

United Keetoowah Band of Cherokee Indians in Oklahoma

EMERGENCY CORONAVIRUS RELIEF FUND PROGRAM

Passed by Council Resolution on May 16th, 2020

The purpose of the United Keetoowah Band of Cherokee Indians Emergency Coronavirus Relief Fund – Family Composite Program is to aid exclusive tribal members due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The council has declared that a public health emergency exists for the United Keetoowah Band of Cherokee Indians due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Therefore, the Emergency Coronavirus Relief Fund Program will aide households to meet certain unmet essential needs due to the pandemic.

This program shall provide necessary assistance to eligible tribal households striving to enhance quality of life while promoting self-sufficiency and financial stability within the guidelines of **26 CFR 601.601** and **Part I §61** of the **IRS General Welfare Exclusion to Indian Tribal Government Programs**.

To qualify for the Emergency Coronavirus Relief Fund program, the applicant must:

- ★ Be an exclusive tribal member of the United Keetoowah Band of Cherokee Indians as of June 5th, 2021.
- ★ Have been impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic.
- ★ Complete an application form that verifies the two requirements listed above.

Have you and/or your family been impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic: ☐ **YES** ☐ **NO**

Please check all that apply:

- ☐ Loss of Income
- ☐ Quarantine Expenses
- ☐ Increase in Household Expenses
- ☐ Virtual Learning expenses
- ☐ PPE Expenses

Print Name

Date

I verify with my signature the following: (1) I am an exclusive Tribal member with the United Keetoowah Band of Cherokee Indians in Oklahoma, (2) I HAVE NOT received nor applied for Covid 19 (CARES) direct payment from any other tribe or agency(local or state), (3) my membership is subject to verification and if it is determined I am a member of another Tribe my application will be denied, (4) myself/my household has been effected by Covid 19, and (5) all information I have provided it true to the best of my knowledge. Any false information provided (knowingly/unknowingly) can be determined perjury and subject to any and all criminal prosecutions allowable under Federal Law.

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