



**A RESOLUTION OF THE TRIBAL COUNCIL
OF THE DELAWARE TRIBE OF INDIANS TO
UTILIZE LATCF TO PURCHASE EQUIPMENT
FOR TRIBAL RECORD PRESERVATION**

RESOLUTION 2024-89

Sponsored by Tonya Anna

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 under Article V has the authority "to manage and control community tribal property, enterprises, and other economic projects and programs of the Delaware Tribe"; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribe was allocated funding from the Local Assistance and Tribal Consistency Fund (LATCF) from the U.S. Department of the Treasury established under the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA); and

WHEREAS, the purpose of LATCF is to provide additional resources to help tribal governments recover from the public health and economic crisis caused by the coronavirus pandemic, and is to be treated as equivalent to self-generated funds to support local governance, tribal sovereignty, and community development; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribal Council maintains records of official Tribal Council correspondence, meeting minutes, resolutions, tribal ordinances, and other historical documents for the continuity of governmental operations, accountability, and transparency; and

WHEREAS, the maintenance and preservation of these tribal records are essential for legal compliance, historical research, and safeguarding sensitive tribal information; and

WHEREAS, the existing record preservation infrastructure and equipment are insufficient to meet the evolving needs of the Tribe and the tribe's crucial records may be a risk in the untimely event of disaster or security breach; and

WHEREAS, to safeguard invaluable tribal records and historical documents, the Delaware Tribal Council wishes to acquire improved equipment for record preservation, which will fulfill legal obligations, protect cultural documents and artifacts, and support the longevity of Delaware Tribal history.

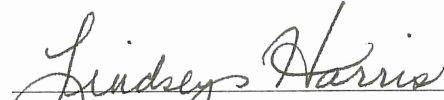
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, The Delaware Tribal Council of the Delaware Tribe of Indians does hereby authorize and approve to the utilization of ARPA-LATCF funds to Purchase Equipment for Tribal Record Preservation.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing was considered by the Delaware Tribal Council of the Delaware Tribe of Indians and adopted this 28 day of AUGUST 2024 with a vote of 7 yes, 0 no, and 0 abstaining.



Brad KillsCrow, Chief


Attested by: Lindsey Harris, Secretary