

2018 JUNE SPECIAL SESSION CROW TRIBAL LEGISLATURE

LR No. 18-08

Introduced by the Legislative Branch Natural Resources Committee

A Legislative Resolution titled:

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CROW TRIBAL LEGISLATURE TO CONFIRM
NOMINATION TO THE CROW COAL REGULATORY OFFICE DIRECTOR
JASON WARD**

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 legislative procedure; and

WHEREAS, CLB 10-03, section 201 (b) states the Chairman of the Crow Tribal Executive Branch has the duty and authority to appoint the Crow Coal Regulatory (hereinafter “CCRO” Director and the Crow Tribal Legislature shall be confirmed by a majority vote for the CCRO Director; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ward has demonstrated his ability to fulfil the duties as the CCRO Director with his knowledge and expertise of the Coal industry and knowledge of the purposes and provisions of the Crow Coal Regulatory Office, and

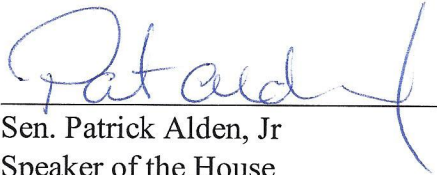
WHEREAS, the Legislative Branch Natural Resources Committee held a confirmation hearing on the record and pursuant to Rule 31 (“Legislative Confirmation Procedure”) on May 24, 2018 with a secret ballot vote which resulted in an official unanimous recommendation for confirmation by the full Legislature.

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

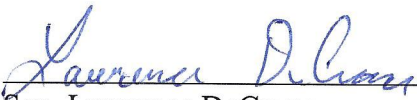
The following individual, Jason Ward, is confirmed as the Crow Coal Regulatory Office Director for the Executive Branch and shall exercise all duties and authorities in accordance with Crow Tribal law and applicable federal law and shall provide quarterly reporting to the Legislative Branch with guidelines 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 NOMINATION TO THE CROW COAL REGULATORY OFFICE DIRECTOR, JASON WARD**, was duly enacted by the Crow Tribal Legislature with a vote 15 in favor, 0 opposed, and 0 abstaining and that a quorum was present on this 7th day of June 2018.


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

ATTEST:


Sen. Lawrence DeCrane
Secretary of the House
Crow Tribal Legislature



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Bill or Resolution: LR18-08 **Introduced by:** Natural Resources Committee. **Date of Vote:** 6/7/2018
Number

REPRESENTATIVE:

	Yes	No	Abstained
M. White Clay	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
D. Spotted	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
F. White Clay	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
L.Hogan, III	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
B. Brown	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
S. Real Bird	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
V. Nomee	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
T. Yellowtail	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
T. Gros Ventre	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
M. Not Afraid	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
G. Bouyer	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
J. Demontiney	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
B. Hugs	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
N. Old Crow, Jr.	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
B. Good Luck	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
H. Stone, Jr.	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
L. DeCrane, <i>Secretary of the House</i>	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
P. Alden, Jr., <i>Speaker of the House</i>	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Total:	<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

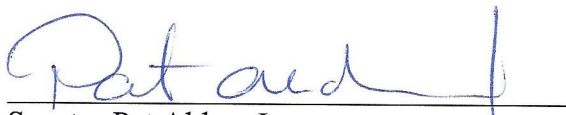
Result of Vote:

Passed


Not Passed

Tabled

Veto-Override



Senator Pat Alden, Jr.
Speaker of the House
Date 6-12-18



Senator Lawrence DeCrane
Secretary of the House
Date 6-7-18