



EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF THE
CENTRAL COUNCIL OF THE TLINGIT & HAIDA INDIAN TRIBES OF ALASKA

Resolution EC 26-90

Title: Authorization to Apply for the Office for Violence Against Women Special Tribal Criminal Jurisdiction Grant Program

WHEREAS, the Central Council of Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska (Tlingit & Haida) is a federally recognized tribe with more than 38,000 citizens; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Tlingit & Haida Constitution, the Executive Council is the governing body of Tlingit & Haida when the Tribal Assembly is not in session; and

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WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida is committed to protecting Tribal citizens, strengthening Tribal sovereignty, and enhancing public safety through the continued development and exercise of Tribal criminal jurisdiction authorized under federal law; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Justice, Office for Violence Against Women administers the Special Tribal Criminal Jurisdiction Grant Program to assist Tribal governments in preparing to exercise, implementing, and strengthening Special Tribal Criminal Jurisdiction over covered crimes committed by non-Indians within the Tribe's jurisdictional boundaries

WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida intends to apply for up to \$1,500,000 in funds from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office for Violence Against Women Special Tribal Criminal Jurisdiction Grant Program for a five year project, and such funding includes the full amount of Tlingit & Haida's federally approved indirect rate; and



WHEREAS, grant funds may be used to strengthen Tribal criminal justice systems, including law enforcement, prosecution, Tribal courts, supervision systems, detention and corrections, treatment and rehabilitation services, culturally appropriate victim services, criminal codes and procedures, indigent defense, jury processes, and other activities necessary to implement and exercise Special Tribal Criminal Jurisdiction;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Executive Council of the Central Council of Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska hereby authorizes the Tlingit & Haida President, or designee, to submit, negotiate, execute, and administer any and all documents, including any subsequent amendments, that are required by the U.S. Department of Justice, Office for Violence Against Women for granting funds to Tlingit & Haida for the proposed Special Tribal Criminal Jurisdiction Project; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, if awarded, Tlingit & Haida shall accept and manage the grant funds to build upon its criminal jurisdiction.

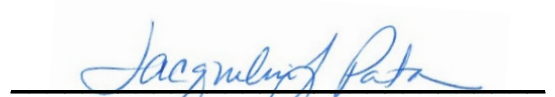
ADOPTED this 13th day of July 2026, by the Executive Council of the Central Council of Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska, by a vote of 4 yeas, 0 nays, 0 abstentions and 2 absences.

CERTIFY



President Richard J. Peterson

ATTEST



Tribal Secretary Jacqueline L. Pata