# Quartz Valley Indian Reservation 13601 Quartz Valley Road Fort Jones, California 96032



## Business Council Meeting July 25, 2014

I. Establish Quorum and Call Meeting to Order: at 9:15 am by

Tribal Chairman Harold Bennett

Minutes taken by Tribal Secretary Charlene Henry

#### **Council Members Present:**

Tribal Chairman, Harold Bennett Vice Chairperson, Melissa McCloud Tribal Secretary, Charlene Henry Tribal Treasurer, Frieda Bennett Board Member #1, Alondra Bailey Board Member #2 Lisa Carle Member at Large, Veronica Bennett Member at Large, Vacant Member at Large, Vacant

#### **Guest Present:**

Tribal Administrator Raymond Robles

- II. Establish and Approval of Agenda: July 25, 2014
  Melissa McCloud moves a motion to approve the agenda for July 25, 2014 with additions, Frieda Bennett seconds, 4 For, 0 Against, 1 Abstention
- III. **Reading and Approval of Minutes:** May 30, 2014 Melissa McCloud moves a **motion** to approve the Business Council minutes for May 30, 2014 with corrections, Frieda Bennett seconds, 4 For, 0 Against, 2 Abstentions

#### **Corrections were:**

Page 2: under WUIP, take out clearing around the houses, add, fuels reduction on reservation property

Page 4: #2. Change up to us

Page 6: under GSA Rate: change out to our

#### **IV.** Resolutions:

#### 2014-14:

APPOINTMENT OF MELISSA McCLOUD AS TRIBAL VICE-CHAIRPERSON OF THE QUARTZ VALLEY INDIAN RESERVATION

Frieda Bennett moves a **motion** to accept Resolution 2014-14 with correction, Veronica Bennett seconds, 5 For, 0 Against, 1 Abstention

Correction: under; BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: add Community, Under, C\*E\*R\*T\*I\*F\*I\*C\*A\*T\*I\*O\*N: change General Council to Business Council, take out 12<sup>th</sup> and add 25<sup>th</sup>

#### 2014-15:

APPOINTMENT OF FRIEDA BENNETT AS TRIBAL TREASURER OF THE QUARTZ VALLEY INDIAN RESERVATION

Melissa McCloud moves a **motion** to accept Resolution 2014-15 with correction, Veronica Bennett seconds, 5 For, 0 Against, 1 Abstention

Correction: under; BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: add Community, Under, C\*E\*R\*T\*I\*F\*I\*C\*A\*T\*I\*O\*N: change General Council to Business Council, take our 12<sup>th</sup> and add 25<sup>th</sup>

## 2014-09:

MINOR TO ADULT APPROVAL OF ZACHARY WAYNE ROUSE WITH THE TRIBE

Melissa McCloud moves a **motion** to approve Resolution 2014-09 with correction, Lisa Carle seconds, 5 For, 0 Against, 1 Abstention

Correction: change IN to WITH

## 2014-11:

MINOR TO ADULT ENROLLMENT OF NAILA CRISTAL GONZALEZ WITH THE TRIBE

Frieda Bennett moves a **motion** to approve Resolution 2014-11, Melissa McCloud seconds, 5 For, 0 Against, 1 Abstention

#### 2014-16:

MINOR TO ADULT ENROLLMENT OF JESSICA LYNN BAILEY WITH THE TRIBE

Melissa McCloud moves a **motion** to approve Resolution 2014-16, Frieda Bennett seconds, 5 For, 0 Against, 1 Abstention

New members are official adult members.

## V. Reports:

a. Tribal Administrator:

The Tribal Administrator reads his report;

#### Topics discussed:

## Parking Lots:

- Change order
- Drains looking good, meets ADA compliance
- Need a quote for sealing our roads
- Need to widen school crosswalk
- Concrete coming in for bus stops

#### Fire House:

- KBTYP students arrive today for three weeks
- KBTYP Coordinator will be more involved with their stay at the Fire Hall
- EPA will monitor three times a week
- Water tank is in, still have issues pending
- Will have an appropriate paint job done
- WUIP funding has not been released yet

## **Discussion:**

- Fire House Administrator must develop a budget
- Needs to let us know what is needed
- Funding for overhead cost
- We do not want obtain equipment without a need for it.
- Address placards for our homes for emergency purposes
- Excess property, bring to General Community Council
- Street signs on Shackleford

#### Clinic:

- Expansion going well
- Construction documentation being done

- Grant Writer working on SEDS next, economic development training
- Three discussion that fit here can be achieved, farming, rock crushing, and fire suppression
- Looking into building a business, development of plans and ideas

#### Directive: Tribal Administrator:

Look into getting an itinerary of what the training consist of for economic development training.

## **Housing:**

The Tribal Administrator will inform the Business Council on a two day training to discuss financial statements, budget documents sometime in August via email

Bill Heimlich training; three days for 15 people for Super Circular on policies and procedures

## Water System:

Discussed the water tank and bus shelters

## ICWA:

Report attached

## Education:

No action items

## EPA:

# Discussion:

- Cell phone
- Generic Business cards
- Getting reimbursed for business cards
- Environmental Updates for Council
- Seasonal Technicians, being advertised
- Adopt a highway
- Health Fair on August 22, 2014
- Outreach Coordinator reads her report
- EPA report attached

## **Gymnasium:**

- Gym floors are coming in
- Materials will be acclimating for a month

#### b. Tribal Chairman:

## Topics Discussed:

- Workforce; Compensation Rate
- HUD; Pipeline
- New Executive Director at the Anav Tribal Health Clinic

Executive Session: Entered at 11:08 am Exited at 11:23 am

- Atlanta Georgia travel
- Developing land for our Equine Therapy
- Modular building for patients
- Lyles Property; appraisal; Tribal Program Coordinator find out the price.
- Local cooperative agreement; attached
- Payment in lieu of taxes-MLIHA provision
- Fire Protection
- ICDBG possible use at Fire Hall
- Housing rent increase
- Water system; may be looking for another contractor
- Speed bumps; cars on Shackleford are going too fast, there are children all over the roads, may look into portable speed bumps with BIA
- Tribal Administrator look into what kind, need to be able to shovel snow.
- KBRA dam removal, tribes asking us to sign on, looking for ideas, EPA Director will be bringing documentations for us.
- Bingo Hall, discussion
- NICWA, ICWA Health Board, QVIR do we want to get on?

Executive Session Entered at 12:15 pm Exited at 12:30 pm

## c. Vice Chairperson:

## Topics Discussed:

- CRIHB meeting, took courses on the leadership tract, will share some information
- Course on policy and advocacy, team building
- Tribal caucus

#### Discussion:

- Asset recoveries
- Contract Health
- IHS monies, CHS funding
- Medicare rates
- Water quality, droughts
- Olinks meeting, same agreement, QVIR signed agreement,
- Thankful to tribes that participated, QVIR still doing their job.
- Fee to trust, find out about pending properties

#### d. Tribal Treasurer:

#### **Discussion:**

- Passed around the financial statements
- Loans; delinquent rate should be a solid rate instead of a percentage across the board

Veronica Bennett moves a **motion** to implement a ten dollar (\$10.00) service charge for delinquent monthly loan payments, and to eliminate the interest rate for loans that are in good standing, Charlene Henry seconds, 5 For, 0 Against, 2 Abstentions

- Hardships, history update, when non-gaming distribution halt so will the hardship program
- Stop payment of checks fees, \$35.00 per our fiscal policy
- Gift Cards, this is a gift not an entitlement payment

# e. Modoc Lassen Indian Housing Authority, (MLIHA) Discussion:

- Chairman nomination
- Commissioner attendance
- Delinquent scenarios
- The housing meeting places

- Having possible alternate commissioners
- Having a housing newsletter

#### f. Anay Tribal Health Clinic:

## Discussion:

- Parking lots being done
- Dental wing X-ray machine
- Looking for a dentist
- Wood behind Anav, WUIP
- g. Fire Hall: Done
- VI. Old Business: None
- VII. New Business: None
- VIII. **Executive Session:** Entered at 1:39 pm Exited at 1:58 pm
- **IX. Announcement:** Next General Community Council Meeting will be on August 9, 2014 at 9:00 am.
- X. Adjournment: 2:00 pm

Frieda Bennett moves a **motion** to adjourn at 2:00 pm, Melissa McCloud seconds, 6 For, 0 Against, 1 Abstention

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BE IT RESOLVED,	
That Quartz Valley Indian Reservation Pr	residing Executive Official is
hereby authorized to sign and the Tribal S	Secretary to attest this document
to give it full force and effect. The forego	oing is adopted by a vote of
For, Against,	
at this duly called meeting of Quartz Vall a quorum was present on the 29th	ey Indian Reservation at which
a quorum was present on the 29 <sup>th</sup>	Day of <i>lugust</i> , 2014.
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Harold Bennett, Tribal Chairman	Date
Charlene Henry Charlene Henry, Tribal Secretary	august 29, 2014
Charlene Henry, Tribal Secretary	Date