

Muskogee, Oklahoma  
December 4, 1953

Honorable Carl Albert  
Member of Congress  
The House of Representatives  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

*mailed Dec 23*

The Creek Tribal Council, of the Creek Nation of Oklahoma, duly assembled at council at Okmulgee, Oklahoma on this 4th day of December, 1953, do hereby petition and urge the Secretary of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs and members of Congress to consider and set aside any intent of removal or replacement of the Five Civilized Tribes Area Director, of the Muskogee Oklahoma Area Office, to which the following resolution is submitted. to wit:

RESOLUTION OF RECOMENDATION:

WHEREAS, many of the Creek Tribe of Indians of the State of Oklahoma have requested the Creek Tribal Council, the Tribe's recognized representatives, to act for them by instituting a voice of confidence in, and taking connizance of the following facts as related to, the person Honorable W. O. Roberts, present Area Director in the Five Civilized Tribes area, Muskogee, Oklahoma, to wit:

WHEREAS, W. O. Roberts, Area Director is held in high esteem by the Creek Tribe of Indians on the merits of his proven efficiency as Area Director and for his able leadership in the affairs of the Creek Nation of people; and

WHEREAS, Within the period of office as Area Director, the Creek Tribe has enjoyed his service and by his careful analysis of the Indian problems has caused considerable advancement and progress of the social, economic and community life of the Creek people; and

WHEREAS, he has given considerable care and much of his personal interest on behalf of the Creek people and has recognized them as persons and not as political subjects; and

WHEREAS, it has been duly recognized by the Creek People that the period of service rendered by him to the Indian people has meant more than any other, because never in the history of the Indian Service can we find any other person or persons who have been so vitally interested in the security and well-being of the Indian people.

THEREFORE, Let it be resolved; it is the expressed will of the Creek Nation of people, that, by this record the Creek Tribal Council does hereby endorse Honorable W. O. Roberts for continuance as Area Director of the Five Civilized Tribes of Indians in Oklahoma.

Signed: *Jacob Alexander*  
Chairman of the Creek Tribal Council

Approved: *John F. Davis*  
Principal Chief of the Creek Nation

Attest:

*W. Mingo*  
Sec'y Creek Tribal Council