



Walker River Paiute Tribe

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RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE

RESOLUTION NO. #WR 12-2020

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE THAT:

WHEREAS, the governing body of the Walker River Paiute Tribe of Nevada is organized under the provisions of the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984), as amended, to exercise certain rights of home rule and be responsible for the promotion of the economic and social welfare of its members, and

WHEREAS, the Congress has declared that it is a policy of the United States, in fulfillment of its special trust responsibilities and legal obligations to the American Indian People, to assure the highest possible health status for Indians and to provide all resources necessary to effect that policy, and to raise the health status of Indians to at least the levels set forth in the goals contained within the Healthy People 2010 initiative or successor objectives, 25 U.S.C. § 1602(a), and

WHEREAS, the Walker River Paiute Tribal Council has a continuing interest in improving the quality of care provided to its tribal members, and

WHEREAS, the Walker River Paiute Tribal Council has had and continues to have a contract and Annual Funding Agreements (AFAs) with the Indian Health Service (IHS) under Title I of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act, P.L. 93-638, as amended, and

WHEREAS, the Walker River Paiute Tribal Council desires to build a new Health Clinic that will meet the health care needs of the Walker River community as the current facility that was designed and built in the 1930's as a hospital, and converted to a clinic in 1986 has many shortcomings and health and safety issues that must be address, and


WHEREAS, the Walker River Paiute Tribal Council has determined that \$ 1.5 million of funding from Walker River Paiute Tribe will be used to fund the clinic facility but the Tribe will have to seek funding elsewhere to complete the project as designed, the new facility will be located on land assigned by the Tribal Council per resolution, and

WHEREAS, that the Walker River Paiute Tribe will seek funding from the Shakopee Mdewakaton Sioux Community in the amount of \$ 500,000 needed to complete the new clinic facility, and

NOW THEREFOR BE IT RESOLVED the Walker River Paiute Tribal Council hereby authorizes the Chair and/or her designee to seek funding needed to build a new clinic facility that will meet the needs of the Walker River Paiute Tribal Community currently and in the future.

CERTIFICATION

It is hereby certified that the foregoing resolution of the Walker River Paiute Tribal Council composed of seven members of whom 6 constituting a quorum were present at a meeting held on the February 13, 2020 and that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the affirmative vote of 5 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 ABSTENTIONS, pursuant to the authority contained in the Constitution and By-Laws of the Walker River Paiute Tribe of Nevada approved on March 26, 1934.



Gina Wachsmuth, Secretary
Walker River Paiute Tribe