



Central Council of the Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska
Executive Council Meeting
Friday | May 16, 2025 | 9:00 AM
Virtual

Meeting Minutes

CALL TO ORDER

President Richard Peterson assumed chair without objection and called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM.

ROLL CALL

Richard J. Peterson, President	Present
Jacqueline Pata, 1 st Vice President	Present
Clinton Cook Sr., 2 nd Vice President	Present
Robert Sanderson, 3 rd Vice President	Present
Will Micklin, 4 th Vice President	Present
Delbert Kadake, 5 th Vice President	Present
Paulette Moreno, 6 th Vice President	Present
Jasmine Knudson, Emerging Leader	Present

Also present: Charlene Robertson, Chief Financial Officer, Madeline Soboleff-Levy General Counsel, Roald Helgesen Chief Operating Officer, Gail Dabaluz Deputy Chief Operating Officer, Sarah Dybdahl Director Office of the President, Heather Gatti Government Affairs

INVOCATION

3rd Vice President Robert Sanderson provided an invocation.

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

M/S 3rd Vice President Robert Sanderson moved to adopt the agenda as a guide.
M/C

PUBLIC COMMENT

No comments provided.

REPORTS

Presidents Report

President Richard Peterson provided a verbal update on recent activities.
Discussion ensued.

DISCUSSION

Indigenous People's Council for Marine Mammals (IPCoMM)

6th Vice President Paulette Moreno provided a verbal update on the recent IPCoMM meeting in Anchorage. Discussion ensued.

Department of Interior Consultation

Updates and discussion about the upcoming Department of Interior consultation.

ACTION ITEMS

Resolutions

M/S 1st Vice President Jacqueline Pata moved to pass resolution EC 25-57, EC 25-58, EC 25-59, EC 25-60, EC 25-61, EC 25-62, EC 25-63, EC 25-64, EC 25-65, EC 25-69, EC 25-70, EC 25-72, EC 25-73, EC 25-74, EC 25-77, EC 25-78, EC 25-79, EC 25-80, EC 25-81, EC 25-82, EC 25-83, EC 25-84, EC 25-85 and EC 25-87. M/C

M/S 1st Vice President Jacqueline Pata moved to adopt EC 25-56, EC 25-75, EC 25-76. M/F

M/S 1st Vice President Jacqueline Pata moved to bring forward and approve EC 25-66. M/C

M/S 1st Vice President Jacqueline Pata moved to adopt resolution EC 25-68. M/C

M/S 1st Vice President Jacqueline Pata moved to support resolution EC 25-71 in the final whereas strike “can purchase and partner with” and replace with “can support initiatives”. M/C

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M/S 1st Vice President Jackie to adopt meeting minutes of April 14th and 30th. M/C

Donation

M/S 6th Vice President Paulette Moreno to donate \$1000.00 to the Seattle Tlingit & Haida Community Council picnic and One People Canoe Society. M/C

EXECUTIVE SESSION

M/S 6th Vice President Paulette Moreno to move into Executive Session at 10:20 AM. M/C

Moved out of Executive Session at 11:48 AM.

Rise and Report

2026 Tribal Assembly will be September 23-25.

Tribal Vocational Rehabilitation has been giving authority to sign a Memorandum of Agreement with the State of Alaska on behalf of the Tribe.

ADJOURN

The chair adjourned the meeting at 11:48 AM