

SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

RESOLUTION NO. 06-70

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, Squaxin Island Tribal Council recognizes that energy assistance in low-income housing is an issue for the Squaxin Island Tribal Community; and

WHEREAS, the Division of Energy Assistance in the Office of Community Services has announced the availability of funds for grants under the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP); and

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribe is a member of a Tribal Consortium planning agency, the South Puget Intertribal Planning Agency (SPIPA), and SPIPA has already operated the LIHEAP Program;

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Andy Whitener, Vice Chairman

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby authorize development and submission of a Fiscal Year 2006 grant proposal on its behalf by SPIPA for continuation of the current LIHEAP Program funding; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby authorize SPIPA to negotiate, execute, and administer a grant proposal and agreement, and any amendments thereto; **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
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adopted at the regular meeting of the Squaxin Island Tribal Council, held on this
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passed by a vote of $\underline{5}$ for and $\underline{\mathcal{O}}$ against with $\underline{\mathcal{O}}$ abstentions.
James L. Peters, Chairman Attested by: Vince Henry, Sr., Secretary