

Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina

CLLR-2019-0321-08

Date: March 21, 2019

PEOPLE OF THE DARK WATER

Whereas, The Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina, a recognized Tribe of the State of North Carolina Subject to the Constitution of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina and its inherent powers of self-government; and

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

Whereas, The Lumbee Tribal Council has the authority and responsibility to protect and foster the identity of the Lumbee Tribe and Tribal members; and

Whereas, The Lumbee Tribal Council has the authority and responsibility to protect and foster the culture, history, and heritage of the Lumbee Tribe and Lumbee tribal members; and

Whereas, the ancestors of the Lumbee tribal members have been living on or in close proximity of the dark waters of Lumbee River since time immemorial and documented as such for at least 250 years; and

Whereas, the ancestors of the Lumbee tribal members have always maintained a strong ceremonial connection, and affinity for the dark waters of the Lumbee River which has sustained our way of life since inception; and

THEREFORE, be it resolved, the Tribal Council of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina does hereby support and embrace the use of the verbiage People of the Dark Water to accompany our tribal name The Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina any time it is used to reaffirm our traditions, heritage, culture, and geographical identity of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina.

CERTIFICATION

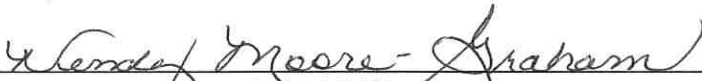
THIS CLLR-2019-0321-08 "PEOPLE OF THE DARK WATER" ADOPTED AT A MEETING OF THE TWENTY-ONE (21) MEMBER TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE LUMBEE TRIBE OF NORTH CAROLINA WHERE 19 MEMBERS WERE PRESENT, CONSTITUTING A QUORUM, THIS THE 21ST DAY OF MARCH 2019 BY A VOTE OF 15 YES, 3 NO, AND 0 ABSTENTION(S).



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

3-21-2019

Date



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

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ROLL CALL VOTE RESULTS
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ADOPTED MARCH 21, 2019
15 YES, 3 NO, 0 ABSTENSION(S)

District 1:	Carvicous Barfield	YES
District 2:	Sharon Hunt	YES
	Janie McFarland	NO
District 3:	James B. Hunt	YES
	Vacant	-----
District 4:	Ted Woodell	YES
District 5:	Wendy Moore-Graham	YES
	Jarrod Lowery	ABSENT
District 6:	Larry Chavis	YES
	Douglas Locklear	NO
District 7:	Reginald Oxendine	YES
	Jan Lowery	NO
	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	NO
	Michael Chavis	- YES
District 13:	Ricky Burnett	YES
District 14:	Terry Hunt	YES