A RESOLUTION OF THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE
DELWARE TRIBE OF INDIANS TO AUTHORIZE THE
ESTABLISHMENT OF THE DELWARE TRIBE FIRE
DEPARTMENT

RESOLUTION 2014-18

WHEREAS, Article V of the Delaware Tribe of Indians Constitution and Bylaws grants the
Delaware Tribal Council the power to represent the Delaware Tribe and act in all matters that
concern the general welfare of the tribe; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribal Council recognizes the importance to protect the human and
physical resources from injury or damage due to fire or related hazards; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribal Council declares a tribal fire department facilitates public safety
through fire prevention, community education and policy initiatives; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribal Council reviewed the attached Mission, Purpose, Goals, Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribal Council declares the creation of the Delaware Tribe of Indians
Fire Department which will fall under the Delaware Tribe of Indians Emergency Management
Program and operate in accordance with all applicable tribal policies and applicable codes; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribal Council recognizes and appreciates the efforts of Tribal members
and employees who have established communications with community partners and encourages
continued and future dialogue; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribal Council encourages the program to identify available funding and
opportunities which contribute to the growth and future sustainability of the program; and,

NOW THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED, the Delaware Tribal Council does hereby establish
the Delaware Tribe of Indians Fire Department.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing was considered by the Delaware Tribal Council of the Delaware
Tribe of Indians and adopted this 17th day of April 2014 with a vote of 5 yes,
0 no, and 0 abstaining.

Paula Pechonick, Chief

Verna Crawford, Secretary