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RESOLUTION 96-28 *B*

A Resolution Authorizing A/PIA to Apply to the Administration for Native Americans for Grant Funding on Behalf of the Qagan Tayagungin Tribe for Mitigation of Environments Impacts to Indian Lands due to Department of Defense Activities Program.

- WHEREAS, the Qagan Tayagungin Tribe of Sand Point is recognized as a tribe by the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs; and,
- WHEREAS, the Qagan Tayagungin Tribe of Sand Point is concerned about environmental protection as a health risk to all people living in the community of Sand Point; and,
- WHEREAS, WWII debris still exists in the Aleutian/Pribilof Islands Region and is negatively effecting the environment; and,
- WHEREAS, there is a possibility of contamination of the natural resources from the Cannikan nuclear blast in Amchitka in 1971; and,
- WHEREAS, the Qagan Tayagungin Tribe understands the importance of all tribes in the Aleutian/Pribilof Islands Region coordinating efforts to have a healthy environment; and,
- WHEREAS, the Qagan Tayagungin Tribe of Sand Point recognizes the value of individual tribes and village corporations working cooperatively with a tribal consortium; and,
- WHEREAS, the Qagan Tayagungin Tribe of Sand Point wants a more effective and cost efficient approach for the tribes wishing to work toward a healthy environment.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Qagan Tayagungin Tribal Council authorizes the Aleutian/Pribilof Islands Association, Inc.'s Executive Director on its behalf to pursue grant funds from the Administration for Native Americans under the Mitigation of Environmental Impacts to Indian Lands due to Department of Defense Activities program.

Passed and approved on this _____ day of _____, 1996

Tribal Council President

ATTESTED:

Secretary