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To Whom It May Concern:

I am pleased to write this letter to voice support and recognition for the Tribe of the Whitetop Band of Native Indians. It is my understanding that the purpose and the mission of the Whitetop Band of Native American Community, is to protect the culture and traditions of the Native American People, and to respect the burial sites of our ancestors that have gone before us and the further generations to come within Lee County. The Whitetop Band of Native Indians will elect their own leaders within the Tribe, and teach their children the importance of education and self-reliance, and to care for their elderly and their young.

As the Lee County Judge Executive I will work with the Members of the Whitetop Band of Native Indians to show recognition of this tribe within Lee County. Once Completed, I will work within Lee County to support the efforts of the Whitetop Band of Native Indian, Tribe.

Please call me with any questions or assistance on this subject.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "S.M.", written in a cursive style.

Steve Mays  
Lee County Judge Executive