

SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

RESOLUTION NO. 99- 54

of the

SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBAL COUNCIL

WHEREAS, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council is the Governing Body of the Squaxin Island Tribe, its members, its lands, its enterprises and its agencies by the 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 the 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 lands and treaty resources of the Tribe; **and**

WHEREAS, in February, 1999, 178 Nations in the world and several International Organizations responded to the invitation issued by the German Chancellor to be a part of the first world exhibition in Germany; **and**

WHEREAS, the Expo 2000 promotes the Theme "Humankind-Nature-Technology" and desires to promote and present solutions to global challenges with preference to environmentally compatible technology; **and**

WHEREAS, Tribal Governments and the people of their Indian Nations, Tribes and Bands and Native Alaskan Villages are searching for opportunities in economical growth while maintaining strong ties to their cultures; **and**

WHEREAS, Indian Country has a lot to offer both the industrialized and indigenous world.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby support the participation of American Indian Nations and Alaskan Native Villages at the Expo held in Hanover, Germany June 1 through October 31.

CERTIFICATION

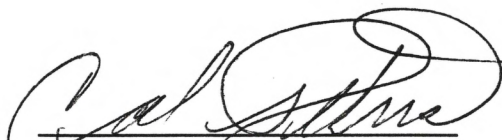
The Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted at the regular meeting of the Squaxin Island Tribal Council, held on this 24th day of June, 1999, at which time a quorum was present and was passed by a vote of 6 for and 0 against with 0 abstentions.



Dave Lopeman, Chairman

Attested by: 

Sue McFarlane, Secretary



Cal Peters, Vice Chairman