RESOLUTION NO. 5 - 2015

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CHEROKEE COUNTY, KANSAS:

WHEREAS, the County in the form of its duly elected governing body has the authority under K.S.A. § 19-101 to determine its local affairs and government, and;

WHEREAS, the County passed, on October 27, 2014, Resolution No. 19-2014 by which the governing body adopted the Solid Waste Management Committee's review and revision of the Solid Waste Management Plan, and;

WHEREAS, the County, may choose pursuant to K.S.A. 65-3405(f), to revise its Solid Waste Management Plan at a time which does not coincide with a scheduled annual review by the county solid waste management committee, and;

WHEREAS, the solid waste management committee met on February 18, 2015, and voted to recommend revisions to the County's Solid Waste Management Plan so as to revise Chapter 3. B) and Chapter 7 of the Solid Waste Management Plan to reflect:

- 1) the existing landfills meet the needs of the County,
 - 2) there is no need for a new solid waste landfill in Cherokee County, and
- 3) no further solid waste landfills should be permitted or built in Cherokee County,

and;

WHEREAS, the board of county commissioners desires to implement the recommendations of the committee.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF CHEROKEE COUNTY, it is hereby proposed that the County's Solid Waste Management Plan, be revised in Chapter 3. B) and Chapter 7 to reflect that the existing landfills meet the needs of the County, that there is no need for a new solid waste landfill in Cherokee County, and that no further solid waste landfills should be permitted or built in Cherokee County.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, a public meeting of the solid waste management committee shall be convened to review the commission's proposed changes at the County Courthouse, 110 West Maple, Columbus, Kansas on Monday, March 16, 2015, at 9:30 o'clock A.m.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the aforementioned meeting shall permit an opportunity to obtain committee comments and recommendations for revision of the Solid Waste Management Plan; and shall also provide an opportunity for public input; further, the committee may revise and adopt the county solid waste management plan *provided* a quorum committee is present at the aforementioned meeting; further, the county commission may independently revise and adopt the revisions if a quorum committee is not present at the aforementioned meeting.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that notice of the aforementioned meeting shall be published in the Cherokee County News Advocate at least 15 days, and no more than 30 days, prior to the aforementioned meeting.

ADOPTED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF CHEROKEE COUNTY, KANSAS FEBRUARY 23, 2015.

Chairman

Commissioner

Chairman

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Attest:

Cherokee County Clerk