



SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

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RESOLUTION NO. 84- 13
of the
SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBAL COUNCIL

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council is the Governing Body of the Squaxin Island Tribe of Indians by the 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 Evergreen Legal Services is prepared to file suit against the State of Washington to establish shellfish gathering rights of all Indian Tribes in the Puget Sound area of the State of Washington; and

WHEREAS, such a shellfish gathering right can be prosecuted under the provisions of the Boldt Decision of 1974.

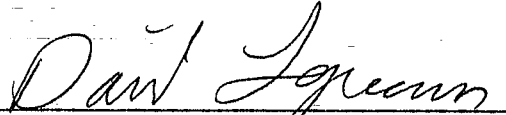
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Squaxin Island Tribe hereby petitions the U.S. Attorney General to act in behalf of the Western Washington Tribes in this suit.

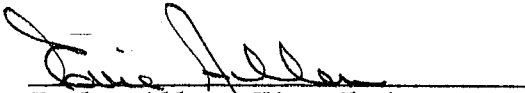
C E R T I F I C A T I O N

The Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted at a regular meeting of the Squaxin Island Tribal Council held on the 15th day of March, 1984, at which time a quorum was present and passed by a vote of 4 for and 0 against.


David W. Whitener, Chairman

ATTESTED BY:


David E. Lopeman, Secretary


Evelyn Allen, Vice-Chairperson