

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

RESOLUTION NO: SL – 12 - 2022

**TITLE: Approval of Indian Housing Block Grant American Rescue Plan
Policy and Application**

WHEREAS, the Summit Lake Paiute Tribe is organized, pursuant to Section 16 of the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Statute 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, in the early part of 2020, multiple cases of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) appeared throughout the United States causing the State of Nevada and many other states to declare a state of emergency which included a mandatory stay at home order in place for all persons excluding essential workers. The Coronavirus was declared a National Pandemic; and,

WHEREAS, On March 11, 2021, the President signed the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARP) (Public Law 117-2), which provides \$750 million dollars in HUD resources to Indian Country to support the continued fight against COVID-19. Specifically, the ARP includes \$450 million for the Indian Housing Block Grant program, \$280 million for the Indian Community Development Block Grant program, \$5 million for the Native Hawaiian Housing Block Grant program, and \$10 million for related technical assistance resources.

WHEREAS, Summit Lake Paiute Tribe was awarded \$35,007.00 from the Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Indian Housing Block Grant American Rescue Plan (IHBG-ARP); and,

WHEREAS, The Tribal Housing Program Manager proposes the following Summit Lake Paiute Tribe's IHBG-ARP Policy and Application, to enable the tribe to meet the needs of tribal members by providing a response action in the form of Rental and Utility Assistance for eligible households impacted by COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the Summit Lake Paiute Council has deemed it to be in the best interest of the Tribe, to adopt Summit Lake Paiute Tribe's IHBG-ARP Policy and Application in an effort to aid tribal members with Emergency Rental and Utility Assistance; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Summit Lake Paiute Council, the governing body of the Summit Lake Paiute Tribe of Nevada hereby approves the adoption of the Summit Lake Paiute Tribe's IHBG-ARP Rental Assistance Policy and Application.

CERTIFICATION

I, **Eugene Mace Sr.** of the Summit Lake Paiute Council, hereby certify that the above Resolution No. **SL - 12 - 2022**, was brought before the Summit Lake Paiute Tribal Council at a duly held meeting on this **19th** day of **March 2022**, with five members of the Tribal Council present, constituting a quorum; with the following votes to enact Resolution No. **SL - 12 - 2022**: **___ FOR; ___ AGAINST; and ___ ABSTAINED;** with Chairwoman presiding and not voting. This resolution has not been rescinded, revoked, nor amended.

03/19/2022
Date

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