



CENTRAL COUNCIL
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Executive Council of the Central Council
TLINGIT & HAIDA INDIAN TRIBES OF ALASKA

Resolution EC 24-38

Title: Authorization to Apply for the U.S. Department of Transportation Hazardous Materials
Emergency Preparedness Tribal Grant

WHEREAS, the Central Council of Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska (Tlingit & Haida) is a federally recognized tribe with more than 37,000 citizens; and

WHEREAS, under Article X of 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 U.S. Department of Transportation has announced funding available from the Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness (HMEP) Tribal Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida intends to apply for up to \$250,000 from the HMEP Grant to implement the "Safe Passage" initiative, and such funding includes the full amount of Tlingit & Haida's federally approved indirect rate; and

WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida is committed to providing a 20% match through in-kind contributions; and

WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida intend to implement a one year project designed to significantly improve our community's readiness and response to hazardous materials incidents by enhancing the emergency preparedness of Southeast First Responders through specialized hazardous materials (hazmat) training, ensuring a swift and knowledgeable response to incidents involving hazardous substances;

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 Department of Transportation for granting funds to Tlingit & Haida for the proposed Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness Grant program.

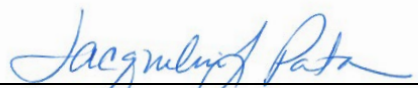
ADOPTED this 5th day of April 2024, by the Executive Council of the Central Council of Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska, by a vote of 4 yeas, 0 nays, 0 abstentions and 2 absences.

CERTIFY



President Richard J. Peterson

ATTEST



Tribal Secretary Jacqueline L. Pata