

## SQUAXIN

ISLAND

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Resolution No. 76-38

of the

Squaxin Island Tribal Council

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council is the Governing Body of the Squaxin Island Tribe of Indians by authority of the Constitution and By-Laws of the Squaxin Island Tribe, as approved and adopted by the General Body of the Squaxin Island Tribe and the Secretary of the In-

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council has been entrusted by its members to be responsible for securing and maintaining those programs which will best meet the social, economic and health needs of these members, and

WHEREAS; the Squaxin Island Tribal Council, in it's continuing pursuit of securing the aforementioned programs has identified as a Tribal priority the need to provide for the elderly members of the Tribe, who are considered to be the most valuable asset of the Squaxin necessary to preserve and pass on Tribal culture and heritage to the Tribe, and

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribe has now an ongoing Senior Citizen Nutrition Program utilizing the existing Tribal facility located within the Village of Kamilche, which serves hot meals to elderly persons twice a week, and

WHEREAS, this Senior Citizen Nutrition Program provides for participation and involvement to not only the Tribes elderly, but also to the elderly of the surrounding communitites within Mason County, and

WHEREAS, in order for the Squaxin Island Tribe to accomodate all of the Elderly persons interested in Participating in the program they have found it necessary to expand the Squaxin Island Tribal Center, located in Kamilche and its existing kitchen facilities, and

WHEREAS, expansion is presently being accomplished with Tribal grant funds which cover the material, equipment, and labor costs of the construction, and

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribe does not presently have the resources necessary to provide for furnishings and appliances necessary to compliment and complete the Senior Citizen Nutrition Expansion Program, and now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Squaxin Island Tribal Council endorses the submittal of this proposal to any concerned agency in order

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for funds to be obtained to complete the furnishing of the Senior Citizen Nutrition Expansion Program.

## CERTIFICATION

The Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted at a regular meeting of the Squaxin Island Tribal Council, held on November 4, 1976 at which time a quorum was present, by a vote of 4 for and 0 against.

Calvin J. Peters, Chairman

ATTESTED BY

Bryan A. Johnson, / Vice-Chairman