



# SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

RESOLUTION NO. 06- 4  
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 Hawks:

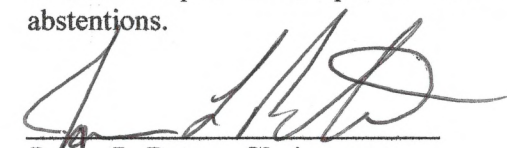
A tract of land in the Northwest quarter (NW  $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Northwest quarter (NW  $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section twenty (20), Township nineteen (19) North, Range three (3) West, W.M., particularly described as follows:

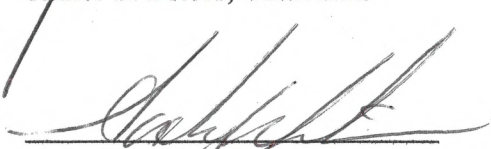
COMMENCING at the intersection of the West line of said Section twenty (20) with the Southerly right-of-way line of Whitener Road, County Road No. 15160, which point is 236 feet, more or less, South of the Northwest corner of said Section twenty (20); thence in an Easterly direction, along the Southerly right-of-way line of said Whitener Road, County Road No. 15160, 305 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING of the tract of land hereby described; thence continue along the Southerly right-of-way line of said Whitener Road, 116 feet, more or less, to the Northwesterly corner of a tract of land conveyed to David Ellison by deed recorded July 20, 1937, Auditor's File No. 52696; thence in a Southwesterly direction along the Westerly line of the Ellison tract, 182 feet, more or less, to the Northerly right-of-way line of Old Olympic Highway, County Road No. 14010, as constructed and in use on November 20, 1941; thence in a Northwesterly direction, along said Northerly right-of-way line, 110 feet; thence Northeasterly to the POINT OF BEGINNING; excepting therefrom right-of-way for Old Olympic Highway, County Road No. 14010, as conveyed in instrument recorded August 26, 2003, Auditor's File No. 1790634 and excepting therefrom road rights-of-way.

Parcel No. 31920 22 00170

**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 26<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2006, at which a quorum was present and was passed by a vote of 5 for, and 0 against with 0 abstentions.

  
James L. Peters, Chairman

  
Andy Whitener, Vice-Chairman

Attested by:   
Vince Henry, Sr., Secretary