



2012 Mid-Year Convention Lincoln City, Oregon

RESOLUTION #12 - 42

“ALTERNATE APPOINTMENT TO TRIBAL /INTERIOR BUDGET COUNCIL”

PREAMBLE

We the members of the Affiliated Tribes of Northwest Indians of the United States, invoking the divine blessing of the Creator upon our efforts and purposes, in order to preserve for ourselves and our descendants rights secured under Indian Treaties, Executive Orders, and benefits to which we are entitled under the laws and constitution of the United States and several states, to enlighten the public toward a better understanding of the Indian people, to preserve Indian cultural values, and otherwise to promote the welfare of the Indian people, do hereby establish and submit the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Affiliated Tribes of Northwest Indians (ATNI) are representatives of and advocates for national, regional, and specific tribal concerns; and

WHEREAS, ATNI is a regional organization comprised of American Indians/Alaska Natives and tribes in the states of Washington, Idaho, Oregon, Montana, Nevada, Northern California, and Alaska; and

WHEREAS, the health, safety, welfare, education, economic and employment opportunity, and preservation of cultural and natural resources are primary goals and objectives of the ATNI; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal /Interior Budget Council (TIBC) protocol indicates each Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) region will consist of two full member and one alternate TIBC positions, with each serving two year terms; and

WHEREAS, the representatives shall be elected by the ATNI Executive Council when convened; and

WHEREAS, the elected representatives will 1) be an elected tribal leader, and 2) be from the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) Northwest Region; and

WHEREAS, Joel Moffett has been elected by the ATNI Executive Council to serve a two-year term as the (BIA) Northwest Regional Alternate; now

WHEREAS, the regional representatives will promote the Northwest priorities as determined by the ATNI Executive Council, at quarterly TIBC meetings; and

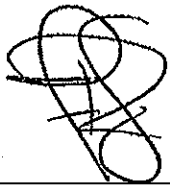
WHEREAS, the regional TIBC representatives will report back annually to the ATNI membership during the Winter convention; now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the ATNI Executive Council, hereby, elects (name of individual), to serve as a NW alternate to TIBC.

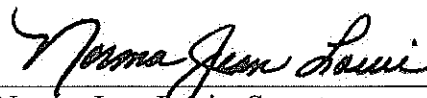
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, Joel Moffett shall faithfully execute all duties and responsibilities of this position, as required by the TIBC Protocols.

CERTIFICATION

The foregoing resolution was adopted at the 2012 Mid-Year Convention of the Affiliated Tribes of Northwest Indians, held at Chinook Winds Casino Resort, Lincoln City, Oregon on May 21 – May 24, 2012 with a quorum present.



Fawn Sharp, President



Norma Jean Louie, Secretary