



## *Letcher County Fiscal Court*

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To Whom It May Concern:

As County Judge Executive of Letcher County, KY, I am writing this letter of support for the recognition for the Tribe of the Whitetop Band of Native Indians. I am in support of the Tribe of the Whitetop Band of Native American Indians protecting their culture and traditions in teaching further generations about their ancestors, and to respect the burial sites of their ancestors within the City of Manchester and Clay County. I respect them for the importance of teaching the young how important it is to take care of their young and elderly and the importance of education and self-reliance.

If you need further assistance please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Jim Ward  
Letcher County Judge/Executive

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