branch sets forth for fiscal year 2027 the Projected Revenue as required by the Osage Nation Constitution and the Budgetary Outlays required by law.

I am vetoing this resolution because the Budgetary Outlays contained therein do not match, or come close to, the actual appropriations made this same session. This creates confusion about the actual amounts and can mislead these entities in planning and decision-making because it makes it appear they have less money than they do, thus overstating the Remaining Funds Available.

Some Examples: The Executive Branch Outlay in the Resolution is listed as \$60,000,000, but the Congress in ONCA 26-50 appropriated \$81,484,408. The Minerals Council Outlay is listed as \$220,000, but the Congress in ONCA 26-51 appropriated \$1,562,070. The Villages Outlay is listed as \$525,000, but the Congress in ONCA 26-57 appropriated \$856,646.

If the Outlays matched the legislation or were even close to the appropriated amounts, I would sign the Resolution.

Based upon these objections and justifications, I hereby veto this Resolution.

Sincerely,

Joseph Tillman
Principal Chief

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OSAGE NATION CONGRESS

1st Session of the 10th Congress

RESOLUTION NUMBER ONCR 26-27

ENROLLED

September 29, 2026

SPONSOR: Jodie K. Revard

A Resolution

To revise and approve the fiscal year 2027 Annual Revenue Projection of the Osage Nation.

Be it resolved by the Congress of the Osage Nation:

WHEREAS,

1. The Osage Nation Congress has received Projected Revenue information from appropriate officials, including the Treasurer, the Gaming Enterprise Board, and the Tax Commission Executive Director; and
2. Osage law, 15 ONC § 1A-104(D), states that the Projected Revenue Resolution shall establish Budgetary Outlays for each branch of government for a given fiscal year.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,

1. The Osage Nation Congress approves the Annual Projected Revenue of the Osage Nation government for fiscal year 2027 as follows:

Tribal Funding

Tribal: \$90,399,500

<i>Gaming Distribution</i>	<i>\$80,000,000</i>
<i>Gaming Interest</i>	<i>\$ 1,300,000</i>
<i>Interest Income</i>	<i>\$ 1,500,000</i>
<i>Program Income</i>	<i>\$ 3,399,500</i>
<i>Tax Commission</i>	<i>\$ 3,600,000</i>
<i>Osage LLC Dividend</i>	<i>\$ 600,000</i>

Restricted: \$ 2,250,000

<i>Roads Special Projects</i>	<i>\$ 500,000</i>
<i>DNR Meat Processing Plant</i>	<i>\$ 300,000</i>

DNR Domestic \$ 350,000
Property Income Account \$ 1,000,000
Senior Housing \$ 100,000

Total Projected Revenue: \$92,649,500

2. The Osage Nation Congress, in accordance with Osage law, hereby establishes the following Tribal Revenue Budgetary Outlays for the Osage Nation Government fiscal year 2027:

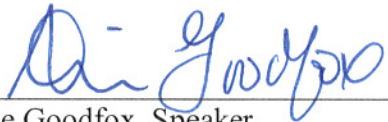
A. Executive Branch: \$60,000,000
B. Judicial Branch: \$ 1,500,000
C. Legislative Branch: \$ 3,000,000
D. Minerals Council: \$ 220,000
E. Grayhorse Village: \$ 175,000
F. Hominy Village: \$ 175,000
G. Pawhuska Village: \$ 175,000
H. Total Budget Outlay: \$65,245,000
I. Less Restricted Revenue \$ (2,250,000)
J. Remaining Available for Appropriation: \$25,154,500

- 1. Funds identified in Section 2(J) may be utilized to satisfy the requirements of the Osage Nation Constitution.**

3. In accordance with the Osage Constitution, the annual budget for fiscal year 2027 shall not exceed Projected Revenue.

94 ADOPTED by the Osage Nation Congress on this 29th day of September, 2026.
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98 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Speaker of the Osage Nation Congress has
99 hereto attached her signature.
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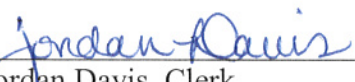
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103 Alice Goodfox, Speaker
104 Osage Nation Congress
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107 I, THE UNDERSIGNED, CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE
108 EXTRACT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE Osage Nation Congress comprised of
109 twelve members and one ex-officio member with 12 members attending this meeting on
110 the 29th day of September, 2026, and that the above is in conformity with the provisions
111 therein adopted by a vote of 12 in favor, 0 against, and 0 absent.
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114	Michael Bristow	yes
115	Alice Goodfox	yes
116	Otto Hamilton	yes
117	Billy Keene	yes
118	John Maker	yes
119	Eli Potts	yes
120	Angela M. Pratt	yes
121	Whitney Red Corn	yes
122	Jodie K. Revard	yes
123	Pam Shaw	yes
124	R.J. Walker	yes
125	Maria Whitehorn	yes

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128 Said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way and the above is
129 the signature of the Speaker of the Osage Nation Congress.
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134 Jordan Davis, Clerk
135 Osage Nation Congress
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APPROVAL

I, the Principal Chief of the Osage Nation, hereby affix my signature this _____
day of _____, 2026, to the above Resolution No. ONCR 26-27 authorizing it to
become effective under the Constitution of the Osage Nation.

Joe Tillman, Principal Chief
Osage Nation

*I veto for reasons shown in my
veto message with objections*

*Joe Tillman
10/5/26*