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Executive Council of the Central Council
TLINGIT AND HAIDA INDIAN TRIBES OF ALASKA

Resolution EC/ 14-41

Title: SouthEast Alaska Regional Health Consortium Advisory Seat Position

By: Office of the President

WHEREAS, the Central Council Tlingit and Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska (Central Council) is a federally recognized tribe in Southeast Alaska with more than 29,000 tribal citizens worldwide of which approximately 16,000 live in Southeast Alaska; and

WHEREAS, healthcare is very important to all Tlingit, Haida and Tsimshian people; and

WHEREAS, the SouthEast Alaska Regional Health Consortium (SEARHC) contracts for funding from Indian Health Services (IHS) for the healthcare of our people; and

WHEREAS, it is important that Central Council have a voice in decisions made on the healthcare of our tribal citizens; and

WHEREAS, many communities that Central Council represent receive SEARHC services and have no official voice on the SEARHC Board of Directors (Ketchikan, Metlakatla, Pelican, Tenakee, and Thorne Bay); and

WHEREAS, Central Council fully supports the efforts of SEARHC and its mission to improve the health status of all of our people;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Central Council Tlingit and Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska respectfully petitions for a non-voting advisory seat to the SEARHC Board of Directors as outlined in the SEARHC Bylaws under Section 4.2.3

ADOPTED this 18th day of June 2014, by the Executive Committee of Central Council of Tlingit and Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska.

CERTIFY



President Richard J. Peterson

ATTEST



Tribal Secretary Jolene Edenshaw