



# SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

## RESOLUTION NO. 18-09

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 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**, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has announced the availability of a cooperative agreement funding opportunity (Tribal Practices for Wellness in Indian Country) to support Tribes and Native communities working to promote community health, resilience, and connection to tribal culture; **and**

**WHEREAS**, the Squaxin Island Tribe operates a variety of community programs and services aimed at improving the health and wellbeing of the Squaxin Island Tribal community based on prioritized community needs;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby authorize the Executive Services Department to prepare and submit a proposal for support for the Community Garden Program and to negotiate, execute, and administer an agreement with the CDC.

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**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby authorize the Tribal Chairman, Tribal Administrator or Director of Operations to be the Tribe's signatory and representative in all future matters requiring Tribal authorization on this particular project; **and**

**THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED**, that these authorities shall be for the duration of the project.

**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 8<sup>th</sup> day of February 2018, 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