

QAGAN TAYAGUNGIN TRIBE

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RESOLUTION 97-17

A RESOLUTION OF THE QAGAN TAYAGUNGIN TRIBAL COUNCIL REQUESTING ALEUTIAN/PRIBILOF ISLAND ASSOCIATION'S EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO PURSUE FUNDS FROM THE UNITED STATE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY TO ADDRESS THE SOURCE POLLUTANT IMPACTS ON OUR WATERSHED.

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

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council is concerned about the point source discharges from cannery out falls which affects the water quality and the wildlife which we depend upon; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal council understand the importance of all tribes in the Aleutian, Pribilof, Shumagin, Islands and Alaska Peninsula Region coordinating efforts to address and find solutions to the water quality problems, and

WHEREAS, the Qagan Tayagungin Tribe recognizes the value of individual tribes working cooperatively with a tribal consortium so that all tribes, the Environmental Protection Agency, and the Aleutian/ Pribilof Islands Association, Inc., will maintain consistent standards in all EPA authorized programs; and

WHEREAS, the Qagan Tayagungin Tribe wants a more effective and cost-efficient approach for tribes wishing to establish such programs; and

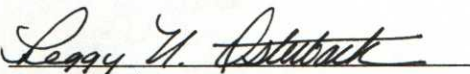
WHEREAS, the Aleutian/ Pribilof Islands Association, Inc., has been recognized by the Environmental Protection Agency to manage environmental protection programs under the General Assistance Program grant.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Qagan Tayagungin Tribe asks for the Aleutian/ Pribilof Islands Association, Inc.'s Executive Director, on its behalf, to pursue grant funds from the United States Environmental Protection Agency Region X for the addressing of point source pollutant impacts to our watershed.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY A QUORUM OF THE QAGAN TAYAGUNGIN TRIBAL COUNCIL THIS 27TH DAY OF JUNE, 1997.

ATTEST:


President


Secretary/Treasurer

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