Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribal Council

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> RESOLUTION NO.: PL 080-23 USFWS Tribal Wildlife Grant

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 and the Bureau of Indian Affairs; and
- WHEREAS, the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, pursuant to Article VI, Section 1 of the Constitution and By-laws of the Tribe,
- WHEREAS, with the adoption of Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe Resolution PL 66-08, the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe recognized the importance to provide protection for the physical, chemical, and biological integrity within the PLIR, and provided for the ability to regulate habitat protection for plant and wildlife species dependent upon the Truckee River and Pyramid Lake water resources; furthermore,
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council recognizes the importance of protecting sensitive species throughout the PLIR. Bighorn sheep (*Ovis canadensis*) as a reintroduced species with low population density is designates as such, a 'species of protection' through Resolution PL 125-18; furthermore,
- **WHEREAS**, the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe shall seek technical assistance and funding for the development of Tribal conservation and management plans to promote the maintenance, restoration, enhancement, and health of ecosystems upon which bighorn sheep depend.
- WHEREAS, the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe's Tribal Wildlife Grant includes support for wildlife education, and population monitoring.
- **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribal Council hereby approves, supports, and authorizes the submittal of the forward-funding Fiscal Year 2023 proposal U.S. Fish and Wildlife Services, Tribal Wildlife Grant (F23AS00257)

CERTIFICATION

It is hereby certified that the foregoing resolution of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribal Council, governing body of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, composed of ten members, of whom constituting a quorum were present at a meeting duly held on the <u>21st</u> day of <u>June</u>, 2023, was adopted by the affirmative vote of <u>six (6)</u> FOR and <u>zero (0)</u> AGAINST, with <u>zero (0)</u> 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