



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

Resolution EC 26-48

Title: Authorization to Apply for a Bureau of Justice Assistance Second Chance Act
Community-Based Reentry 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, the Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) has announced funding under its Second Chance Act Community-Based Reentry Program; and

WHEREAS, BJA states it will support community-based organizations and tribal governments to provide mentoring and transitional services for adults returning to communities after a period of incarceration in a prison or a jail and who are assessed as moderate to high risk for recidivism; and

WHEREAS, studies show people released from prison are less likely to reoffend and less likely to go back to prison if they have a stable, secure, and supportive place to live; and

WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida's operates three properties with such programming for men and women, and accepts participants returning from incarceration, residential treatment, as well as people in recovery; and

WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida provides a healthy foundation that is built on culturally responsive services and case management; and

WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida intends to apply for up to \$1,000,000 in funds from BJA for a three-year project, and such funding includes the full amount of Tlingit & Haida's federally approved indirect rate; and



WHEREAS, such funds would be used to further strengthen and develop our existing reentry & recovery services including the addition of an evidence-based risk assessment tool for people coming out of incarceration and the bolstering of mentoring services for program participant; and

WHEREAS, further such funds will be used to improve data and service outcomes tracking including tracking housing placements, employment placements, treatment enrollment, and recidivism rates for program participants; and

WHEREAS, further such funds would help cover the costs associated with the newly developed participant advisor positions for each of the three Tlingit & Haida's Reentry & Recovery properties;

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 Bureau of Justice Assistance for granting funds to Tlingit & Haida for the proposed project.

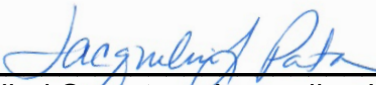
ADOPTED this 17th day of April 2026, by the Executive Council of the Central Council of Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska, by a vote of 5 yeas, 0 nays, 0 abstentions and 1 absences.

CERTIFY



President Richard J. Peterson

ATTEST



Tribal Secretary Jacqueline L. Pata