



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

Resolution EC 24-47

Title: Authorization to Apply for U.S. Department of Interior Bureau of Indian Affairs Alaska
Inter-Tribal Federal Subsistence Collaborative Management Program Funding

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 subsistence practices of our people are an expression of sovereignty and are core to our peoples' health and livelihoods; and

WHEREAS, it is crucial that subsistence resources are adequately managed to ensure food security for our people and to protect subsistence resources for future generations; and

WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida has made it a priority to support our ways of life, subsistence practices and food security, including through the development of a new Food Security program; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) has announced FY 2024 funding for the Alaska Inter-Tribal Federal Subsistence Collaborative Management Program for inter-Tribal organizations to develop and implement collaborative subsistence management partnerships with the federal agencies responsible for implementing the Title VIII of the Alaska National Interest Land Conservation Act, on federal lands in Alaska; and

WHEREAS, the BIA anticipates approximately \$2.9 million of available funding for FY2024; and

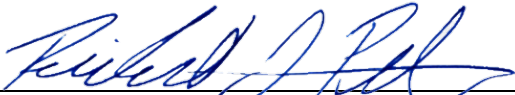
WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida intends to apply for up to \$750,000 in funds from the BIA for a 3-year project and such funding will be included in our Self-Governance Compact.; and

WHEREAS, these funds can support one full-time equivalent staff position and host a Southeast Alaska Subsistence Coalition;

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 Bureau of Indian Affairs for granting funds to Tlingit & Haida to develop and implement collaborative subsistence management partnerships with federal agencies.

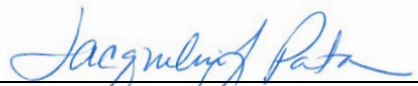
ADOPTED this 15th day of April 2024, by the Executive Council of the Central Council of Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska, by a vote of 6 yeas, 0 nays, 0 abstentions and 0 absences.

CERTIFY



President Richard J. Peterson

ATTEST



Tribal Secretary Jacqueline L. Pata