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RESOLUTION #02-02

IN SUPPORT OF PILOTING TRIBAL POLICY FOR RESTORATION OF FEDERAL SITES. A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE ALEUTIAN/PRIBILOF ISLANDS ASSOCIATION, INC. (A/PIA), EFFORTS TO PILOT THE "TRIBAL POLICY FOR RESTORATION OF FEDERAL SITES IN THE ALEUTIAN AND PRIBILOF REGION" THROUGH FUNDING FROM THE ADMINISTRATION FOR NATIVE AMERICANS (ANA).

ORIGINAL MAILED TO A/PIA 2-15-02 JC

WHEREAS, the Aleutian/Pribilof Islands Association, Inc. (A/PIA) is a regional non-profit tribal organization with members consisting of the thirteen (13) federally recognized tribes of the Aleutian Chain and Pribilof Islands region of Alaska; and,

WHEREAS, A/PIA exists to promote the overall economic, social, cultural, health and environmental needs of the Aleut People; and,

WHEREAS, there are over sixty federal sites in the region including former military and nuclear test sites, which pose a potential risk to the health and well-being of the Aleut People; and,

WHEREAS, there is a need for greater tribal participation in the guidance and stewardship of the restoration of all sites; and,

WHEREAS, a coordinated tribal effort is vital for encouraging the federal government to adequately restore all or the sites in the region; and,

WHEREAS, the Qagan Tayagungin Tribal council understands the importance of cooperation and the role of all tribes in the region towards restoring all Aleut traditional lands.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Qagan Tayagungin Tribal Council supports A/PIA in their efforts to pursue funding from ANA for piloting the Aleut Tribal Policy for Restoration of Federal Sites in the Aleutian and Pribilof region.

The resolution was duly adopted and approved at the Qagan Tayagungin Tribal Council regular meeting held on January 31st, 2002, by the following votes: For 5 Against 0 Abstentions 0.

APPROVED:

Jack Foster, Jr.
Jack Foster, Jr., Tribal President

02/08/02
Date

ATTEST:

Dorothy McCallum
Dorothy McCallum, Secretary

02/15/02
Date