

# Exhibit 2

TESTIMONY OF LESTER RANDALL, CHAIRMAN, KICKAPOO TRIBE IN KANSAS, IN  
SUPPORT OF S. 2154, THE KICKAPOO TRIBE IN KANSAS WATER RIGHTS SETTLEMENT  
AGREEMENT ACT

COMMITTEE ON INDIAN AFFAIRS UNITED STATES SENATE  
JULY 18, 2018



# Horton National Bank

(Branch GNB)

110 East 8th St.

P.O. BOX 189

Horton, KS 66439-0189

March 21, 2017

Senator Jerry Moran/Congresswoman Lynn Jenkins

Re: Support of Kickapoo Tribe in Kansas' Water Right

Dear Senator Moran/Congresswoman Jenkins:

Horton National Bank, branch GNB has had a long and mutually respectful working relationship with the Kickapoo Tribe on a number of issues. For several decades the Tribe has been attempting to develop a water storage project on its reservation to provide badly needed water security against drought, and to have a water supply for future housing and economic development. These purposes, once achieved, will be a benefit to all of the residents of Brown County and northeast Kansas.

We understand that in September the Tribe and the State of Kansas entered into an agreement that sets out the Tribe's water right and how that water is to be administered by the State of Kansas on the Delaware River and its tributaries. That water right agreement is a critical step in the effort to develop water storage on the reservation. An important next step is to have the Congress of the United States approve the water right, and we understand the Tribe is working with you to develop a bill to accomplish that purpose.

We support the efforts of your office, the State of Kansas, and the Tribe to move forward on this legislation. We also appreciate that the Tribe has been acquiring land from willing sellers in the area of the proposed project, and will continue with these efforts in the coming years.

If you should have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to call me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tom Kidwell', written over a horizontal line.

Thomas L. Kidwell, Branch President  
Horton National Bank, branch GNB

TLK:mg

March 20, 2017

Senator Jerry Moran/Congresswoman Lynn Jenkins

**RE: Support of Kickapoo Tribe in Kansas' Water Right**

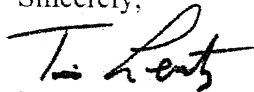
Dear Senator Moran/Congresswoman Jenkins:

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We support the efforts of your office, the State of Kansas, and the Tribe to move forward on this legislation.

Sincerely,

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

Mayor Tim Lentz