

RESOLUTION 21-R-21

**IOWA TRIBE OF KANSAS AND NEBRASKA
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
OCTOBER 6, 2021**

WHEREAS, The Iowa Executive Committee being duly organized met in Special Session, this 6TH day of October 2021; and,

WHEREAS, The Iowa Executive Committee has authority to act for the Iowa Tribe under the present Constitutional authority as provided in Sec. 2, Article IV - Governing Bodies; and,

WHEREAS, The Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska being organized and empowered by their Constitution and Bylaws (approved November 6, 1978 and amended August 27, 1980); and,

WHEREAS, The Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska recognizes the need for programs that promote the stability and security of Indian children and families; and,

WHEREAS, The above mentioned tribe has established the Native American Family Services, Inc., for such purposes; and,

WHEREAS, The Fiscal Officer, Social Worker(s), and/or the Board of Trustees of the Native American Family Services, Inc., is charged with responsibility in seeking funding for the development of programs and continued operation of the Native American Family Services, Inc.; and,

WHEREAS, The Fiscal Officer, Social Worker (s) and/or the Board of Trustees has caused the completion and submission of the Indian Child Welfare Grant and Social Services Grant to the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs; and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the undersigned Executive Committee does hereby resolve to affirm, support and endorse the submission of the grant application for the purpose of continuing the funding of Native American Family Services, Inc.; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the proposed period of the grant have a starting date of January 1, 2022 thru December 31, 2026; that this resolution will remain in effect for the duration of the program or until the resolution expires or is rescinded; that the Board of Trustees of Native American Family Services, Inc., be authorized to conduct negotiations and execute the terms of the grant, that the granting agency shall send all correspondence and grant award documents to: Native American Family Services, Inc., 3313 B Thrasher Rd., White Cloud, Kansas 66094, with copies to the Tribal Chairperson, and that the contracting agency recognize and honor this resolution as the intent of the undersigned tribe.

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CERTIFICATION

The foregoing Resolution was duly adopted this 6th day of October 2021 in a Special Session of the Executive Committee of the Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska, at which ___ members of the Committee were present, constituting a quorum, by a vote of ___ for, ___ against. Chairman abstained.

Timothy N. Rhodd, Chairman
Iowa Tribe Executive Committee

ATTEST:

Anthony G. Fee, Secretary
Iowa Tribe Executive Committee