

IOWA TRIBE OF KANSAS AND NEBRASKA
RESOLUTION NO: 24-R-39

WHEREAS, The Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska is the duly constituted governing body within the exterior boundaries of the Iowa Indian Reservation, and

WHEREAS, The Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska is a Federally Recognized Indian Tribe and is recognized by the Secretary of the Interior on the list of federally recognized Indian Tribes, under 25 U.S.C sec 479, and

WHEREAS, The Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska has been organized to represent, develop, protect and advance the views, education and resources of the Iowa Indian Reservation and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to the Iowa Tribal Constitution and ByLaws, Article V, Section 1.a., the Iowa Tribal Council has the power and authority to negotiate with the federal, state, and local governments on behalf of the Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska, and

WHEREAS, The Intertribal Agriculture Council is a national, Native-led nonprofit that was formed in 1987 by order of Congress and tasked with pursuing and promoting the conservation, development, and use of agriculture resources for the betterment of Indian Tribes and Tribal agriculture producers; and

WHEREAS, Since its formation, the Intertribal Agriculture Council has actively supported Native American and Alaskan Native Tribes and individuals across the country through on-the-ground technical assistance and services, and advocacy for improvements in federal and tribal policies that govern the agricultural landscape in which Native American and Alaskan Native Tribes and individuals must operate; and

WHEREAS, The priorities of the Intertribal Agriculture Council are set forth by member Tribes during the General Meeting in December of each year, and

WHEREAS, It is essential to the agricultural development of the Iowa Reservation that the Iowa Tribe proceed with membership of the Intertribal Agriculture Council to join with other member Tribes in guiding the organization's annual priorities, now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iowa Tribal Council, acting for and in behalf of the Iowa Tribe, does hereby approve membership in the Intertribal Agriculture Council, and thereby approves payment of the membership fees in the amount of \$200.00, which shall thereafter be paid annually before November 15 of each year

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Iowa Tribal Council hereby appoints Britni Beck as official delegate and Timothy Rhodd as the alternate for the Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska to the Intertribal Agriculture Council with all privileges afforded member representatives in good standing.

CERTIFICATION

The foregoing Resolution was duly adopted this date, September 11, 2024, in a Regular Session of the Executive Committee, at which ___ members of the Committee were present, constituting a quorum, by a vote of ___ for, ___ against ___ abstained. Chairman abstained.

ATTEST:

Anthony G. Fee, Secretary

Date: _____

Timothy N. Rhodd, Chairman

Date: _____