

**RESOLUTION OF THE SUMMIT LAKE PAIUTE COUNCIL  
SUMMIT LAKE PAIUTE TRIBE  
OF THE  
SUMMIT LAKE PAIUTE RESERVATION, NEVADA**

**RESOLUTION NO: SL – 08 - 2026**

**TITLE:           Amendment to SLPT Food Pantry Policy**

**WHEREAS,** the Summit Lake Paiute Tribe is organized, pursuant to Section 16 of the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Statue 984), as amended, with the Articles of Association, and approved by the Secretary of Interior on January 08, 1965, granting certain powers to the Summit Lake Paiute Tribal Council; and,

**WHEREAS,** the Summit Lake Paiute Tribe is responsible for financial matters and the organization of operating policies to provide accountability of the benefits received by the Tribe on behalf of its members; and,

**WHEREAS,** On March 11, 2021, the President signed the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARP) (Public Law 117-2), which invests \$1.75 billion in American Indian and Alaska Native government programs administered under the oversight of the Department of the Interior’s Assistant Secretary – Indian Affairs (AS-IA); and,

**WHEREAS,** Summit Lake Paiute Tribe was awarded funding to aid tribal government services, public safety and justice, social services, food, child welfare assistance, and other related expenses; and,

**WHEREAS,** Summit Lake Paiute Tribe has created a Food Pantry to help fight hunger within our tribal membership based off donations, grants and ARPA funds; and,

**WHEREAS,** the Pantry has had issues arise which required modification to the current Food Pantry Policy in order to continue the outstanding operation of the Food Pantry Staff; and,

**WHEREAS,** the Summit Lake Paiute Council has deemed it to be in the best interest of the Tribe to modify the outline and criteria for the continuation of the Food Pantry Policy and services; and,

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Summit Lake Paiute Council, approves the amendments to the Food Pantry Policy to continue the operation with specific rules and guidelines set out.

**CERTIFICATION**

I, **Philip Frank** of the Summit Lake Paiute Council, hereby certify that the above Resolution No. **SL - 08 - 2026**, was brought before the Summit Lake Paiute Tribal Council at a duly held meeting on this **18th** day of **February 2026**, with five members of the Tribal Council present, constituting a quorum; with the following votes to enact Resolution No. **SL - 08 - 2026**: 43 FOR; 0 AGAINST; and 1 ABSTAINED; with Chairwoman presiding and not voting. This resolution has not been rescinded, revoked, nor amended.

FEB. 18 2026  
Date

Philip Frank  
Philip Frank, Secretary/Treasurer  
Summit Lake Tribal Council