

Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribal Council

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RESOLUTION NO.: PL 16-18

RESOLUTION OF THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE PYRAMID LAKE PAIUTE TRIBE NIXON, NEVADA

WHEREAS, the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe is organized pursuant to the provisions of Section 16 of the Indian Reorganization Act (25 U.S.C. § 476) and is federally recognized by the United States Government through the Secretary of the Interior and the Bureau of Indian Affairs; and

WHEREAS, the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe (Tribe) has been notified by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Office of Environmental Justice of its Environmental Justice Collaborative Problem Solving Cooperative Agreement funding availability and its request for proposals; and

WHEREAS, the Tribe meets the eligibility requirements to submit a proposal addressing issues relating to environmental justice issues affecting under-served communities; and

WHEREAS, the Tribe has identified three issues to be included in its grant application: the continued problem of satellite open dumps, recreational vehicle septic disposal at Pyramid Lake, and the public health dangers of associated with small scale methamphetamine production laboratory waste; and

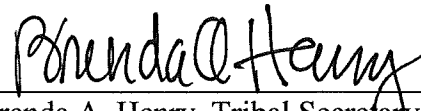
WHEREAS, the objective with addressing these three issues will focus on using traditional ecological knowledge while applying public education of the environmental statutes with emphasis on building community capacity and responsible stewardship; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribal Council the hereby approves the grant application to request funding from the EPA Office of Environmental Justice.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Tribal Chairman or his designee is authorized to negotiate and execute said application with the EPA Office of Environmental Justice.

CERTIFICATION

It is hereby certified that the foregoing resolution of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribal Council, governing body of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, composed of ten members, of whom constituting a quorum were present at a meeting duly held on the 2nd day of February, 2018 was adopted by the affirmative vote of seven (7) FOR and zero (0) AGAINST, with zero (0) ABSTENTIONS; pursuant to the authority contained in the Constitution and By-laws of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe.



Brenda A. Henry, Tribal Secretary
Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribal Council