LUMBEE TRIBE OF NORTH CAROLINA

CLLR-2019-0125-04

DATE: JANUARY 25, 2019

Honoring Tobacco and Cultural Marketing Resolution

WHEREAS, The Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina ("Lumbee Tribe") is a recognized American Indian Tribe of the State of North Carolina, subject to the Constitution of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina ("Tribal Constitution") and its inherent powers and self-government, and;

WHEREAS, Article VII, Section 1 of the Tribal Constitution delegates all legislative authority to the Tribal Council of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina ("Tribal Council"), and;

WHEREAS, Many indigenous nations have felt the repercussions of the misuse of alcohol, drugs and tobacco among our people, including the Lumbee.

Whereas, one of the goals of the tribe is to eliminate the misuse of recreational smoking by holding educational workshops, support prevention programs and bringing health and vitality to the tribe and its members. Using sweet grass, tobacco and medicinal herbs are still used in combination with spiritual Christian practices, faith healing and even fire blowing.

WHEREAS, it is the responsibility of the Lumbee Tribe of NC’s group leadership to continue to honor what is sacred by using tobacco for ceremonial and medicinal uses.

Whereas, the State of North Carolina, Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health, Tobacco Control Division, wished to partner with the Lumbee Tribe of NC to market culturally appropriate educational materials and workshops on ceremonial and medicinal uses of tobacco and a Quit Tobacco phone line through a brochure.

THEREFORE, let it be known that, the Health Committee, and 2019 Tribal Council, support the cultural appropriate tobacco brochure designed by the State of NC, Department of Health and Human Services’ Division of Public Health, Tobacco Prevention and Control Branch, "Honor What is Sacred" brochure to teach the Lumbee membership about the tobacco addiction services offered through the NC 1-800-QUIT-NOW, and about honoring tobacco in ceremonies and as medicine.
CERTIFICATION


ATTEST: RICKY BURNETT
Speaker, Tribal Council of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina

1-25-19

ATTEST: WENDY MOORE-GRAHAM
Secretary, Tribal Council of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina

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ROLL CALL VOTE RESULTS
CLLR-2019-0125-04 “HONORING TOBACCO AND CULTURAL MARKETING RESOLUTION”
ADOPTED JANUARY 25, 2019
19 YES, 0 NO, 0 ABSTENTION(S)

District 1: Carvicous Barfield YES
District 2: Sharon Hunt YES
Janie McFarland YES
District 3: James B. Hunt YES
Vacant --------
District 4: Ted Woodell YES
District 5: Wendy Moore-Graham YES
Jarrod Lowery YES
District 6: Larry Chavis YES
Douglas Locklear ABSENT
District 7: Reginald Oxendine YES
Jan Lowery YES
Alvin Mercer YES
District 8: Corbin Eddings YES
District 9: Dewey J McNeill YES
District 10: Marshil Locklear YES
District 11: Frank Cooper YES
District 12: Annie Taylor YES
Michael Chavis YES
District 13: Ricky Burnett YES
District 14: Terry Hunt YES