

## SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

RESOLUTION NO. 03- 42

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 U.S. Department of Justice has announced the availability of funds through the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention in the FY 2003 Tribal Youth Program: Mental Health Initiative for the purpose of helping tribes to improve the quality of life in their communities by addressing the needs of mental health services for youth; **and**

**WHEREAS**, the Squaxin Island Tribal community is committed to providing counseling services for youth who are involved with or at risk with involvement with the juvenile justice system.


**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby authorize submission of a grant application to the U.S. Department of Justice for up to \$200,000 over the period of three years; **and**

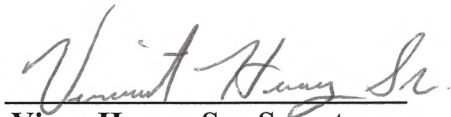
**NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby authorize the Tribal Chairman, the Executive Director, or the Deputy Executive Director to be the tribe's signatory and representative in all future matters requiring Tribal Authorization in this particular project; **and**

**NOW 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 12<sup>th</sup> day of June 2003, at which time a quorum was present and was passed by a vote of 6 for and 0 against with 0 abstentions.

  
Dave Lopeman, Chairman

Attested by:   
Vince Henry, Sr., Secretary

  
Andy Whitener, Vice Chairman