

SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE



RESOLUTION NO. 21-76

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;

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;

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;

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

WHEREAS, on January 31, 2020, the United State Department of Public Health and Human Services Secretary Alex Azar declared a public emergency for the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) beginning on January 27, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on March 3, 2020 the Squaxin Island Tribe declared a State of Emergency;

WHEREAS, the COVID-19 pandemic has continued to have significant impact on the financial well-being of Squaxin Island Tribe members and members of the Squaxin Island Tribe community

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribe has been awarded federal COVID-19 relief funding through the Homeowner Assistance Fund (HAF);

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribe Office of Housing has developed policies for the Tribe's operation of the HAF grant program; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council hereby approves of the attached set of policies for the Squaxin Island Tribe HAF program

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 9 day of December, 2021, at which time a quorum was present and was passed by a vote of 6 for and 0 against with 0 abstentions.

Kris Peters, Chairman

Charlene Knise

Attested by: Pay

Patrick Braese, Secretary

Charlene Krise (Dec 10, 2021 12:05 PST)

Charlene Krise, Vice Chairman

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