

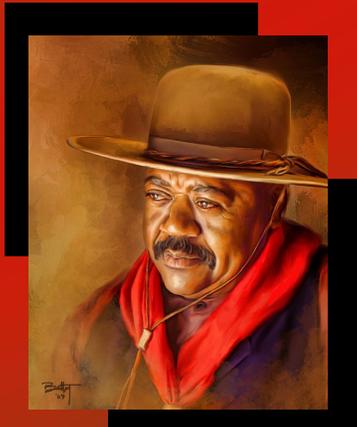
# 5th Annual Lawton Soulful Story

## WALLACE MOORE AS LEGENDARY COWBOY BOSE IKARD

Thursday, February 19  
7:00 pm  
Lawton City Hall

### Wallace C. Moore, Sr. Brief Bio

Mr. Moore, a well-known living history interpreter, cowboy poet, and author is a retired Sergeant Major in the U.S. Army. He was born and raised in Seminole County, Oklahoma, and currently resides in the Lawton area.



### HISTORY OF SOULFUL STORY

Soulful Story was developed to promote the stories of African -Americans who have contributed to the history of Oklahoma.

#### BOSE IKARD

Bose Ikard was born a slave in Mississippi, ca 1840s. He was owned by Dr. Milton L. Ikard. After the Civil War when he received his freedom, he worked for cattleman Oliver Loving. One of Loving's trusted friends was Charles Goodnight. Together, along with Ikard they blazed a new cattle trail to Colorado. This trail would later bear the name of the "Goodnight-Loving Trail."



The character Joshua Deets, portrayed by Danny Glover, in the movie "Lonesome Dove" is based on the life and times of Bose Ikard.



#### BUFFALO SOLDIERS

Back by popular demand, the Dismounted Color Guard, Lawton/Fort Sill Chapter 9 & 10 Horse Cavalry Association will post and retire the colors.

#### SOULFUL STORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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