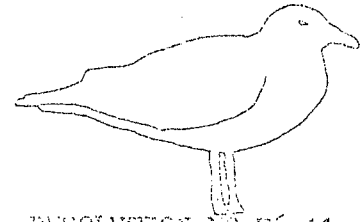


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RESOLUTION NO 76-11  
of the  
SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBAL COUNCIL

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council is the Governing Body of the Squaxin Island Indian Reservation by authority of the Constitution and By-Laws 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 Squaxin Island Tribe is a member in good standing with the Small Tribes Organization of Western Washington, and

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribe considers the issues presented before the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals in Yakima Indian Tribe v. Yakima Co., et al. to be of fundamental importance to tribes in the State of Washington; and

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council would like to support the arguments, in that case, that Washington has never validly asserted jurisdiction through Public Law 83-280 over Reservation Tribes and that Washington's retrocessions of jurisdiction over the Quinalt Indian Nation and Squamish Tribes were retrocessions of total jurisdiction.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby authorize the legal staff at the Small Tribes Organization of Western Washington and Legal Services Center of Seattle, to file brief amicus curiae on its behalf, supporting these arguments.

CERTIFICATION

This foregoing resolution was adopted at a regular meeting of the Squaxin Island Tribal Council, held on April 7, 1976, at which time a quorum of Council Members were present and was passed by a vote of 3 for and 0 against.

*Calvin J. Peters*  
Calvin J. Peters, Chairman

*Bryan A. Johnson*  
Bryan A. Johnson, Vice Chairman

*Betty Ann Norman*  
Betty Ann Norman, Secretary

April 12, 1976

Mr. S. A. Lozar, Superintendent  
Western Washington Agency  
Bureau of Indian Affairs  
3006 Colby Avenue  
Everett, Washington 98201

ATTENTION: GOSTA DAG -ENROLLMENT

Subject: Squaxin Island Tribal Council Resolution #76-10

Dear Sir,

Enclosed please find subject Council Resolution approving for membership the following individuals:

Michael S. Bell  
Jesse K. Bell  
Yvonne J. Bell  
Llewellyn Frank Parker  
Andrea D. Parker  
Theresa A. McFarlane  
Connie R. McFarlane  
Misti D. McFarlane  
Cheryl L. Monger

In as much as these individuals were all born in the state of Washington, birth certificates have not been enclosed.

Enclosed please find a relinquishment of all membership rights to and in the Skokomish Tribe of Indians and request for enrollment in the Squaxin Island Tribe for ~~W~~ Verna Beverly Henry. Ms. Henry has been enrolled by previous resolution.

In as much as there is one more membership resolution pending Council action, we will refrain from requesting computerization of the Squaxin Island Tribal Membership Roll.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Sally A. Norman, Secretary  
Squaxin Island Tribal Council