

LUMBEE TRIBE OF NORTH CAROLINA

CLLR-2020-1015-02

Date: October 15, 2020

LTNC Request for NCCIA Resolution of Support of CLLO-2020-0917-01 Tribal Consultation Mandate

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, In 1971 the NC Commission of Indian Affairs (NCCIA) was created by the North Carolina General Assembly to advocate for local, regional, and national American Indian concerns, and;

WHEREAS, Despite the the positive relationship shared by the State of NC and the eight historic state recognized tribes: Coharie, Eastern Band of Cherokee, Haliwa Saponi, Lumbee, Meherrin, Occaneechi Band of Saponi, Sappony, and Waccamaw-Siouan, there exists a lack of true and meaningful government to government consultation when construction projects pose serious risks to the environmental and cultural resources of these tribal nations and mitigate their ability to secure their cultural heritage or provide safe, livable traditional lands for their members and residents, and;

WHEREAS, Federal regulations require government to government consultation with federally recognized Tribes, but these regulations neither require consultation with state recognized tribes nor cover Consultation between tribes and government, and;

WHEREAS, The US Advisory Council on Historic Preservation and the National Environmental Justice Advisory Council affirm that non-federally recognized tribes share the same types of concerns held by federally recognized tribes and may have important information to offer decision makers, and;

WHEREAS, All tribes in North Carolina will benefit from clear policy regarding government to government consultation at the state level, and;

WHEREAS, The Lumbee Tribal Council enacted **CLLO-2020-0917-01** Tribal Consultation Mandate on September 17, 2020 which exerts Lumbee tribal sovereignty in demanding true and meaningful consultation in order to consider and mitigate the impacts upon Lumbee tribal communities, and;

THEREFORE, Be it resolved the Lumbee Tribal Council does hereby respectfully request the NCCIA to support the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina Legislation CLLO-2020-0917-01 "Tribal Consultation Mandate Ordinance".

CERTIFICATION

THIS **CLLR-2020-1015-02**, "LTNC REQUEST FOR NCCIA RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT OF CLLO-2020-0917-01 TRIBAL CONSULTATION MANDATE" ADOPTED AT A MEETING OF THE TWENTY-ONE (21) MEMBER TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE LUMBEE TRIBE OF NORTH CAROLINA WHERE 21 MEMBERS WERE PRESENT, CONSTITUTING A QUORUM, THIS THE 15TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2020, BY A VOTE OF 21 YES, 0 NO, AND 0 ABSTENTION(S).

Ricky Burnett

10/15/2020

ATTEST: RICKY BURNETT
SPEAKER, TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE LUMBEE TRIBE OF NORTH CAROLINA

DATE

Sharon Hunt

10/15/2020

ATTEST: SHARON HUNT
SECRETARY, TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE LUMBEE TRIBE OF NORTH CAROLINA

DATE

ROLL CALL VOTE RESULTS TO ADOPTED

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**“LTNC REQUEST FOR NCCIA RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT OF
CLLO-2020-0917-01 TRIBAL CONSULTATION MANDATE”**

21 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:	Jarrod Lowery	YES
	Wendy Moore	YES
District 6:	Douglas Locklear, Jr.	YES
	Larry Chavis	YES
District 7:	Yvonne Dial	YES
	Alvin Mercer	YES
	Reginald Oxendine, Jr.	YES
District 8:	Corbin Eddings	YES
District 9:	Dewey McNeill	YES
District 10:	Marshil Locklear	YES
District 11:	Frank Cooper	YES
District 12:	Shelley Strickland	YES
	Michael Chavis	YES
District 13:	Ricky Burnett	YES
District 14:	Terry Hunt	YES