

## A RESOLUTION OF THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE DELAWARE TRIBE OF INDIANS TO APPROVE FAMILY AND CHILDREN SERVICES TO APPLY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2025 FAMILY VIOLENCE PREVENTION AND SERVICES DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTER AND SUPPORTIVE SERVICES GRANTS TO NATIVE AMERICANS (FVPSA)

## **RESOLUTION 2025-15**

Sponsored by Bonnie Jo Griffith

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 Administration on Children and Families (ACYF) and the Family and Youth Services (FYSB) announces the availability of funding through its Division of Family Violence Prevention Services (FVPSA Program) is accepting applications for the Standing Announcement Family Violence Prevention Services Domestic Violence Shelter (FVPSA) and Supportive Services Grants to Native Americans; and

WHEREAS, the FVPSA grant is designed to assist tribes in their efforts to support the establishment, maintenance, and expansion of programs and projects to prevent incidents of family violence, domestic violence, and dating violence; to provide immediate shelter, supportive services, and access to community-based programs for victims of family violence, domestic violence, or dating violence, and their dependents; and to provide specialized services for children exposed to family violence, domestic violence, or dating violence, including underserved populations, and victims who are members of underserved populations; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribe of Indians desires to participate in this grant program to the greatest extent possible as a means of assisting the Family and Children Services Domestic Violence program with the following efforts: 1) prevent incidents of family violence, domestic violence, and dating violence; and 2) provide immediate shelter and supportive services for victims of family violence, domestic violence, or dating violence and their dependents; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribal Council of the Delaware Tribe of Indians adopts this resolution; to express the desire of the Tribe to approve the submission of the fiscal year 2025 Family Violence Prevention Services Domestic Violence Shelter and Supportive Services Grant to Native Americans grant application; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, The Delaware Tribal Council of the Delaware Tribe of Indians does hereby authorize and approve the submission of the fiscal year 2025 Family Violence Prevention Services Domestic Violence Shelter and Supportive Services Grant to Native Americans grant application.

## CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the forego	ng was considered by the Delaware Tribal Council of the Delawa	ire
Tribe of Indians and adopted	ng was considered by the Delaware Tribal Council of the Delawa is <b>18</b> day of <b>December</b> 2024 with a vote of <b>6</b> yes,	
Ono, and O abstaining.		

Brad KillsCrow, Chief

Attested by: Lindyey Harris, Secretary