

A RESOLUTION OF THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE DELAWARE TRIBE OF INDIANS TO APPLY FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FEASIBILITY STUDY FUNDING PROGRAM

RESOLUTION 2019-32

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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 apply for the Economic Development Feasibility Study Funding Program from the Native American Business Development Institute, under the Bureau of Indian Affairs, FY 2019-2020 for \$45,000;

WHEREAS, The proposed study is needed to identify the objectives, goals, strengths, weaknesses, opportunities and threats to the Delaware Tribe of Indian's economic development aspirations to develop the facility to implement technology for Municipal Solid Waste Conversion to Electric Energy. Energy development is a powerful tool to help bring economic growth, jobs, and independence to tribal communities.

WHEREAS, The Delaware Tribe of Indians is willing to consider pursuing the economic opportunity which is the focus of the grant due to the possible economic opportunity for countries (including tribal nations) to invent, manufacture and export clean energy technologies. Clean energy is also concurrently part of the core value systems of our Delaware Tribe. This means we would be able to generate economic development while continuing to comply with the future demands in climate adaptations. The feasibility study will go hand in hand with our previous Climate Change grant award;

WHEREAS, The Delaware Tribe has a working relationship with consultants, Native American Environmental Group (NAEG) and CHAMCO, INC, and will continue to work with said consultant through the feasibility study;

WHEREAS, The Delaware Tribe of Indians will consider public release of information obtained from the feasibility study to necessary reporting agencies.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Delaware Tribal Council of the Delaware Tribe of Indians does hereby authorize and approve the grant application to Economic Development Feasibility Study Funding Program from the Native American Business Development Institute, under the Bureau of Indian Affairs, FY 2019-2020.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing was considered by	
Tribe of Indians and adopted this <u>28</u> day of <u>J</u>	une 2019 with a vote of <u>5</u> yes,
no, and _O_ abstaining.	
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Chet Brooks, Chief	Attested by: Charles Randall, Assistant Chief

