



SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

RESOLUTION NO. 07-68

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 2008 Fiscal Year budget has been prepared in accordance with the Budget Ordinance, which included input and review by the Tribal community; **and**

WHEREAS, the final budget has been reviewed by the Budget Commission and does not obligate more funds than are expected to become available; **and**

WHEREAS, the budget has been prepared including a general increase in the Federal salary schedule; **and**

WHEREAS, the Federal Government has not passed the FY 2008 appropriations bill and the Tribe's budget is contingent on the Federal budget. The Tribe's budget will be adjusted if necessary.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby approve the final budget for the Fiscal Year 2008 in the following amounts:

1)	Executive	\$ 19,338,642
2)	Legal	1,014,495
3)	Finance	1,119,729
4)	Human Resources	1,950,249
5)	Planning	426,984
6)	Information Services	564,795
7)	Community Development	5,216,880
8)	Natural Resources	2,648,531
9)	Public Safety and Justice	1,269,631
10)	Health and Human Services	5,288,144
11)	Northwest Indian Treatment Center	2,885,986
12)	Cultural Resources	325,953
13)	Tu Ha' Buts Learning Center	1,330,928
14)	Museum, Library and Research Center	363,619
	Total	\$ 43,744,566

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 13th day of September 2007, at which time a quorum was present and was passed by a vote of 4 for and 0 against with 0 abstentions.


James L. Peters, Chairman

Attested by: 
Vincent Henry, Sr., Secretary


Arnold Cooper, Vice Chairman