CROW TRIBAL LEGISLATURE DECEMBER 15, 2015 SPECIAL SESSION

JOINT ACTION RESOLUTION NO. JAR15-18

INTRODUCED BY DARRIN OLD COYOTE, CHAIRMAN CROW TRIBAL EXECUTIVE BRANCH

JOINT ACTION RESOLUTION OF THE CROW TRIBAL LEGISLATURE AND THE CROW TRIBAL EXECUTIVE BRANCH ENTITLED:

"RESOLUTION REQUESTING AND AUTHORIZING APPLICATION FOR A \$1 MILLION GRANT FROM THE SHAKOPEE MDEWAKANTON SIOUX COMMUNITY FOR THE ARBOR COMPLEX PROJECT."

WHEREAS, the Chairman of the Executive Branch has authority and responsibility pursuant to the "enumerated powers" in Article IV, Section 3 of the Constitution and Bylaws of the Crow Tribe of Indians to "represent the Crow Tribe of Indians in negotiations with Federal, State and local governments and other agencies, corporations, associations, or individuals in matters of welfare, education, recreation...and economic development affecting the Crow Tribe" and to "administer any funds within the control of the Tribe and make expenditures from available funds for tribal purposes"; and

WHEREAS, the Crow Tribal Legislative Branch is empowered pursuant to Article V, Section 2 of the Constitution to "promulgate and adopt laws, resolutions, ordinances, codes, regulations and guidelines in accordance with [the] Constitution and federal laws for the governance of the Crow Tribe of Indians"; and

WHEREAS, the Crow Tribal Arbor Complex at the Crow Fairgrounds is an important Tribal cultural facility, and as an integral part of Crow Fair and Native Days, contributes to bringing Native Nations together and attracts tourism; and

WHEREAS, the Arbor Complex is in serious need of rebuilding and repairs to address, among other things, structural and electrical defects and to protect the public safety; and

WHEREAS, the Crow Tribe has completed a Phase 1 design for the renovation and expansion of the Arbor Complex, including a 214 Ft. diameter octagonal pavilion, at an estimated cost of \$1.8 million; and

WHEREAS, the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community Business Council has funds available for grants to assist with Tribal projects, and requires a Tribal resolution from all Tribes requesting grants;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CROW TRIBAL LEGISLATURE AND THE CROW TRIBAL EXECUTIVE BRANCH:

- Section 1. The Crow Tribal Legislative and Executive Branches strongly support the Arbor Complex Project and hereby respectfully request the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community Business Council to award a \$1 million grant to the Crow Tribe for the renovation of the Crow Tribal Arbor Complex.
- Section 2. The Chairman of the Executive Branch is hereby authorized to apply for and takes such steps as are necessary to obtain a \$1 million grant from the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community Business Council for the Crow Tribal Arbor Complex Project. The Executive Branch will ensure that the Legislative Branch and its Finance Committee will be kept informed throughout the process.
- Section 3. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon approval by the Legislative Branch and the Chairman of the Executive Branch.

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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that this Joint Action Resolution entitled "RESOLUTION REQUESTING AND AUTHORIZING APPLICATION FOR A \$1 MILLION GRANT FROM THE SHAKOPEE MDEWAKANTON SIOUX COMMUNITY FOR THE ARBOR COMPLEX PROJECT" was duly enacted by the Crow Tribal Legislature with a vote of 15 in favor 0 opposed, and 0 abstaining and that a quorum was present on this 15th day of December, 2015.

Senator R. Knute Old Crow, Sr.

Speaker of the House Crow Tribal Legislature

ATTEST:

Senator Patrick Alden, Jr.

Secretary

Crow Tribal Legislature

EXECUTIVE ACTION

I hereby	
\triangle	_approve or
	_veto.

This Joint Action Resolution entitled "RESOLUTION REQUESTING AND AUTHORIZING APPLICATION FOR A \$1 MILLION GRANT FROM THE SHAKOPEE MDEWAKANTON SIOUX COMMUNITY FOR THE ARBOR

COMPLEX PROJECT" 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 day of December, 2015.

Darrin Old Coyote, Chairman Crow Tribal Executive Branch

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Bill or Resolution: <u>JAR15-18</u> Introduced by: <u>Chairman Darrin Old Coyote</u> Date of Vote: <u>12/15/2015</u> Number

Representative:	Yes	No	Abstained	
G. Three Irons	X			
B. Rogers	X			
F. White Clay	X			
P. Hill	X			
E. Birdinground	X			
S. Real Bird	X			
V. Nomee				
T. Gros Ventre	, 		s	
V. Crooked Arm				
P. Spotted Horse, Sr.	X			
L. DeCrane	X			
C. Goes Ahead	X			
B. Hugs	s			
G. Real Bird, Jr.	X			
B. Good Luck	X	8		
H. Male Bear, Jr.	X			
P. Alden, Jr. Secretary of the House	X			
R. Old Crow, Sr. Speaker of the House	X	8		
Totals:	14	0	0	
Result of Vote:	Passed	Not Passed	Tabled Veto-Override	
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Senator R. Knute Old Crow, Sr. Date

Senator Patrick Alden, Jr.

Secretary of the House

Date

Speaker of the House