



CENTRAL COUNCIL
Tlingit and Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska
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Executive Council of the Central Council
TLINGIT & HAIDA INDIAN TRIBES OF ALASKA

Resolution EC 23-29

Title: Authorization to Apply for Cost-of-Living Adjustment and Quality Improvement Funds

WHEREAS, the Central Council of Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska (Tlingit & Haida) is a federally recognized tribe with more than 35,000 citizens; and

WHEREAS, under Article X of the Tlingit & Haida Constitution, the Executive Council is the governing body of Tlingit & Haida when the Tribal Assembly is not in session; and

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WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida administers the Head Start program, whose purpose is to promote school readiness by enhancing the social, physical, and cognitive development of children; and

WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida has over 40 years of experience serving children and families through Head Start, providing quality early childhood educational services that promote school readiness, grounded in a mission to respectfully nurture families and their children to grow, participate in life with confidence and awareness, and use their strengths to reach their full potential; and

WHEREAS, Tlingit & Haida is eligible to apply for \$221,903 in Cost-of-Living Adjustment funds and for \$74,151 Quality Improvement grant as authorized by the Fiscal Year Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2023; and

WHEREAS, Tlingit and Haida intends to apply for up to \$296,054 in COLA and Quality Improvement funds from the Fiscal Year 2023 Consolidated Appropriations Act;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Executive Council of the Central Council of Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska hereby authorizes the Tlingit & Haida President, or designee, to submit, negotiate, execute, and administer any and all documents, including any subsequent amendments, that are required by the Office of Head Start for granting funds to Tlingit & Haida for the proposed Cost-of-Living Adjustment and Quality Improvement funds.

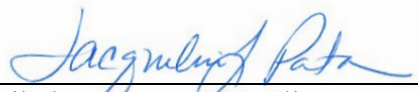
ADOPTED this 17th day of April 2023, by the Executive Council of the Central Council of Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska, by a vote of 6 yeas, 0 nays, 0 abstentions and 0 absences.

CERTIFY



President Richard J. Peterson

ATTEST



Tribal Secretary Jacqueline L. Pata