RESOLUTION NO. 18-23A

of the

SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBAL COUNCIL

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council is the Governing Body of the Squaxin Island Tribe, its members, its lands, its enterprises and its agencies by the authority of the Constitution and Bylaws of the Squaxin Island Tribe, as approved and adopted by the General Body and the Secretary of the Interior on July 8, 1965; and

WHEREAS, under the Constitution, Bylaws and inherent sovereignty of the Tribe, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council is charged with the duty of protecting the health, security, education and general welfare of the tribal members, and with protecting and managing the lands and treaty resources and rights of the Tribe; and

WHEREAS, the Tribe is a federally recognized Indian Tribe possessing reserved powers, including the powers of self-government; and

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribal council has been entrusted with the creation of ordinances and resolutions in order to fulfill their duty of protecting the health, security, education, and general welfare of tribal members, and of protecting and managing the lands and treaty resources of the Tribe; and

WHEREAS, Tatum Guijosa-Bryson with the blood quantum as 1/8 degree Indian blood was enrolled based only on the blood quantum of Tatum's biological mother; and

WHEREAS, Bradley Dakota Bryson subsequently provided DNA to determine if he was Tatum s biological father has it has stated on the birth certificate, and DNA results indicate that the probability of paternity for Bradley Dakota Bryson is 99.99%, which indicates that he is Tatum biological father; and

WHEREAS, a correctional increase to Tatum Indian blood quantum of 1/8 needs to be made to the supplemental rolls based upon these DNA results; and

WHEREAS, Section 5.03.080 of the Tribe's Enrollment Ordinance provides that any decision involving a correction to the Master or Supplemental Roll requires a Tribal Council resolution; and

WHEREAS, the Council interprets the Enrollment Ordinance so as not to require a hearing and other process if a member's blood quantum is proposed to be increased, as opposed to decreased; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Tribal Council hereby directs that the Squaxin Island Membership Roll be corrected by increasing the blood quantum of Tatum Guijosa-Bryson from 1/8 to 19/64 Indian blood, and that such correction be submitted to the Bureau of Indian Affairs, for purposes of entering the correction in the People Network System.

CERTIFICATION

The Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted at the regular meeting of the Squaxin Island Tribal Council, held on this 4/26/18, at which time a quorum was present and was passed by a vote of 4 for and 0 against with 0 abstentions.

Arnold Cooper, Chairman

Attested by:
Steven Dorland, Secretary

Charlene Krise, Vice Chairman

REQUST FOR CHANGE OF BLOOD

Date: 4/26/18

To: Tribal Council

From: Enrollment Committee

Re: Change of Blood Quantum

As a result of the Enrollment Committee's meeting held on **April 10, 2018**, we recommend that the new documentation received by Lab Corp of America will be accepted and that the blood quantum be changed for the person listed below, pending final approval of the resolution from Tribal Council. The Resolutions for the change of blood quantum will show the correction.

Recommended Change of Blood Quantum

	Listed as	Actual
Tatum Guijosa-Bryson	1/8	19/64

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS **DATE:** April 10, 2018

We recommend that the blood quantum for the above named person be corrected on the Squaxin Island Tribal Roll, by consensus of 5 for and 0 against.

For	Against	absent or not voting

APPLICANTS WHO APPEAR TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR REGULAR MEMBERSHIP

Date: 4/26/18

To: Tribal Council

From: Enrollment Committee

Re: Applicants who appear to be eligible for regular membership

As a result of the Enrollment Committee's meeting held on **April 10, 2018**

We recommend that the following persons be approved for regular membership in the Squaxin Island Tribe and that their names be placed on the Supplemental Roll pending final approval of the Tribal Council. The Resolutions for the applicants appear attached to this memo. These Resolutions show data on the applicants including how they are eligible for membership.

Applicants Recommended for Approval

Nicholas Scott Meyer		

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS **DATE:** April 10,2018

We recommend that the above-named persons be put on the Squaxin Island Tribal Roll, by consensus of 5 for and 0 against.

For	Against	absent or not voting

APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

12-Apr-18

Name	Date of Application	Date of Birth	DNA Collection	DNA Received	Degree of Blood	Eligible THROUGH	Full Benefit	5yr Wait
Meyer, Nicholas Scott	4/9/2018	5/24/98	3/14/18	3/29/18	1/8	Sec 1. (E)	x	

Total Enrollment: ~~1104~~ 1103 + 1 (today) = ~~1105~~ 1104