



# HO-CHUNK NATION LEGISLATURE

*Governing Body of the Ho-Chunk Nation*

## HO-CHUNK NATION LEGISLATURE LAND LEASE FOR MELANIE TWOBears RESOLUTION 5-06-08 E

- WHEREAS,** on November 1, 1994, the United States Secretary of the Interior approved a new Constitution for the Ho-Chunk Nation, formerly known as the Wisconsin Winnebago Tribe; and
- WHEREAS,** the Ho-Chunk Nation ("Nation") is a federally recognized Indian Tribe organized pursuant to the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934; and
- WHEREAS,** Article V, Section 2 (a) of the Ho-Chunk Nation Constitution ("Constitution") grants the Ho-Chunk Nation Legislature ("Legislature") the power to make laws, including codes, ordinances, resolutions, and statutes; and
- WHEREAS,** Article V, Section 2 (i) of the Constitution grants the Legislature the power to negotiate agreements with other governments, organizations, or individuals; and
- WHEREAS,** Article V, Section 2 (l) of the Constitution grants the Legislature the power to enact laws to manage, lease, permit, or otherwise deal with the Nation's lands, interests in lands or other assets; and
- WHEREAS,** the Nation holds 100% interest in the property known as the Indian Mission with the legal description within the NW ¼ NW ¼, Section 33, Township 22 North, Range 3 West, Jackson County, Wisconsin; and
- WHEREAS,** the Lessee(s) shall have and hold the parcel for a term of twenty-five (25) years, with the option to renew for an additional twenty-five (25) years; and

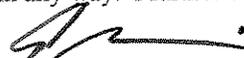
**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Ho-Chunk Nation Legislature hereby rescinds Resolution 7-12-95A which granted a residential lease to Clayton Decorah, Jr. of which was never executed.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOVLED,** the Ho-Chunk Nation Legislature hereby grants a lease to Melanie TwoBears and said lease is located, and being more particularly described as follows:

Indian Mission, Lot 34 within the NW ¼ NW ¼, Section 33, Township 22 North, Range 3 West, Jackson County, Wisconsin.

### CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Tribal Secretary for the Ho-Chunk Nation, hereby certify that the Legislature of the Ho-Chunk Nation, composed of **11 members**, of whom **9** constituting a quorum were present at a meeting duly called and convened and held on the **6<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2008**, that the foregoing resolution was adopted at said meeting by an affirmative vote of **9 members, 0 opposed, and 0 abstaining**, pursuant to the authority of Article V, Section 2(a) and (x) of the Constitution of the Ho-Chunk Nation approved by the Secretary of the Interior on November 1, 1994, and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way. I further certify that this is a verified copy of said resolution.

  
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Elliott Garvin, Tribal Secretary

5-6-08  
Date

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