A RESOLUTION OF THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF
THE DELAWARE TRIBE OF INDIANS TO
AUTHORIZE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE
LENAPE CULTURAL CENTER PLANNING GRANT

RESOLUTION 2015-52

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

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribal Council of the Delaware Tribe of Indians adopts this resolution to authorize the implementation of the Lenape Cultural Center Planning Grant; and,

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribe of Indians is federally recognized by the Secretary of the U.S. Department of the Interior, as evidenced by the certified results of the Secretarial election held May 26, 2009 in which the Delaware Tribe of Indians voted to adopt a constitution reorganizing under the Oklahoma Indian Welfare Act; and,

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribe has been awarded $15,000 from Tides Foundation, on the recommendation of the Cultural Resource Fund, advised by the MICA Group, to begin planning a cultural center to be built on Tribal property; and,

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribe has accepted the planning grant in the amount of $15,000, and it is in the best interest of the Delaware Tribe to assign planning responsibilities to an existing employee as an addition to their duties; and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Delaware Tribal Council of the Delaware Tribe of Indians does hereby authorize and approve the appointment of the Culture Resource Director to complete the planning grant in a timely manner and to the best of their abilities.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing was considered by the Delaware Tribal Council of the Delaware Tribe of Indians and adopted this 7th day of October, 2015 with a vote of 5 yes, 0 no, and 1 abstaining.

Chet Brooks, Chief

K. Michael, Secretary