APRIL 27, 2018 SPECIAL SESSION CROW TRIBAL LEGISLATURE

LR No. 18-03

Introduced by the Health and Human Services Committee

A Legislative Resolution Titled:

A RESOLUTION OF THE CROW TRIBAL LEGISLATURE TO CONFIRM NOMINATION TO THE CROW TRIBAL CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER CABINET HEAD SOLOMON LITTLE OWL

Legislative Findings:

WHEREAS, Article V, Section 2(a) of the Crow Tribal Constitution vests the Crow Tribal Legislature (hereinafter "Legislature") with the power and duty to promulgate and adopt resolutions in accordance with the Crow Tribal Constitution and federal law for the governance of the Crow Tribe; and

WHEREAS, LR 10-20 states, the policy of the Legislature shall be that legislative resolutions are an expression of the voice of the elected Senators of the Crow Tribal Legislature, and which is based on the inherent sovereign tribal authority of the Crow Tribal General Council, as delegated to the Legislature under the 2001 Constitution; and

WHEREAS, Legislative Resolutions are utilized for confirmations of tribal officers or judges, in accordance with established and legislative procedure; and

WHEREAS, Article IV, section 5(a) states the Chairman of the Crow Tribal Executive Branch has the duty and authority to appoint Cabinet members including a comptroller who shall be bonded, Chief Executive Officer, and other such Cabinet positions adopted by Tribal Ordinance, Resolution, or Policy who shall all serve in subordinate positions to the Tribal Officials; and

WHEREAS, JAR 02-04, states the Legislative Branch of the Crow Tribe has desire to insure that persons selected for the key positions of Cabinet Heads and CEO, are adequately qualified for the positions and to insure that they are adequately qualified shall comply with the following standards, be at least twenty-five (25) years old, possess a High School Diploma or equivalent, shall have no felony convictions, to provide for the utmost protection of the Tribal membership, Tribal funds' assets and resources; and

WHEREAS, the Legislative Branch Health and Human Services Committee held a confirmation hearing on the record pursuant to Rule 31 ("Legislative Confirmation Procedure") on March 22, 2018, with a secret ballot resulting in an official unanimous recommendation for confirmation by the full Legislature.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE CROW TRIBAL LEGISLATURE IN SPECIAL SESSION:

The following individual, Solomon Little Owl, is confirmed as the Chief Executive Officer for the Executive Branch and shall exercise all duties and authorities in accordance with Crow Tribal law and applicable federal law and shall provide quarterly reporting to the Legislative Branch with guidelines contained in LR 10-21, upon entering the oath of office.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that this Legislative Resolution titled, A RESOLUTION OF THE CROW TRIBAL LEGISLATURE TO CONFIRM NOMINATIONS FOR THE CROW TRIBAL EXECUTIVE BRANCH CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, SOLOMON LITTLE OWL, was duly enacted by the Crow Tribal Legislature with a vote of 14 in favor, 1 opposed, and 0 abstaining and that a quorum was present on this 27th day of April, 2018.

Sen. Pat Alden, Jr. Speaker of the House Crow Tribal Legislature

ATTEST:

Sen. Lawrence DeCrane Secretary of the House Crow Tribal Legislature



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REPRESENTATIVE:	Yes	No	Abstained
M. White Clay	X		
D. Spotted	X		
F. White Clay	X		
L.Hogan, III			
B. Brown			
S. Real Bird	X		
V. Nomee	X		
T. Yellowtail	X		
T. Gros Ventre	X		
M. Not Afraid	X		
Vacant			
J. Demontiney	X		
B. Hugs	X		
N. Old Crow, Jr.	X		
B. Good Luck		X	
H. Stone, Jr.	X		
L. DeCrane, Secretary of the House	X		
P. Alden, Jr., Speaker of the House	X		
Total			
Total:	14	1	0
Result of Vote:	N / D I	70.11.1	W. (O
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Senator Pat Alden, Jr. Speaker of the House	Date	Senator Lawrence Secretary of the F	ce DeCrane Date

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