

**THE SUQUAMISH TRIBE
PORT MADISON INDIAN RESERVATION
RESOLUTION #2021-189**

WHEREAS, the Suquamish Tribal Council is the duly constituted governing body of the Port Madison Indian Reservation by authority of the Constitution and Bylaws for the Suquamish Tribe of the Port Madison Indian Reservation, Washington, as approved July 2, 1965, by the Under-Secretary of the Interior; and,

WHEREAS, under Article III (b) and (i) of the Constitution and Bylaws of the Suquamish Tribe, the Suquamish Tribal Council is charged with the duty of protecting and promoting the health, security, and general welfare of the Suquamish Tribe, its membership and its treaty reserved natural and other resources; and

WHEREAS, the Suquamish Tribe Natural Resources Department is mandated to protect and restore treaty reserved resources such as salmon, shellfish, and the habitat needed to sustain them within the Tribe's Treaty reserved usual and accustomed fishing grounds and stations, and fulfills this mandate, in part, by coordinating with local governments regarding land use decisions; and

WHEREAS, the Suquamish Tribe is a member of the Kitsap Regional Coordinating Council, a Council consisting of Kitsap County, local cities, ports, the Navy and Tribes, created pursuant to the Washington State Growth Management Act to coordinate land use within their respective jurisdictions; and

WHEREAS, The Suquamish Tribe depends on off-reservation resources such as salmon, shellfish and water for their economic, cultural, and individual well-being, and is committed to protection these resources in Kitsap County through meaningful participation in regional and local land use planning activities.

WHEREAS, KRCC has determined that it is in the best interest of its membership and its respective citizens to review, update and revise current Countywide Planning Policies and, pursuant to this determination, have prepared proposed amendments to the Countywide Planning Policies for review and approval by KRCC members; and

WHEREAS, Tribal Natural Resources Personnel presented these proposed amendments to the Suquamish Tribal Council in the form attached to this resolution, the Council has had an opportunity to review and discuss the proposed amendments and has determined that the amendments are acceptable to the Tribal Council.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Suquamish Tribal Council hereby approves the amendments to the Countywide Planning Policies (CPPs) as adopted by Kitsap County in the form and as presented to them:

CERTIFICATION

The foregoing resolution was duly enacted by The Suquamish Tribal Council, meeting in REGULAR SESSION on this 18th day of November, 2021, by a vote of 4 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 ABSTENTIONS, at which a quorum was present.

BY:

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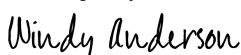


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