

QAGAN TAYAGUNGIN TRIBE

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RESOLUTION 96-29

A RESOLUTION OF THE QAGAN TAYAGUNGIN TRIBAL COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE ALEUTIAN/PRIILOF ISLANDS ASSOCIATION, INC'S EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO PURSUE GRANT FUNDS ON THE BEHALF OF THE QAGAN TAYAGUNGIN TRIBE FROM THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE NATIVE AMERICANS UNDER MITIGATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS TO INDIAN LANDS DUE TO DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE ACTIVITIES PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the Qagan Tayagungin Tribe of Sand Point is a sovereign federally recognized tribe with a government to government status with the United States of America; and,

WHEREAS, the Qagan Tayagungin Tribal Council 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 affecting 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 Tribal Council of Sand Point understands the importance of all tribes in the Aleutian/Pribilof Islands Region coordinating efforts to have a healthy environment; and

WHEREAS, the Qagan Tayagungin Tribal Council recognizes the value of individual tribes and village corporations working cooperatively with the tribal consortium; and

WHEREAS, the Qagan Tayagungin Tribal Council wants a more effective and cost efficient approach for the tribes wishing to work toward a healthy environment; and

WHEREAS, the Aleutian/Pribilof Islands Association, Inc. Is the tribal governing body of the Aleut people under the Indian Self-Determination Act;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Qagan Tayagungin Tribal Council of Sand Point asks for 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 BY A QUORUM OF THE QAGAN TAYAGUNGIN TRIBAL COUNCIL
THIS 8TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1997.


President

ATTESTED:


Secretary