



CENTRAL COUNCIL
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Executive Council of the Central Council
TLINGIT AND HAIDA INDIAN TRIBES OF ALASKA

Resolution EC/ 14-07

Title: Support to Establish a Southeast Alaska Tribal Conservation District

WHEREAS, Central Council Tlingit and Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska (Central Council) is a federally recognized tribe of more than 29,000 tribal citizens worldwide; and

WHEREAS, Central Council recognizes the importance of addressing our traditionally gathered resources and economic development through the utilization of the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) and other federal programs.

WHEREAS, the Central Council would like to establish a Southeast Alaska Tribal Conservation District to benefit the Alexander Archipelago, Southeast Alaska residents, and visitors; and

WHEREAS, the Central Council will collaborate with other agencies and Southeast Alaska tribal natural resources departments to prioritize and develop a long range natural resource plan to establish a Southeast Alaska Tribal Conservation District.

WHEREAS, technical and cost-sharing assistance by the USDA will be provided to the Central Council and Southeast tribes to establish a Southeast Alaska Tribal Conservation District and develop a natural resource plan; and

WHEREAS, the Southeast Alaska Tribal Conservation District will develop and implement by-laws for establishing and governing the Southeast Alaska Tribal Conservation District Board of Supervisors to cooperatively protect and enhance our natural resources.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Executive Council hereby authorizes the Central Council President or the Chief Operating Officer to enter into cooperative working agreements with the USDA and other agencies to create a Southeast Alaska Tribal conservation district and develop a long range natural resources plan.

ADOPTED this 22nd day of February 2014, by the Executive Council of the Central Council of Tlingit and Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska, by a vote of 6 yeas, 0 nays, 0 abstentions and 0 absences.

CERTIFY



President Edward K. Thomas

ATTEST



Tribal Secretary Harold Houston, Sr.