



SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

RESOLUTION NO. 20-36

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 Squaxin Island Tribe has been advised of the availability of funding through the United States Department of Agriculture, Food Distribution on Indian Reservations Program to provide continued assistance to qualified low-income consortium Tribal members; **and**

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribe is a member of the South Puget Intertribal Planning Agency (SPIPA), through which body it presently operates a Food Distribution on Indian Reservations Program to assist households in meeting their food security needs; **and**

WHEREAS, SPIPA will submit an application for funding under the above referenced funding opportunity for the period of October 1, 2020 through September 30, 2021; **and**

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribe will complete a Memorandum of Agreement with SPIPA prior to the implementation of the program;

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NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby authorize SPIPA to submit a proposal to the U.S. Department of Agriculture on behalf of SPIPA and the Squaxin Island Tribe; **and**

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby authorize the Tribal Chair, 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 special meeting of the Squaxin Island Tribal Council, held on this 6 day of August 2020, at which time a quorum was present and was passed by a vote of 5 for and 0 against with 0 abstentions.


Kristopher Peters, Chairman


Charlene Krise, Vice Chair

Attested by: 
Jeremie Walls, Secretary