

Qagan Tayagungin Tribe

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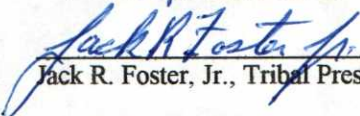
RESOLUTION #02-10

A RESOLUTION OF THE QAGAN TAYAGUNGIN TRIBE OF SAND POINT AUTHORIZING THE LAW OFFICES OF MORISSET, SCHLOSSER, JOZWIAK & MCGAW TO APPLY FOR LITIGATION FUNDING ON BEHALF OF QAGAN TAYAGUNGIN TRIBE.

- WHEREAS, The Qagan Tayagungin Tribe of Sand Point is a sovereign federally recognized tribe authorized with government to government status with the United States of America; and,
- WHEREAS, The Qagan Tayagungin Tribal Council is the governing body of the Qagan Tayagungin Tribe authorized by its constitution to act on behalf of the Native Tribal Members; and,
- WHEREAS, The Qagan Tayagungin Tribe and its Tribal fishermen met publically and held a Special Meeting on March 15, 2002, at the City Chambers meeting room in Sand Point, Alaska; and,
- WHEREAS, The Qagan Tayagungin Tribal Fishermen unanimously voted in favor of the Tribe's endeavors in obtaining back their fishing rights through legal counsel; and,
- WHEREAS, The Qagan Tayagungin Tribal Council authorizes the law offices of, Morisset, Schlosser, Jozwiak & McGaw, a Professional Corporation, apply for litigation funding on Qagan Tayagungin Tribe's behalf, from Appropriated Funds to pay for Tribe's Attorney Fees and Expenses, 25 C.F.R. Part 89, in the amount of \$60,000; and,
- WHEREAS, The Qagan Tayagungin Tribal Council authorizes the law offices of Morisset, Schlosser, Jozwiak & McGaw, a Professional Corporation, apply for Litigation Support Funding on Qagan Tayagungin Tribe's behalf, with the Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs, in the amount of \$160,000; and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Qagan Tayagungin Tribal Council of Sand Point hereby authorizes, as directed by its tribal members, the law offices of Morisset, Schlosser, Jozwiak & McGaw, a Professional Corporation, to seek litigation funding for the purpose of obtaining their traditional fishing rights.

Passed and adopted by a duly constituted quorum of the Qagan Tayagungin Tribal Council on the 30th day of April, 2002.



Jack R. Foster, Jr., Tribal President

ATTEST:



Dorothy McCallum, Secretary/Treasurer