



CENTRAL COUNCIL
Tlingit and Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska
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Executive Council of the Central Council
TLINGIT & HAIDA INDIAN TRIBES OF ALASKA

Resolution EC 25-101

Title: Authorization to Apply for Newman's Own Foundation Indigenous Foods Justice 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, under Article IV 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 Newman's Own Foundation (NOF) has posted its Food Justice for Kids, Indigenous Foods Justice grant; and

WHEREAS, the NOF acknowledges, "[t]he seizing of Indigenous lands in the United States over the course of several centuries disrupted the communities' knowledge and cultivation of culturally specific foods and food systems. Adding to this injury, many Indigenous children now live in remote regions with limited access to fresh foods. In American Indian and Alaska Native communities, 1 in 5 households are food insecure, meaning they do not have enough nutritious food to eat or know where their next meal may come from;" and

WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida received an award the NOF Indigenous Foods Justice Program in 2024, thereby making it eligible for additional funding; and

WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida intends to apply for up to \$25,000, and such funding includes the full amount of Tlingit & Haida's federally approved indirect rate; and

WHEREAS, the funding will be used for harvesting indigenous foods for distribution to Tlingit & Haida Head Start classrooms;

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 Newman's Own Foundation for granting funds to Tlingit & Haida for the proposed project.

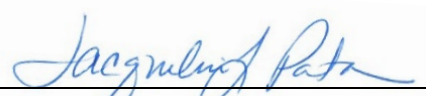
ADOPTED this 17th day of June 2025, by the Executive Council of the Central Council of Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska, by a vote of 6 yeas, 0 nays, 0 abstentions and 0 absences.

CERTIFY



President Richard J. Peterson

ATTEST



Tribal Secretary Jacqueline L. Pata