

**RESOLUTION OF THE SUMMIT LAKE PAIUTE COUNCIL  
SUMMIT LAKE PAIUTE TRIBE**

**RESOLUTION NO.: SL- 24 -2019**

**TITLE: Approval of Modification of Not to Exceed Amount in Great Basin Institute Memorandum of Agreement**

**WHEREAS,** the Summit Lake Paiute Tribe is organized pursuant to Section 16 of Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984) as amended, with the Articles of Association, and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on January 8, 1965, granting certain powers to the Summit Lake Paiute Council; and

**WHEREAS,** the Summit Lake Paiute Council is the duly constituted governing body within the Summit Lake Paiute Reservation; and

**WHEREAS,** the Summit Lake Paiute Tribe is committed to the conservation of cultural and natural resources within the Summit Lake Indian Reservation (“Reservation”) and to the long-term protection, preservation and management of these resources; and

**WHEREAS,** the Summit Lake Paiute Tribe has a noxious weed management program requiring a labor force to implement chemical and mechanical removal of noxious weeds from the Reservation; and

**WHEREAS,** Great Basin Institute (GBI) is an interdisciplinary field studies organization that promotes environmental research, education, and conservation throughout the West and administers the Nevada Conservation Corps (NCC), a federally-funded AmeriCorps program; and

**WHEREAS,** the Summit Lake Paiute Tribe and GBI signed a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) to work cooperatively together to identify and remove invasive plant infestations on the Reservation; and

**WHEREAS,** the Tribe had requested a larger labor force than GBI thought that they could provide at the time the MOA was drafted; and

**WHEREAS,** the MOA signed contained a not to exceed amount for payment by the Tribe for work performed by GBI, which was based on GBI’s estimate of the amount of work that they could provide at the time the agreement was written; and

**WHEREAS,** when the time came for GBI to perform work at the Reservation, they were able to provide the larger labor force that the Tribe had requested; and

**WHEREAS,** the amount of labor provided by GBI was what the Tribe had originally requested, but exceeded the not to exceed amount of \$31,396.13 contained in the MOA by an additional \$5,711.09; and

**WHEREAS,** the Tribe is reliant on GBI to provide the labor for the noxious weed treatment program and the Natural Resources Department was happy with both the final size of the labor crew and the work that they performed.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Summit Lake Paiute Council hereby authorizes, approves and consents to modify the not to exceed amount in the MOA between the Tribe and GBI from \$31,396.13 to \$37,107.22; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that with this modified not to exceed amount, the Summit Lake Paiute Tribal Council hereby authorizes payment of the amount remaining on the invoice from GBI.

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I, **Eugene Mace, Sr., Secretary/Treasurer**, of the Summit Lake Paiute Council, hereby certify that the above **Resolution No.: SL- 24 -2019** was brought before the Summit Lake Paiute Tribal Council at a duly held meeting on **August 17, 2019**, with 5 members of the Tribal Council present, constituting a quorum, with the following votes to enact **Resolution No. SL-24 -2019**; 4 FOR, 0 AGAINST, and 0 ABSTAIN; with the Tribal Chairwoman presiding and not voting, this Resolution has not been rescinded, revoked or amended.

08/22/2019  
Date

Eugene Mace  
Eugene Mace, Sr., Secretary/Treasurer  
Summit Lake Tribal Council