

Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribal Council

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RESOLUTION NO.: PL 111-22

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RESOLUTION OF THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE PYRAMID LAKE PAIUTE TRIBE NIXON, NEVADA

WHEREAS, the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, is organized pursuant to the provisions of Section 16 of the Indian Reorganization Act, (25 U.S.C. 476) and is Federally recognized by the United States Government through the Secretary of the Interior to work with the Bureau of Reclamation; and

WHEREAS, the Bureau of Reclamation is soliciting for eligible projects under its – California – Great Basin Region to approve all eligible projects for funding considerations in which funds are used to conduct tasks that prevent the introduction of invasive quagga and zebra mussels, complete early-detection monitoring for aquatic invasive species on the lower Truckee River and Pyramid Lake, and provide public outreach and education on Indian Trust lands for the benefit of the threatened and endangered fish species and the Tribe; and

WHEREAS, the grant program provides funding to protect western ecosystems through support and/or establishment of prevention programs, coordination between jurisdictions, to increase the effectiveness of outreach and education efforts in order to advance activities that will prevent the spread of quagga and zebra mussels, and conduct early-detection monitoring for any new infestations that impact Tribal Trust Resources where such species are not already established; and

WHEREAS, the management of aquatic invasive species on the Pyramid Lake Paiute Reservation through prevention, early-detection monitoring, and outreach and education would allow the tribe to provide better aquatic and terrestrial impact on the Fishery and other Tribal Trust Resources and facilitate long term goals to enhance water quality and spawning habitat; and

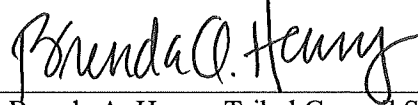
WHEREAS, the proposal being submitted is consistent with planning and development efforts towards other restoration and river resources on the Pyramid Lake Indian Reservation for the betterment of the Tribe and its members.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribal council hereby approves, supports, and authorizes the submittal of the proposal to the Bureau of Reclamation – California – Great Basin Region Grant to perform Aquatic Invasive Species Management tasks on the lower Truckee River and Pyramid Lake.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Tribal Chairwoman or designee is hereby authorized to negotiate and sign all grant awards and other future administrative documents necessary for project award and implementation.

CERTIFICATION

It is hereby certified that the foregoing resolution of the Pyramid Lake Tribal Council, governing body of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, composed of ten members, of whom nine (9) constituting a quorum were present at a meeting duly held on the 19th day of October 2022, was adopted by the affirmative vote of eight (8) FOR and zero (0) AGAINST, with zero (0) ABSTENTIONS; pursuant to the authority contained in the constitution and By-Laws of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe.



Brenda A. Henry, Tribal Council Secretary
PYRAMID LAKE PAIUTE TRIBAL COUNCIL