

NORTHWEST PORTLAND AREA INDIAN HEALTH BOARD

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RESOLUTION # 20-02-05

APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING WAIVER OF SOVEREIGN IMMUNITY FOR PURPOSES OF INSURANCE POLICIES WITH STANDARD INSURANCE COMPANY

WHEREAS, the Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board (hereinafter "NPAIHB") was established in 1972 to assist Tribal governments to improve the health status and quality of life of Indian people; and

WHEREAS, the NPAIHB is dedicated to assisting and promoting the health needs and concerns of Indian people; and

WHEREAS, the NPAIHB wishes to enter into certain insurance policy agreements with Standard Insurance Company ("Standard"); and

WHEREAS, the NPAIHB wishes to waive its sovereign immunity from suit with respect to any claims brought by Standard in federal or state court arising from or relating to any group insurance policies issued to it by Standard;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the NPAIHB hereby authorizes its Executive Director to execute a limited waiver of sovereign immunity from suit for claims arising from or relating to group insurance policies issued to NPAIHB by Standard.

CERTIFICATION

NO. 20-02-05

The foregoing resolution was duly adopted at the regular session of the Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board. A quorum being established; ______5 ___ for, _____0 ____ against, _____0 ____ abstain on ______January 31, 2020.

Chairman

Jenuary 31, 2020

Secretary

Ratified on June 5, 2020 at NPAIHB Virtual Quarterly Board meeting