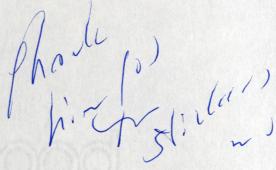


28 July, 1993

Wilma P. Mankiller Principal Chief Cherokee Nation Tahlequah, OK

Dear Wilma:



I wanted to let you know that I am very interested in working for the tribe. I have had three interviews. I have been recommended for the position of Behavioral Health Clinician which is based at Salina and Pryor. I may be recommended for the Director of the Food Distribution Program also.

If given the opportunity, I would really like to work as Director of the Food Distribution Program. I feel that I would make more of a contribution to our people in this position. Additionally, my education is geared more to management vs. clinical social work.

The sports hall of fame is coming closer to being a reality. We met last week and are going to begin making potential selections for induction. John Ketcher, Joe Byrd, Mary Cooksey and Sam Bush have really be supportive of this project.

Attached are some stickers that a friend sent me that I want you to keep. I am not sure where he got them. But, you are included with many of my heroes and research subjects.

Again, I really would like the opportunity to serve our people, and if hired will do my very best.

Signed,

James W. McIntosh