



# SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE

## RESOLUTION NO 99-73 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**, under the Constitution and Bylaws of the Tribe, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council has the powers and duties to acquire, manage, and lease Tribal real property and other Tribal assets; and,

**WHEREAS**, social and economic development strategies continue to play a crucial role in the Tribe's ability to meet the increasing needs of the growing tribal population; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council on behalf of the Tribe has purchased a parcel of property within the Tribal Economic Development Area (TEDA) established by the Squaxin Island Tribal Council, near existing reservation land that is utilized by Tribal Enterprises for economic development; and,

**WHEREAS**, said parcel will be located within sub-area C of the TEDA; and will be home to Tribal businesses that support social development of the Tribal community; insuring the continued success of the Tribe and its ability to meet the needs of the Squaxin Island Tribal people; and

**WHEREAS**, said parcel is critical to Tribal economic development efforts and the Squaxin Island Tribal Council has determined that Tribal real property can best be managed and protected if it is owned by the United States in trust for the Tribe.

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**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, the Squaxin Island Tribal Council does hereby request that the United States, pursuant to 25 CFR 151 and under the authority of the Indian Reorganization Act 48 Stat. 984, accept title to the following described real property in trust for the Squaxin Island Tribe:

Purchased from Pete Kruger

All that portion of the East quarter (E ¼) of the West two-thirds (W 2/3) of the Southeast quarter (SE ¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE ¼) of Section eighteen (18), Township nineteen North, Range three (3) West, W.M., lying Northerly of the Northerly right-of-way line of Old Olympic Highway County Road No. 14010.

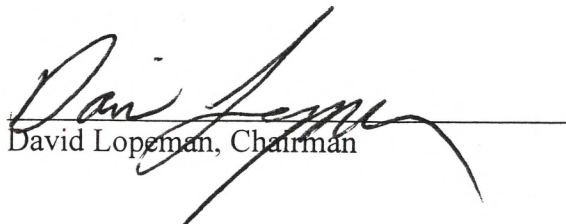
EXCEPTING therefrom right-of-way for U.S. Highway 101 (formerly Primary State Highway No. 9), as conveyed to the State of Washington in deeds recorded under Auditor's File Nos. 176381, 190965 and 425058.

EXCEPTING from all the foregoing, right-of-way for Simmons Road, County Road No. 15240, and EXCEPTING therefrom road rights-of-way.


Parcel Nos. 31918 44 00050 and 31918 44 00051

**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 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1999 at which time a quorum was present and was passed by a vote of 5 for and 0 against with 0 abstentions.

  
David Lopeman, Chairman

Attested by:   
Sue McFarlane, Secretary

  
Cal Peters, Vice Chairman