

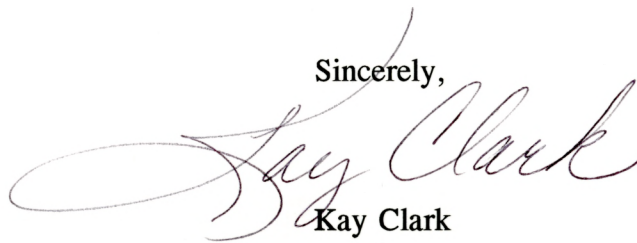
I am not aware of any other elected female official in the tribe. If there are, and if you are able to assist me, I would certainly appreciate that information as well. I am amused when I think of our fore fathers' reaction, if they knew a female had been elected to this prestigious position.

I am aware that you have had a kidney transplant. I hope that everything is going well for you. My older son, David, had a kidney transplant in June of 1987. He was eighteen at the time, and is still doing very well. He has had little rejection, if any. I am still in awe of this wonderful alternative to dialysis, or even death. It has saved so many lives. The heroes are not only the recipients, and doctors, but most definitely the donors.

My primary responsibilities have included rearing my two sons. One son has completed most of his college courses, and the other one has just begun. After completing that rewarding experience, it has been my goal to go back to school myself. Because of my grandmother, and women such as yourself, who have inspired me, along with hard work, I know that my goal will eventually be realized.

I hope that my letter has not inconvenienced you in any way. I know that you are a busy woman, and I will certainly understand if you are not able to respond to this letter. I wish you continued success in your personal and professional life. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kay Clark". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Kay Clark