



HO-CHUNK NATION LEGISLATURE

Governing Body of the Ho-Chunk Nation

**HO-CHUNK NATION LEGISLATURE
AUTHORIZING A LEASE WITH NATIVE
AMERICAN CHURCH (JACKSON COUNTY CHAPTER)
RESOLUTION 6-03-08 D**

- WHEREAS,** on November 1, 1994, the 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 Constitution of the Ho-Chunk Nation ("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 and enter into treaties, contracts, and agreements with other governments, organizations, or individuals; and
- WHEREAS,** Article V, Section 2(r) of the Constitution grants the Legislature the power to protect and foster Ho-Chunk religious freedom, culture, language, and traditions; and
- WHEREAS,** Article V, Section 2(s) of the Constitution grants the Legislature the power to promote public health, education, charity, and such other services as many contribute to the social advancement of the members of the Ho-Chunk Nation; and
- WHEREAS,** the Native American Church (Jackson County Chapter) needs a suitable place for a church and to hold community events; and
- WHEREAS,** the Nation owns a suitable parcel in Lot #1, Jackson County Certified Survey Map No. 3236, a part of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 32, T22N, R3W, Township of Komensky, Jackson County, Wisconsin (the "Premises"); and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature, pursuant to its Constitutional authority, hereby approves the lease of the Premises by the Native American Church (Jackson County Chapter) for a term of twenty-five years and authorizes the President of the Ho-Chunk Nation to execute said lease.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Tribal Secretary for the Ho-Chunk Nation, hereby certify that the Legislature of the Ho-Chunk Nation, composed of 10 members, of whom 8 constituting a quorum were present at a meeting duly called and convened and held on the 3rd day of June, 2008, that the foregoing resolution was adopted at said meeting by an affirmative vote of 8 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.



Elliott Garvin, Tribal Secretary



Date

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