



# SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

## RESOLUTION NO. 10-50 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,

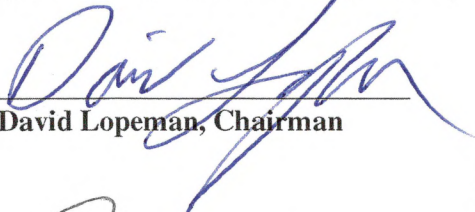
**WHEREAS**, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council has been entrusted with the creation of ordinances and resolutions in order to fulfill their duty of protecting the health, security, education, and general welfare of tribal members, and of protecting and managing the lands and treaty resources of the Tribe; and,

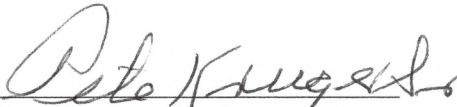
**WHEREAS**, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council passed resolution 00-66 authorizing that each land purchase shall incur a fee to the purchaser of \$5,000 or a half percent (0.05) of the total purchase price (which ever amount is higher) for any and all land to be converted from fee land into Squaxin Island Tribal trust land. The purpose of the fee was to fund costs associated with the fee-to-trust process such as environmental assessments and cadastral surveys;

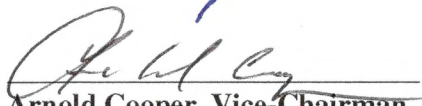
**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, because the costs associated with the fee-to-trust process are now being funded from the Land Acquisition Account, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council hereby rescinds resolution 00-66.

### 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 13 day of May 2010, at which a quorum was present and was passed by a vote of 10 for, and 0 against with 0 abstentions.

  
David Lopeman, Chairman

Attested by:   
Pete Kruger, Sr., Secretary

  
Arnold Cooper, Vice-Chairman

