



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 25-133

Title: Authorization to Apply for Head Start Continuation Grant

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 has over 40 years of experience administering the Head Start program, providing children and families with quality and comprehensive early childhood services that promote school readiness; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) has announced Head Start funding for fiscal year 2025; and

WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida intends to apply for up to \$5,212,027 in federal Head Start Continuation Grant funds for FY 2026, and such funding includes the full amount of Tlingit & Haida's federally approved indirect rate; and

WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida will use these funds for operational costs to run fifteen (15) classrooms in the region of Southeast Alaska: Juneau (5), Petersburg (1), Saxman (1), Klawock (1), Wrangell (2), Yakutat (1), Sitka (1), Angoon (1), Craig (1), and Hoonah (1);

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 federal Office of Head Start for granting funds to Tlingit & Haida for the proposed Head Start program.

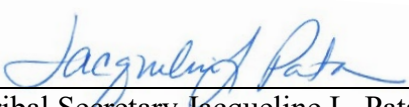
ADOPTED this 26th day of September 2025, by the Executive Council of the Central Council of Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska, by a vote of 5 yeas, 0 nays, 0 abstentions and 1 absence.

CERTIFY



President Richard J. Peterson

ATTEST



Tribal Secretary Jacqueline L. Pata