



# SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

RESOLUTION NO 99- 44  
of the  
SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBAL COUNCIL

**WHEREAS**, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council is the Governing Body of the Squaxin Island Tribe, its members, its enterprises and its agencies by authority of the Constitution and Bylaws 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**, under the Constitution, Bylaws and inherent sovereignty of the Tribe, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council is charged with the duty of protecting the health, security, education and general welfare of tribal members, and with protecting and managing the lands and treaty resources and rights of the Tribe; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council has been entrusted with the creation of ordinances and resolutions in order to fulfill their duty of protecting the health, security, education and general welfare of tribal members, and of protecting and managing the land and treaty resources of the Tribe; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Administration for Native Americans (ANA) requires applicants seeking Social and Economic Development Strategies (SEDS) funding to document pre-existing and planned involvement and support of the community in the planning process and implementation of the proposed project; and,

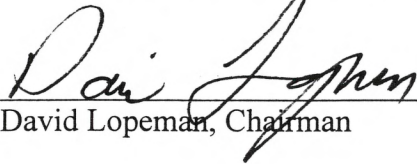
**WHEREAS**, the Squaxin Island Tribe is committed to a planning process which is community driven, and has held public meetings during which economic and business development, including development of a child care center has been discussed and approved.

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby assure ANA that substantial community involvement has occurred over the last 24 months regarding the planning of the child care center and related projects.

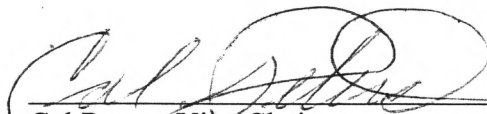
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**CERTIFICATION**

The Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted at the regular meeting of the Squaxin Island Tribal Council, held on this 13<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1999 at which time a quorum was present and was passed by a vote of      for and 5 against with 0 abstentions.

  
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David Lopeman, Chairman

Attested by: Sue McFarlane  
Sue McFarlane, Secretary

  
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Cal Peters, Vice Chairman