



SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

RESOLUTION NO. 06-07 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 Wells Fargo (Wedge):

A tract of land situate in the Northwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section 20, Township 19 North, Range 3 West, W.M., in Mason County, Washington, particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the Northwest corner of said Section 20; thence South along the West line thereof 236 feet, more or less, to an intersection of said West line with the Southerly right of way line of Old Kamilche County Road (Now Whitener County Road No. 15160), and the POINT OF BEGINNING of the tract of land hereby described;

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thence in an Easterly direction, along the Southerly right of way line of said County Road 421 feet, more or less, to the Northwesterly corner of a tract of land heretofore conveyed to David Ellison by deed recorded July 20, 1937 in Volume 65 of deeds at page 602 under recording No. 82696;

thence in a Southwesterly direction along the Westerly line of said Ellison tract, 182 feet, more or less, to the Northerly right of way line of Old Olympic Highway County Road No. 14010;

thence in a Northwesterly direction, along the Northerly line of Old Olympic Highway County Road 365 feet, more or less, to the West line of said Section 20; thence Northerly along said West line 51 feet, more or less, to the POINT OF BEGINNING;

EXCEPTING therefrom all that portion thereof particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the Northwest corner of said Section 20;

thence South along the West line thereof 236 feet, more or less, to an intersection of said West line with the Southerly right of way line of Old Kamilche County Road (now Whitener County Road No. 15160); thence in an Easterly direction along the Southerly right of way line of said county road 305 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING of the tract of land hereby described;

thence continue Easterly along said Southerly right of way line 116 feet, more or less, to the Northwesterly corner of a tract of land heretofore conveyed to David Ellison by deed recorded July 20, 1937 in Volume 65 of deeds at page 602 under recording No. 82696;

thence in a Southwesterly direction along the Westerly line of said Ellison tract 182 feet, more or less, to the Northerly right of way line of Old Olympic Highway County Road No. 14010;

thence in a Northwesterly direction along the Northerly line of Old Olympic Highway County Road 110 feet;

thence Northeasterly to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

Tax Parcel No. 31920-22-00080

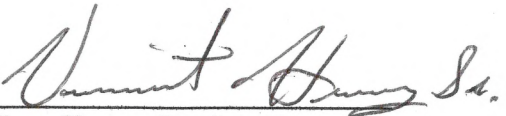
CERTIFICATION

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 26th 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