

## SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

RESOLUTION NO. FY 93-      //       
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 the governing body of the Squaxin Island Indian Reservation in accordance with the Tribe's Constitution and By-Laws; and

**WHEREAS**, under Section 6 of the Squaxin Island Court Procedures Ordinance the Tribal Council is authorized to appoint judges of the Squaxin Island Tribal Court, and under Section 10 of the same ordinance the Tribal Council is authorized to appoint as judges persons who are hired to perform judicial services by an intertribal court system; and

**WHEREAS**, the Squaxin Island Tribe is a participant in the Northwest Intertribal Court System (NICS); and,

**WHEREAS**, the Governing Board of NICS, which is composed of delegates of the member tribes of NICS, has authorized Elbridge Coochise, Emma Dulik and Mary Pearson to provide judicial services to the tribal courts of the member tribes; and

**WHEREAS**, it is of benefit to the Squaxin Island Tribal Court that Elbridge Coochise or Emma Dulik be authorized to sit as Tribal Court judge in emergency or other extraordinary situations where Mary Pearson, the regularly-scheduled Tribal Court judge, is unable to perform judicial duties for the Court;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Squaxin Island Tribal Council hereby appoints Judges Elbridge Coochise and Emma Dulik as alternate Tribal Court Judges until such time as otherwise resolved.


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**CERTIFICATION**

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 10<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1985, at which time a quorum was present and was passed by a vote of 4 for, and 0 against, and 0 abstentions.

  
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DAVID LOPPMAN, CHAIRMAN

  
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Attested By: MIKE PETERS, SECRETARY

  
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DAVID WHITENER, SR., VICE CHAIRMAN