



SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

RESOLUTION NO. 89- 24
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 Squaxin Island Tribal Council is entrusted with the immediate and long term care and development of its tribal membership and the community at large; and

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council intends to provide tribal members and the community at large with every opportunity for growth, resources, and development available to tribes; and

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribe is experiencing major problems in youth substance abuse as demonstrated from Tribal Court Cases and youth arrests by the Tribal and City Police records; and

WHEREAS, the Tribe needs to develop prevention activities, educational materials, workshops, consultant speakers, and examples to create community alternative choices to the youth to substance abuse; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Police records confirmed that 47% of the local Indian Youth Arrested were under the direct influence of substance abuse during the time of violation.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Tribal Council hereby approves the submittal of a grant application for the High Risk Youth Prevention program to the U.S. Department of HHS to create education workshops, structured and supervised community youth activities, present professional speakers, and to provide constructive choices to youth as a alternative to substance abuse; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby authorize the Tribal Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and/or Administrative Director to act as the official Tribal Representative for this grant application with full authority to negotiate, amend, and execute all grant documents for the duration of this contract period.

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 this 5th day of May, 19 89, at which time a quorum was present and passed by a vote of 4 FOR, 0 AGAINST, and 0 ABSTENTIONS.

David Lopeman, Chairman
SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBAL COUNCIL

Evie Allen, Vice-Chairperson
SQUAXIN TRIBAL COUNCIL

ATTEST:

James Peters
James Peters, Secretary
SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBAL COUNCIL