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RESOLUTION #03-03-05

Support for the Western Tribal Diabetes Project to Continue to Build upon its Collaborative Activities with the California Area

Whereas, the Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board (NPAIHB), a tribal organization founded in 1972, represents forty-three Federally-recognized Indian tribes in Oregon, Washington and Idaho on health related issues, and

Whereas, the Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board is dedicated to assisting and promoting the health needs and concerns of Indian people, and

Whereas, the primary goal of the NPAIHB is to improve the health and quality of life of its member tribes, and

Whereas, the Western Tribal Diabetes Project (WTDP) consists of three divisions representing the Northwest, California and National and delivers its services through support from the NPAIHB office and site visits to participating tribes; and

Whereas, the WTDP would like to further develop its capacity and continue to build on its efforts with the California Area so that Northwest tribes can benefit from the diabetes outcomes resulting from this collaboration; and

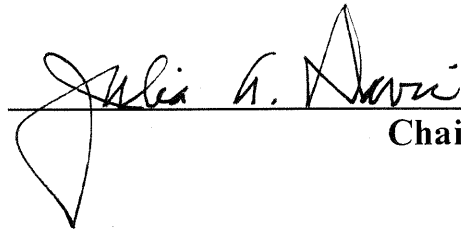
Whereas, the WTDP will be working with the California Area to identify additional areas of funding to support collaboration to continue tribal capacity building through diabetes registries, estimating and evaluating the burden of disease from diabetes and conducting prevention activities.

Now Therefore be it Resolved that the Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board supports the WTDP in their efforts to continue to build upon the collaboration with the California Area and to seek additional funding for its projects as long as the resources that will be applied for are not in competition with Northwest tribes.

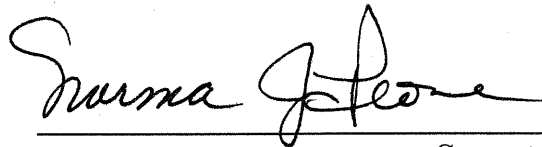
CERTIFICATION

NO. 03-03-05

The foregoing resolution was duly adopted at the regular session of the Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board. A quorum being present and voting; 28 for, 0 against, 0 abstain on April 17, ~~2002~~₂₀₀₃



Chairman



Secretary

April 17, 2003
Date