



# SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

## RESOLUTION NO. 08-48

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 tribal members, and of protecting and managing the lands and treaty resources and rights of the Tribe; and

**WHEREAS**, the Tribe is a federally-recognized Indian Tribe possessing reserved powers, including the powers of self-government; 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 Squaxin Island Tribe has successfully applied for seventy five thousand dollars in grant moneys in order to clarify off-reservation hunting and fishing rights, and more specifically the Tribe has been approved to receive twenty five thousand dollars each for the following projects: (1) Ground-proof the Bjorn-Uebelacher Line; (2) Determine alternate means to determine Medicine Creek Cessation Line; and (3) Determine alternate means to satisfy Buchanan standard for traditional use; and

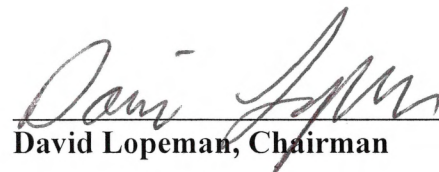
**WHEREAS**, before releasing the funds, the Department of Interior requires a formal statement of support for these projects and an acknowledgment that the grant is made solely for the current year;

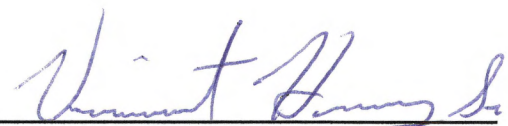
**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council hereby expresses its ongoing support for these projects; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, the Squaxin Island Tribe acknowledges that these projects address funds available in FY08 only, and further acknowledges that no guarantee is made that funds will be available beyond the current year.

**CERTIFICATION**

The Squaxin Island Tribal Council hereby certifies that the foregoing Resolution was adopted at the regular meeting of the Squaxin Island Tribal Council, held on this 22 day of May, 2008, at which time a quorum was present and was passed by a vote of 6 for and 0 against, with 0 abstentions.

  
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David Lopeman, Chairman

Attested by:   
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Vincent Henry, Sr., Secretary

  
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Arnold Cooper, Vice Chairman

**APPLICANTS WHO APPEAR TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR REGULAR  
MEMBERSHIP  
WITH LIMITED BENEFITS**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**To: Tribal Council**

**From: Enrollment Committee**

Re: Applicants who appear to be eligible for regular membership with limited benefits.

<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Over 18 on date of enrollment</u> Five year wait for treaty fish and shellfish, and per capita and dividend; 2 year wait for education.	<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Under 18 on date of enrollment</u> Five year wait for treaty fish and shellfish, but not per capita dividend; 2 year wait for education
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As a result of the Enrollment Committee's meeting held on April 22, 2008, We recommend that the following persons be approved for regular membership with limited benefits in the Squaxin Island Tribe and that their names be placed on the Supplemental Roll pending final approval of the Tribal Council. The Resolution for the applicants appear attached to this memo. These Resolutions show data on the applicants including how they are eligible for membership.

Applicants Recommended for Approval

**Ernest Leonard Pluff Jr.**

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

DATE:

We recommend that the above-named persons be put on the Squaxin Island Tribal Roll, by consensus of 8 for and 1 against.

For

Against

Absent or not voting

*Christine Y...*  
*Paula...*  
*Margaret...*  
*Duke Symachs*  
*Marcell Castro*  
*Octo King*  
*Jennifer Johnson*

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