

**CROW TRIBAL LEGISLATURE
OCTOBER 3, 2013 SPECIAL SESSION**

CLB No. 13-06

INTRODUCED BY DARRIN OLD COYOTE, CHAIRMAN
CROW TRIBAL EXECUTIVE BRANCH

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED:

**“APPROVAL OF THE ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE OPERATION OF THE CROW
TRIBAL GOVERNMENT AND THE EXPENDITURE OF TRIBAL REVENUE FOR
FISCAL YEAR 2014.”**

WHEREAS, Article IV, Section 3(d) of the Crow Tribal Constitution and Bylaws requires the Executive Branch of the Crow Tribal Government to prepare an annual budget for the operation of the Tribal Government, including separate budgets for the Legislative and Judicial Branches, for approval by the Legislative Branch and the Secretary of the Interior; and

WHEREAS, Article V, Section 2(e) of the Constitution empowers the Legislative Branch to grant final approval or disapproval of the annual budget prepared by the Executive Branch; and

WHEREAS, a budget for the expenditure of Crow Tribal revenue has been developed by the Executive Branch for the Fiscal Year 2014 commencing on October 1, 2013 and ending September 30, 2014 from the following sources of Tribal revenue:

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| 1. General Fund of the Crow Tribe | \$ | 27,153,896 |
| 2. 107th Judgment Fund | \$ | 2,788,100 |
| 3. Indirect Cost Fund | \$ | <u>2,520,000</u> |
| TOTAL | \$ | 32,461,996 |

WHEREAS, the Executive Branch has presented the attached line item budget for all three branches of the Crow Tribal Government;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE CROW TRIBAL LEGISLATURE:

Section 1. Approval of the 2014 fiscal year budget for the expenditure of Crow Tribal revenue. The attached 2014 fiscal year budget for the operation of the Crow Tribal Government and the expenditure of Tribal revenues prepared by the Executive Branch and reviewed by the Legislative Branch is hereby approved by the Crow Tribal Legislature.

Section 2. No budget amendments necessary for 2014 fiscal year. All additional, un-budgeted revenues received by the Crow Tribe during the 2014 fiscal year shall be available for expenditure under this Act without the need for budget amendments.

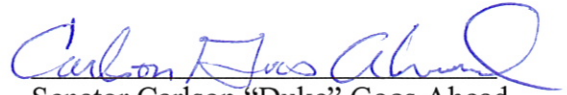
The Executive Branch will have discretion to make expenditures from all such funds within the control of the Crow Tribe for all such tribal purposes, including Tribal Cash Liabilities, as identified in this Act, provided that all additional, un-budgeted revenues received by the Crow Tribe will be reported by the Executive Branch to the Revenue Committee of the Legislature on a quarterly basis.

Section 3. Tribal mineral royalties, special per-capita account. All mineral royalties paid to the credit of the Crow Tribe shall be directly deposited by the Office of Special Trustee in a special tribal revenue account separate and apart from the Crow Tribal General Fund and shall only be available for expenditure for the purpose of per-capita distribution to the enrolled tribal membership. Any additional mineral royalties received shall also be directly deposited into the special revenue account described herein and shall be distributed via per-capita payments to the enrolled tribal membership.

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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that this Bill for an Act entitled "APPROVAL OF THE ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE OPERATION OF THE CROW TRIBAL GOVERNMENT AND THE EXPENDITURE OF TRIBAL REVENUE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014" was duly approved by the Crow Tribal Legislature with a vote of 18 in favor, 0 opposed, and 0 abstained, and that a quorum was present on this 3rd day of October, 2013.



Senator Carlson "Duke" Goes Ahead
Speaker of the House
Crow Tribal Legislature

ATTEST:



Senator R. Knute Old Crow
Secretary
Crow Tribal Legislature



EXECUTIVE ACTION

I hereby

X approve,

_____ veto

This Bill for an Act entitled "APPROVAL OF THE ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE OPERATION OF THE CROW TRIBAL GOVERNMENT AND THE EXPENDITURE OF TRIBAL REVENUE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014" pursuant to the authority vested in the Chairman of the Crow Tribe by Article V, Section 8 of the Constitution and Bylaws of the Crow Tribe of Indians, on this 3 day of October, 2013.



Darrin Old Coyote, Chairman
Crow Tribal Executive Branch

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Bill or Resolution: CLB13-06 Introduced by: Chairman Darrin Old Coyote Date of Vote: 10/3/2013
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| <u>Representative:</u> | <u>Yes</u> | <u>No</u> | <u>Abstained</u> |
|--|------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| H. Two Leggins | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| V. Pretty Paint | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| C. J. Stewart | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| K. Shane | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| L. Other Medicine | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| A. Coyote-Runs, Sr. | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| L. Not Afraid. | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| M. Covers Up, Sr. | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| P. Alden, Jr. | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| M. Not Afraid | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| V. Crooked Arm | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| L. DeCrane | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| B. Hugs | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| G. Real Bird, Jr. | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| M. Backbone | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| G. Stewart | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| R. K. Old Crow, Sr. <i>Secretary of the House</i> | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| C. Goes Ahead <i>Speaker of the House</i> | <u>X</u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| Totals: | <u>18</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |


Result of Vote:


Passed

Not Passed

Tabled

Veto-Override

 10-3-13
 Senator Carlson Goes Ahead Date
 Speaker of the House

 10/3/13
 Senator R. Knute Old Crow, Sr. Date
 Secretary of the House