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Raymond Red Corn  
Congressman, Osage Nation Government

Raymond:

Attached please find questions to your proposed legislation ONCA 09-50, ONCR 09-09, ONCR 09-10, ONCR 09-11 and ONCR 09-12.

Since our last communication regarding Article XII - Removal, Section 1 and Section 2 and the request that the Osage Nation Congress propose legislation in this up and coming Tzi-Zho Session to provide a referendum vote for the people with regard to a Constitutional Convention, I take this opportunity to respond to your reply.

You basically suggested that I carry these duties out myself. I find that to be a very discouraging response from an elected official. Obviously, the above referenced legislation that you now plan to propose is intended to soften the blow with regard to your refusal to perform you duly elected responsibilities. This is unfortunate for the tribe.

I would suggest to you that I am neither a Congress member nor am I paid \$65,000.00 plus a year to do your job. If I were, you can rest assured that I would have proposed legislation to uphold Article XII as well as made every attempt to give the people an opportunity to have their Constitution rewritten my first day in office.

Today, I ask that you reconsider my requests via Memorandum of June 7, 2009. Many facts have been laid before the Congress indicating that Jim Gray has displayed "willful neglect of duty" countless times. He has placed our nation in jeopardy, diminished any characterization as a potential viable business concern, and has been an embarrassment to the tribe. I believe you accepted your position as Congressman as did the other 11 Congress members by taking an Oath to perform your duties in the best interest of the Osage people.

With regard to ensuring that the people have an opportunity to vote for or against a Constitutional Convention during the 2010 election, I would ask why you or any other Congress member would be opposed to such a request. Is this not the peoples' government? Do you not work for the people? I hardly think that this request would be out of line.

As you point out in your soon to be proposed legislation, the current Constitution makes a petition effort on the part of the people impossible. Clearly the Congress has the authority and wherewithal to get this legislation passed this fall without delay and in time to give the people an opportunity to express their wishes for or against a Constitutional Convention. Where is the harm?

I suggest that this would be the most cost effective way to pursue our right to a Constitutional Convention. To begin with, Congressional salaries are being paid today, we expect you take your responsibilities seriously however; to thwart your responsibility on the people is not in my view very responsible. I would also point out that failure on the part of Congress to handle these two issues is not in the best interest of the people.

To proceed in the fashion you propose through your legislation is in fact a start. I'm sure we will see more of this not only from you but others as the election nears. Your proposals are not however a "fix all" to the many other changes that need to be made to the Constitution. A complete overhaul is in order, so I ask:

Could you perhaps investigate the cost of a Special Election? To provide the people an opportunity to vote for a Constitutional Convention in 2010 would alleviate us from the additional expense of a Special Election later. The Tzi Zho session would allow ample time to have this issue placed on the ballot (providing we have an Election Board by then). Again, I suggest this would be the most cost effective way considering we; the people are paying you now to carry out legislation in our best interest.

Sincerely,

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