

SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

RESOLUTION NO. 13-<u>15</u> 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 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, the Tribe is a federally-recognized Indian Tribe possessing reserved powers, including the powers of self-government; and

WHEREAS, under the Constitution and the 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, under the Constitution and bylaws of the Tribe, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council has the powers and duties to acquire, manage, and lease Tribal real property and other Tribal Assets; and,

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council has the general goal of making the Squaxin Island Reservation an economic, social, cultural, and political land base for the Squaxin Island Tribe; and,

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council on behalf of the Tribe has purchased a parcel of property within the Tribe's Land Consolidation area; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council hereby requests that the United States, pursuant to 25 CFR 151 and under the authority of the Indian Reorganization Act 48 Stat. 984, accept title to the following described real property in trust for the Squaxin Island Tribe:

Purchased from Griswold:

All that portion of the West half (W ½) of the Northeast quarter (NE ¼) of Section thirty (30), Township nineteen (19) North, Range three (3) West, W.M., particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the centerline of El Paso Gas Company right-of-way, recorded April 19, 1963, Auditor File No. 198210 and recorded April 22, 1963, Auditor's File No. 198249, North 17 30' West, 473.5 feet from its intersection with the centerline of Hurley-Waldrip Road, County Road No. 11200; thence East, 300 feet, more or less to the Westerly right-of-way line of US Highway 101; thence Northerly, along said Westerly right-of-way line to the North line of said Northeast quarter (NE ¼); thence West, along said North line to said centerline of El Paso Gas Company right-of-way; thence Southerly, along said centerline to a point South 72 30" West of the point of beginning; thence North 72 30' East to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

Parcel No. 31930 12 00020

TOGETHER WITH a perpetual, non-exclusive easement for road and utility purposes, 20 feet in width, as described in instrument recorded October 24, 1972, Auditor's File No. 273954

TOGETHER WITH a perpetual, non-exclusive easement for roadway and utility purposes, 20 feet in width, as described in instrument recorded November 21, 1997, Auditor's File No. 656958.

CERTIFICATION

The Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution w	as adopted at the regular
meeting of the Squaxin Island Tribal Council, held on this day ofApril	2013, at which a
quorum was present and was passed by a vote of <u>U</u> for, and <u>O</u> against with <u>O</u> about	stentions.
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David Lopeman, Chairman

Attested by:

Peter Kruger, Sr., Secretary

Arnold Cooper, Vice-Chairman