A RESOLUTION OF THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE
DELWARE TRIBE OF INDIANS TO APPLY TO THE
COMMUNITY CHALLENGE GRANT (FLAGSHIP
GRANT) FROM THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF
RETIRER PERSONS (AARP) TO FUND A PROPOSAL
TO PROVIDE TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION TO
DELWARE TRIBAL ELDERS AGE 50+

RESOLUTION 2023-19

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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, pursuant to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Delaware Tribe of Indians, the Tribe's governing body is the Delaware Tribal Council; and

WHEREAS, the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) is accepting applications for the AARP Community Challenge Grant (Flagship Grant); and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribe of Indians desires to participate in this grant program to the greatest extent possible as a means of providing a spectrum of high-quality training to Delaware Tribal elders age 50+ to learn to use a tablet computer (iPad) during four Lunch and Learn sessions at the Title VI site, provided by Tri-County Tech; and

WHEREAS, the AARP Community Challenge Grant (Flagship Grant) will provide funding which will provide Delaware Tribal elders age 50+ with new ways to accomplish tasks that are relevant for maintaining independence, such as shopping, banking, and communication using technology in a secure effective way. For those with limitations, the technology can provide community engagement and interaction between Delaware Tribal elders age 50+ to use email, Apps, Web browsing, the camera function and to keep current on what's important to them, causing less feelings of isolation; and

WHEREAS, the AARP Community Challenge Grant (Flagship Grant) will provide the funding needed to utilize Tri-County Tech's proposal that includes training and education to 35 Delaware Tribal elders age 50+ during four Lunch and Learn sessions located at the Title VI site (Title VI will provide the space for training and lunch area, projector or screen for the meeting room). Also, included in the proposal is 35 iPads, cases, and screen protectors, printed training materials, and lunch for all sessions. Sessions will be held in the morning and afternoon, due to class size needing to be small, for enhanced instruction training. Delaware Tribal elders age 50+ will learn about technology and can actively participate in a community activity with others.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, The Delaware Tribal Council of the Delaware Tribe of Indians does hereby authorize and approve the application submission for the AARP Community Challenge Grant (Flagship Grant), the maximum funding amount of $50,000, and designates the Executive Director of Tribal Operations as the Authorizing Official to sign all documents relating to the AARP Community Challenge Grant (Flagship Grant).
CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing was considered by the Delaware Tribal Council of the Delaware Tribe of Indians and adopted this 15 day of FEBRUARY 2023 with a vote of 7 yes, 0 no, and 0 abstaining.

Brad KillsCrow, Chief

Attested by: Bruce Martin, Secretary