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RESOLUTION # 05-03-11

**Support of Development of National Diabetes Project Training Curriculum
National Diabetes Project for currently funded Tribal Epi Centers**

WHEREAS, the Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board (NPAIHB) is a tribal organization under P.L. 93-638 that 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 Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board is to improve the health and quality of life of its member tribes; and

WHEREAS, the Northwest Tribal Epidemiology Center (EpiCenter) and the Great Lakes Epidemiology Centers have been established to support Tribal communities in their efforts to improve health by assisting with data needs through partnership, training development, curriculum, community based research, education and technical assistance; and

WHEREAS, the EpiCenter currently operates the Western Tribal Diabetes Project (WTDP) that has a national component funded to provide technical assistance to other EpiCenters and tribal organizations in developing a national model to build capacity for data collection systems such as monitoring, tracking, case management, reporting, and utilization; and

WHEREAS, the Special Diabetes Programs for Indians (SDPI) has awarded 38 sites in the Northwest; and

WHEREAS, the WTDP has been invited by the IHS Division of Diabetes Treatment and Prevention to submit a grant application for the continuation and development of curriculum, tools, and use of diabetes audit information to identify training needs and technical assistance for the Special Diabetes Program for Indians programs in the Northwest using established curriculum such as the Native Fitness and the Diabetes Screening Toolkit for continued updating and enhancement; and

WHEREAS, the objectives of this project are consistent with the goals of the NPAIHB and the EpiCenter to promote the health and quality of life of American Indian and Alaska Native people.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board supports the submission of a National Diabetes grant to support the continued efforts of national component the Western Tribal Diabetes Project.

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CERTIFICATION

NO. 05-03-11

The foregoing resolution was duly adopted at the regular session of
the Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board. A quorum
being present and voting: _____ for, _____ against,
_____ abstain on _____, 2005.

Paul Copamy Baker

Chairman

Date _____

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Secretary

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