A RESOLUTION OF THE TRIBAL COUNCIL
OF THE DELAWARE TRIBE OF INDIANS TO
APPROVE AN INVESTMENT PLAN FOR THE
DEVELOPMENT OF A LENAPE CULTURAL CENTER

RESOLUTION 2016-13

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 an Investment Plan for the development of a Lenape Cultural Center.

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribe was awarded a Cultural Resource Fund, Phase 1 grant managed by the MICA Foundation to consult with all five Delaware tribes on the development of a Cultural Center.

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribe would like to have a Cultural Center that would house, among other offices, the Lenape Language Program, Tribal Museum, Library and Archives and classrooms for the culture and language classes.

WHEREAS, the Investment Plan would invest 50% of the revenue from the Tribal Consultation fees into the planning and development of a Cultural Center. The remaining 50% of the Tribal Consultation fees would be divided with 30% of the revenue to support the Delaware Tribe Historic Preservation Office and 20% for Tribal Indirect Costs.

WHEREAS, nothing in this resolution would limit the Tribal Council’s ability to alter, modify or void this Investment Plan, either by a resolution or by motion, if for any reason the need to do so should arise.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Delaware Tribal Council of the Delaware Tribe of Indians does hereby authorize and approve the Investment Plan for the development of a Lenape Cultural Center.
CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing was considered by the Delaware Tribal Council of the Delaware Tribe of Indians and adopted this ______ day of ______________ 2016 with a vote of ____ yes, ____ no, and ____ abstaining.

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Chet Brooks, Chief                        Attested by: Annette Ketchum, Secretary