

QAGAN TAYAGUNGIN TRIBE

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RESOLUTION 99-11

A RESOLUTION OF THE QAGAN TAYGUNGIN TRIBE GRANTING THE CULTURAL HERITAGE PROGRAM OF APIA THE AUTHORITY TO ACT AS THE REGIONAL REPATRIATION COORDINATION CENTER FOR ISSUES RELATING TO NAGPRA AND APPOINTING ARLENE GUNDERSEN AS THE QAGAN TAYAGUNGIN TRIBE NAGPRA REPRESENTATIVE.

WHEREAS, The Native Village of Sand Point is a sovereign federally recognized tribe with government to government status with the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, the Qagan Tayagungin Tribal Council is the governing body for the Native village of Sand Point, and

WHEREAS, the Aleutian/ Pribilof Islands Association, Inc. (APIA) is an Alaska Native Regional non-profit organization established to provide certain programs and services to member tribes; and

WHEREAS, the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act of 1990 (NAGPRA) and the National Museum of the American Indian Act, as amended in 1996 (NMAI), mandates cooperation between museums and federal agencies and recognized tribal entities;

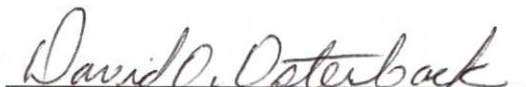
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Cultural Heritage Director of APIA is authorized to act on behalf of the Qagan Tayagungin Tribe as the contact for repatriation related information prepared by museums, federal agencies and other as mandated by NAGPRA and NMAI; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, the Cultural Heritage Director is directed to assemble a Regional database from summaries and inventories submitted by museums, federal agencies and others as mandated by NAGPRA and NMAI, and is directed to work with the Qagan Tayagungin Tribal Representative, Arlene Gundersen, to plan regional repatriation meetings and training sessions, to facilitate the establishment of the Unangan Repatriation Commission, and to complete other tasks relating to repatriation issues as directed by the Qagan Tayagungin Tribal Council.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY A DULY CONSTITUTED QUORUM OF THE QAGAN TAYAGUNGIN TRIBAL COUNCIL THIS 6TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1999. VOTE: 5 in Favor; 0 opposed; 0 abstained.

ATTEST:


Secretary/ Treasurer


President