



SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

RESOLUTION NO. 03-165 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, 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 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 and managing the lands and treaty resources and rights of the Tribe; and

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council contracted with LexisNexis Municipal Codes, Charlottesville, Virginia, to bring the Squaxin Island Tribal Code up to date through Resolution 01-107, passed December 13, 2001; and

WHEREAS, LexisNexis, in May 2002, presented to the Squaxin Island Tribal Administration and Squaxin Island Legal Department, for public and legal inspection, a Supplement to update the Squaxin Island Tribal Code; and

WHEREAS, upon inspection of the Supplement provided by LexisNexis in May 2002, certain errors and omissions in the Supplement have been noted; and

WHEREAS, LexisNexis, in January 2003, presented to the Squaxin Island Tribal Administration and Squaxin Island Legal Department, for public and legal inspection, a corrected Supplement to the Squaxin Island Tribal Code (through Resolution No. 01-107) to make all corrections necessary pursuant to errors and omissions on inspection of the Supplement presented in May of 2002; and

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council has contracted with LexisNexis Municipal Codes, Charlottesville, Virginia, to bring the Squaxin Island Tribal Code up to date through Resolution 02-129, passed December 12, 2002; and

WHEREAS, LexisNexis, in March 2003, presented to the Squaxin Island Tribal Administration and Squaxin Island Legal Department, for public and legal inspection, a Supplement to update the Squaxin Island Tribal Code; and

WHEREAS, upon inspection of the Supplement provided by LexisNexis in March 2003, certain errors and omissions in the Supplement have been noted; and

WHEREAS, LexisNexis has, in August 2003, presented to the Squaxin Island Tribal Administration and Squaxin Island Legal Department, for public and legal inspection, a corrected Supplement to the Squaxin Island Tribal Code (through Resolution No. 02-129) to make all corrections necessary pursuant to errors and omissions on inspection of the Supplement presented in March of 2003;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Squaxin Island Tribal Council hereby approves the corrected Supplements to update the Squaxin Island Tribal Codes transmitted in January 2003 and August 2003 by LexisNexis.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that where there is any conflict or disparity between the Squaxin Island Tribal Code and ordinances or resolutions adopted prior to the adoption of 02-129, this Code will supersede.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the adoption of this Code does not affect prosecutions for resolution violations committed prior to the effective date of this Code, does not waive any fee or penalty due and unpaid as of the effective date of this Code, and does not affect the validity of any bond or cash deposit posted, filed or deposited pursuant to the requirements of any resolution.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that if any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this Code is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Code.

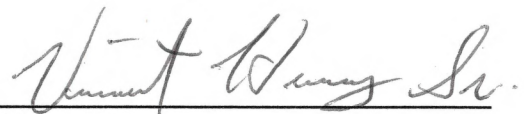
NOW THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Squaxin Island Tribal Council hereby adopts, this 28th day of August, 2003, the Squaxin Island Tribal Code as updated by the corrected Supplements in January 2003 and August of 2003.

CERTIFICATION

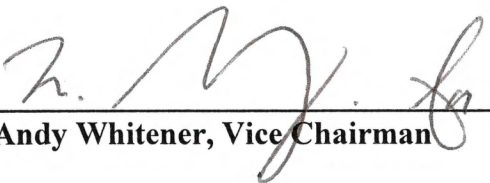
The Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted at the regular meeting of the Squaxin Island Tribal Council held on this 28th day of August, 2003, at which time a quorum was present and was passed by a vote of 3 for and 0 against with 0 abstentions.



David Lopeman, Chairman

Attested by: 

Vincent Henry, Sr.



Andy Whitener, Vice Chairman