

Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina

CLLR-2020-0716-01

DATE: JULY 16, 2020

“MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN LUMBEE TRIBE OF NORTH CAROLINA AND THE NORTH CAROLINA COMMISSION OF INDIAN AFFAIRS VICTIM SUPPORT PROGRAM”

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, The Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina and The North Carolina Commission of Indian Affairs agree to cooperate to serve victims of human trafficking, domestic violence and sexual assault from the American Indian community.

WHEREAS, The North Carolina Commission of Indian Affairs will provide technical support and collaboration with the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina to increase services and work towards collaboration with community resources to create better outcomes for victims of crime.

WHEREAS, The North Carolina Commission of Indian Affairs will provide the following tasks as funding allows;

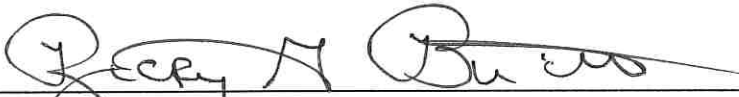
1. Fund a part time position, 20-30 hrs. per week to be paid through Temporary Solutions. This paid advocate will deliver comprehensive and linguistically appropriate case management services to victims of Human Trafficking, Domestic Violence, and Sexual Assault in the Lumbee Tribe.
2. Provide training to service providers and community partners on effective identification, referral, assessment, and trauma-informed service delivery strategies.
3. Assist the Lumbee Tribe in ensuring the advocates receive approved training through NCVAN, NCCASA, NCCADV, and NCCFW & YI.
4. Increase identification of Native American victims of sex and labor trafficking by providing outreach resources and enhancing media campaigns.
5. Aid in having an advocate attend the Unity Conference, which is the largest conference for the NC American Indian population in the state.

THEREFORE, Be it resolved, the Tribal Council of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina does hereby support and agree to work with The North Carolina Commission of Indian Affairs to:

1. Provide training on the agencies policies and procedures.
2. Provide a workspace within The Lumbee Tribal offices or UNCP.
3. Provide the advocate with a telephone and electronic equipment to communicate with victims needing assistance.
4. Work with The North Carolina Commission of Indian Affairs to promote and support the victim services program.

CERTIFICATION

THIS **CLLR-2020-0716- 01** "MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN LUMBEE TRIBE OF NORTH CAROLINA AND THE NORTH CAROLINA COMMISSION OF INDIAN AFFAIRS VICTIM SUPPORT PROGRAM", ADOPTED AT A MEETING OF THE TWENTY-ONE (21) MEMBER TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE LUMBEE TRIBE OF NORTH CAROLINA WHERE 18 MEMBERS WERE PRESENT, CONSTITUTING A QUORUM, THIS THE 16TH DAY OF JULY, 2020 BY A VOTE OF 18 YES, 0 NO, AND 0 ABSTENTION(S).



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

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ATTEST: SHARON HUNT
Secretary, Tribal Council of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina

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ROLL CALL VOTE RESULTS TO ADOPTED

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18 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 ABSTENTION(S)

District 1:	Carvicous Barfield	YES
District 2:	Sharon Hunt	YES
	Gerald Goolsby	YES
District 3:	James B. Hunt	YES
	Pam Hunt	YES
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
	Yvonne Dial	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:	Shelley Strickland	ABSENT
	Michael Chavis	YES
District 13:	Ricky Burnett	YES
District 14:	Terry Hunt	ABSENT