



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

Resolution EC/ 14-05

Title: Authority to Apply for CAPSIS Funding

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, the mission statement for the Head Start Program is 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, the Tlingit and Haida Head Start program serves a minimum of 262 students, ages three to five year old children. Our service area in Southeast Alaska and we serve 10 communities: Angoon, Craig, Hoonah, Juneau, Klawock, Petersburg, Saxman, Sitka, Wrangell, and Yakutat; and

WHEREAS, the Tlingit and Haida Head Start program is a free federal program, for pre-school aged children from low-income families. Program services include two nutritious meals per day, access to medical and dental health services, as well as mental health and disabilities services. Family development services include parent involvement, goal setting and family visits; and

WHEREAS, the Head Start program uses the buses to transport students to and from school and field trips; and

WHEREAS, all Head Start Buses are aged 15 years or older. All Head Start buses are inspected before transport of children, however bus maintenance is challenging due to the age of the fleet. We need to phase out all of them starting with Craig or Klawock buses; and

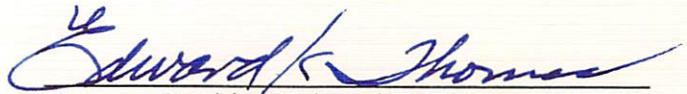
WHEREAS, the Alaska Legislative Capital Project Submission and Information System (CAPSIS) funding can be utilized for health, safety, and education projects;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Executive Council hereby authorizes the Business and Economic Development Department to apply to the Alaska Legislative Capital Project Submission and Information System (CAPSIS) for \$1,300,000 funding request for the purchase of new Head Start buses.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Executive Council hereby authorizes the Central Council President or the Chief Operating Officer to submit, negotiate, execute, and administer any and all documents and contracts that are required from CAPSIS for granting funds to the Central Council for the proposed Head Start buses, and managing funds on behalf of this entity, including any subsequent amendments to the said agreement.

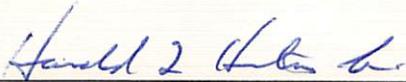
ADOPTED this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January 2014, by the Executive Council of the Central Council of Tlingit and Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska, by a vote of 6 yeas, 0 nays, 0 abstentions and 0 absences.

**CERTIFY**



President Edward K. Thomas

**ATTEST**



Tribal Secretary Harold Houston, Sr.