Andrew Ellis, Principal Chief Muscogee (Creek) Nation H.R. 1554/Fountainhead Property Land Transfer Act Testimony April 21, 2010

Property was purchased at a Sheriff's Sale, in McInotsh County, at the price of \$2,000,000. The remaining property in question is "Corps of Engineer Land". This property is very vital because of a building built on property line.

The Corps of Engineer has agreed to sell or transfer this property to the Muscogee (Creek) Nation and is fully supportive of legislation for the sale or transfer of the property to the Muscogee (Creek) Nation. The Nation is currently operating the 18-hole golf course which is connected to the adjacent property.

As Principal Chief, I depend on my support staff, namely Mike Flud, Chief of Staff. I assigned Mr. Mike Flud full control over this project; he has done a great job. Therefore, my knowledge of this project is limited.