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In Reply Refer To:  
Division of Tribal Government

JUL 07 2017

The Honorable M. Brian Cladoosby  
Swinomish Indian Tribal Community  
11404 Moorage Way  
La Conner, Washington 98257-9450

Dear Chairman Cladoosby:

Pursuant to 25 C.F.R. § 81.45, this notice is to advise you of our decision to approve the results of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community’s May 23, 2017 Secretarial election.

We received Swinomish Resolution Number 2017-02-030 on March 1, 2017, officially requesting a Secretarial election to decide twenty-nine proposed amendments to the Constitution of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. We found that the request satisfied the submittal requirements at 25 C.F.R. § 81.6. Therefore, on March 2, 2017, Stanley M. Speaks, the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) Northwest Regional Director, directed the Superintendent, Puget Sound Agency, to call and conduct an election. The election was held on May 23, 2017.

This notification meets the requirements of 25 C.F.R. § 81.45(c)(1)-(4):

**Election Challenges**

Per 25 C.F.R. § 81.43, any registered voter may challenge the results of the election and is provided a five-day period to submit written challenges. The Superintendent reports that with no challenges filed, the results were submitted to us for review and approval.

**Voting Results**

Our review and approval of the election results is governed by the requirements at 25 C.F.R. § 81.45(a)-(b). With no challenges filed, § 81.45(a) does not apply. Therefore, we move to the requirements at § 81.45(b).

According to our records to perfect your request for a Secretarial election, 247 eligible Swinomish tribal members registered in this election. At least seventy-five eligible voters were needed to cast their vote to meet the thirty percent voter requirement under 25 C.F.R. § 81.45(b)(1). Each proposed amendment had at least 143 valid votes tallied, making the election valid.

Each proposed amendment received the majority of votes in favor of its passage. Therefore in accordance with 25 C.F.R. § 81.45(b)(2), the voters accepted all proposed amendments.
Amendments Approved

As the approval requirements at 25 C.F.R. § 81.45 are met, I have approved each proposed amendment as indicated in the enclosed Certificates of Approval. Proposed Amendments “A” through “AC” are now Amendments “16” through “44,” respectively.

As you know, a number of local individuals, groups, businesses, units of local government, and tribes expressed concern over the scope and effect of the proposed amendments relating to Swinomish territory and jurisdiction (Proposed Amendment “B,” now Amendment 17). These concerns largely echoed those raised in the BIA’s September 13, 2016 review of the proposed amendments: whether the Tribe intended these amendments to, as a matter of law, either (1) expand the size of the Tribe’s reservation by deleting all reference to the Executive Order of September 9, 1873; or (2) expand the Tribe’s jurisdiction over any off-reservation territories (including those associated with tribal treaty hunting, fishing, and gathering) or with respect to the off-reservation actions or activities of non-tribal members.

In correspondence dated October 5, 2016, the Tribe disputed the validity of the BIA’s concerns. Nevertheless, the Tribe proposed language qualifying the Tribe’s authority under Proposed Amendment “B” as being “to the fullest extent possible consistent with applicable federal law and the sovereign powers of the Tribe.” With this caveat in place, the Tribe suggested that the proposal subsequently could not be found to be “contrary to applicable laws,” the only grounds set forth in the Indian Reorganization Act and implementing regulations for not approving proposed amendments. After substantial review, the BIA agreed and determined that none of the Tribe’s proposed amendments were “contrary to applicable laws” as drafted. The BIA advised the Tribe of our findings in our letter dated January 24, 2017.

While approving the proposed amendments, we wish to take this opportunity to clarify our understanding of Amendment 17. We do so in light of the BIA’s previous concerns with the proposed amendments and the substantial outside interest in preemptively resolving jurisdictional disputes or other misunderstandings between the Tribe and its neighbors.

First, and as you have agreed, nothing in this approval shall be construed as authorizing any action under the Swinomish Constitution that is contrary to federal law.

Second, nothing in this approval shall be construed as altering the Tribe’s reservation boundaries. Any claim seeking to challenge or confirm the boundaries of the Swinomish reservation must be evaluated on a case-by-case basis. Absent a formal opinion or federal court decision to the contrary, the United States’ position remains that the reservation’s boundaries were established by the 1855 Treaty of Point Elliott and subsequently modified by the Executive Order of September 9, 1873.

Third, nothing in this approval shall be construed as expanding, diminishing, or otherwise altering the Tribe’s civil, criminal, regulatory, or any other jurisdiction outside of its reservation except as authorized by governing law. Nor shall this approval be construed as changing or otherwise abrogating any previous adjudication concerning the Tribe’s access to, or jurisdiction over, any treaty hunting, fishing, or gathering areas.
While you are under no legal obligation to do so, we encourage you and your legal counsel to advise the outside parties of the election results. We also appreciate the Tribe’s willingness to both address the BIA’s concerns with the proposed amendments and to work with its state, local, and tribal neighbors to ensure an amicable environment in and around Skagit County. We encourage the Tribe to contact us in the future should you require any BIA assistance in furthering your interests or resolving confusion over the scope of the Tribe’s constitutional jurisdiction.

Final Agency Action

This decision constitutes a final agency action for the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

The Secretarial Election Board is to be commended for its work in this election.

If you have further questions, please contact Greg Norton, Tribal Government Specialist, at (503) 231-6723.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Northwest Regional Director

Enclosures

CC: Superintendent, Puget Sound Agency
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XVI to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

Northwest Regional Director

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AMENDMENT XVI

Title to the Constitution is amended to read as follows:

Constitution And By-Laws For The Swinomish Indian Tribal Community

Preamble to the Constitution is amended to read as follows:

We, the members of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, in order to establish a more perfect tribal organization, promote the general welfare, encourage educational progress, conserve and develop our lands and resources, and secure to ourselves and our posterity the power to exercise certain rights of home rule, in accordance with and by the authority of the act of Congress of June 18, 1934, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community.

Title to the By-Laws is amended to read as follows:

By-Laws For The Swinomish Indian Tribal Community

Article IV of the By-Laws is amended to read as follows:

ARTICLE IV – INSTALLATION OF SENATORS

Newly elected members who have been duly certified shall be installed at the first regular meeting of the senate following the election upon subscribing to the following oath, which shall be administered by any authorized person and filed with the secretary of the senate: "I,-----------, do hereby solemnly swear (or affirm) that I shall preserve, support, and protect the Constitution of the United States, and the constitution and by-laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community to the best of my ability, so help me God."
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XVII to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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Northwest Regional Director

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AMENDMENT XVII

Article I, Title and Sections 1 and 2 are amended, and Section 3 is added to read as follows:

ARTICLE I - NAME, TERRITORY, AND JURISDICTION

SECTION 1. Name. The name of this organized body shall be the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, hereinafter called the community or Tribe.

SEC. 2. Territory. The territory of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community shall include, to the fullest extent possible consistent with applicable federal law and the sovereign powers of the Tribe, all lands, water, property, airspace, surface rights, subsurface rights, and other natural resources

(a) in which the Tribe now or in the future has any interest, or
(b) which are owned now or in the future by the United States for the exclusive or non-exclusive benefit of the Tribe or for individual tribal members, or
(c) which are located within the Swinomish Reservation, notwithstanding the issuance of any existing or future patent or right-of-way.

SEC. 3. Jurisdiction. To the fullest extent possible consistent with applicable federal law and the sovereign powers of the Tribe, the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community shall have jurisdiction over all persons, subjects, property and activities occurring within

(a) its territory as defined by this Article; and
(b) the Tribe’s usual and accustomed fishing grounds and stations and all open and unclaimed lands, as guaranteed by treaty for fishing, hunting and gathering, and on such other lands and waters as is necessary for access to such fishing, hunting and gathering areas.

Further, jurisdiction shall extend to all persons, subjects, property and activities that may hereafter be included within the jurisdiction of the Tribe.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XVIII to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XVIII

Article II, Section 2 is amended to read as follows:

SEC. 2. The governing body shall have the power to promulgate ordinances covering future membership and the adoption of new members, making any necessary adjustments of property rights.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XIX to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XIX

Article III, Section 2 is amended to read as follows:

SEC. 2. This senate shall consist of eleven (11) members duly elected to serve five (5) years, two being elected each year except in years ending in "1" or "6", when three shall be elected.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XX to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XX

Article V, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

SECTION 1. If a member of the senate or official shall die, resign, or cease to live in Skagit County west of the Interstate 5 (I-5) freeway, or shall be found guilty of a felony, or misdemeanor involving dishonesty in any Indian, State or Federal court, the senate shall declare the position vacant and elect to fill the unexpired term.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXI to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XXI

Article VI, Section 1 (Introduction) and Subsection 1(a) is amended to read as follows:

SECTION 1. Enumerated powers. - The senate of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community shall exercise the following powers, subject to any limitations imposed by the statutes or the Constitution of the United States, and subject further to all express restrictions upon such powers contained in this constitution and the attached by-laws:

   (a) To negotiate, consult, and enter into agreements with other governments, entities and persons on behalf of the tribe.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXII to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XXII

Article VI, Subsection 1(b) is amended to read as follows:

(b) To employ legal counsel for the protection and advancement of the rights of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community and its members.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXIII to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XXIII

Article VI, Subsection 1(c) is amended to read as follows:

(c) To authorize and execute, or veto, any sale, disposition, lease, or encumbrance of tribal lands, interests in lands or other tribal assets not inconsistent with Article VIII.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXIV to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XXIV

Article VI, Subsection 1(f) is amended to read as follows:

(f) To manage all economic affairs and enterprises of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXV to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XXV

Article VI, Subsection 1(g) is amended to read as follows:

(g) To authorize expenditures and appropriate any available tribal funds for public purposes of the reservation or the Tribe.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXVI to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XXVI

Article VI, Subsection 1(h) is amended to read as follows:

(h) To raise revenue, including the power to levy and collect taxes, duties, fees and assessments, for public purposes of the reservation or the Tribe.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXVII to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

Northwest Regional Director

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AMENDMENT XXVII

Article VI, Subsection 1(i) is amended to read as follows:

(i) To exclude from the restricted lands of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community persons subject to the Tribe’s jurisdiction under ordinances.
I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXVIII to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XXVIII

Article VI, Subsection 1(k) is amended to read as follows:

(k) To promulgate and enforce ordinances:

1. governing the conduct of all persons within the territory of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, as defined in Article I, Section 2 of this Constitution;

2. governing tribal members beyond the limits of the Swinomish Reservation, including with respect to exercising tribal fishing, hunting, and gathering rights on all usual and accustomed fishing grounds and stations of the Tribe and all open and unclaimed lands as guaranteed by treaty for fishing, hunting and gathering and on such other lands and waters as is necessary for access to such fishing, hunting and gathering areas; and

3. providing for the maintenance of law and order and the administration of justice.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXIX to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XXIX

Article VI, Subsection 1(l) is amended to read as follows:

(l) To safeguard and promote peace, safety, morals, and general welfare of the Tribe and the Swinomish Reservation by regulating the conduct of trade and the use and disposition of property within the territory of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, as defined in Article I, Section 2 of this Constitution.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXX to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XXX

Article VI, Subsection 1(m) is amended to read as follows:

(m) To establish and regulate subordinate organizations and agencies of the Tribe for any lawful purpose and to regulate the activities of all cooperative associations of members of the Swinomish Community.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXXI to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XXXI

Article VI, Subsection 1(n) is amended to read as follows:

(n) To regulate the inheritance of property, real and personal, within the territory of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXXII to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XXXII

Article VI, Subsection 1(o) is amended to read as follows:

(o) To regulate the domestic relations of persons subject to the Tribe’s jurisdiction.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXXIII to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XXXIII

Article VI, Subsection 1(p) is amended to read as follows:

(p) To provide for the appointment of guardians for minors and mental incompetents by ordinance or resolution.
I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXXIV to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XXXIV

Article VI, Section 2 is amended to read as follows:

SEC. 2. (a)  Manner of review. Any resolution or ordinance which, by the terms of this constitution, is subject to review by the Secretary of the Interior, shall be presented to the Superintendent of the reservation who shall, within ten (10) days after its receipt, approve or disapprove the same.

If the Superintendent shall approve any resolution or ordinance, it shall thereupon become effective, but the Superintendent shall transmit a copy of the same, bearing his endorsement, to the Secretary of the Interior, who may, within ninety (90) days from the date of receipt, rescind the said resolution or ordinance for any cause, by notifying the senate of such decision.

If the Superintendent shall refuse to approve any resolution or ordinance within ten (10) days after its receipt by him, he shall advise the Senate of his reasons therefor. If these reasons appear to the senate insufficient, it may, by a majority vote, refer the ordinance or resolution to the Secretary of the Interior, who may, within ninety (90) days from the date of its receipt, approve the same in writing, whereupon the said ordinance or resolution shall become effective.

(b)  Laws, when effective. - Any resolution or ordinance, which, by the terms of this Constitution, is not subject to review by the Secretary of the Interior, shall become effective according to its terms or, if no effective date is specified, immediately upon adoption by the Senate.
I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXXV to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

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AMENDMENT XXXV

Article VI, Section 5 is amended to read as follows:

SEC. 5. Additional powers. – To the fullest extent possible consistent with applicable federal law and the sovereign powers of the Tribe, the Senate of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community shall exercise the following rights and powers heretofore vested in the Tribes or Bands of the Swinomish Reservation in addition to all powers already conferred or guaranteed by the Constitution and Bylaws of the Community:

(a) Zoning power. – to regulate the land use of all property within the Swinomish Reservation.

(b) Natural Resource Protection authority. – To develop, manage, protect and regulate the use of all the Tribe’s natural resources wherever situated.

(c) Residual powers:

1. To enact ordinances and resolutions necessary or incidental to the exercise of the powers set forth in this Constitution.

2. To take any and all actions necessary and proper for the exercise of the powers and duties enumerated in this Constitution and the accompanying By-Laws, and for all other powers and duties now or hereafter delegated to the Senate, or vested in the Tribe by federal law or through its inherent sovereignty.
I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXXVI to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.
AMENDMENT XXXVI

Article VII, Section 3 is amended to read as follows:

SEC. 3. Civil liberties. - All persons subject to the Tribe’s jurisdiction may enjoy without hindrance, freedom of worship, conscience, speech, press, assembly, and association.
I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXXVII to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

Northwest Regional Director

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AMENDMENT XXXVII

Article VII, Section 4 is amended to read as follows:

SEC. 4. Rights of accused. - Any person subject to the Tribe’s jurisdiction who shall be accused of any offense shall have the right to a prompt open and public hearing, with due notice of the offense charged, and shall be permitted to summon witnesses in his own behalf. Trial by jury may be demanded by any person accused of any offense punishable by more than thirty days imprisonment. Excessive bail shall not be required, and cruel punishment shall not be imposed.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXXVIII to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

Northwest Regional Director

JUL 07 2017

Date
AMENDMENT
CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS
of the
SWINOMISH INDIAN TRIBAL COMMUNITY

AMENDMENT XXXVIII

Article VIII, Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

SECTION 1. Allotted lands. - Allotted lands, including heirship lands within the Swinomish Reservation, shall continue to be held as heretofore by their present owners. It is recognized that under existing law such lands may be condemned for public purposes, such as roads, public buildings, or other public improvements, upon payment of adequate compensation, by any agency of the State of Washington or of the Federal Government, or by the tribal community itself. It is further recognized that under existing law, such lands may be inherited by the heirs of the present owner, whether or not they are members of the community. Likewise, it is recognized that under existing law the Secretary of the Interior may, in his discretion, remove restrictions upon such land, upon application by the Indian owner, whereupon the land will become subject to State taxes and may then be mortgaged or sold. The right of the individual Indian to hold or to part with his land, as under existing law, shall not be abrogated by anything contained in the constitution, but the owner of restricted land may, with any approval of the Secretary of the Interior as may be required by applicable federal law, voluntarily convey his land to the community in exchange for a money payment.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XXXIX to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

[Signature]
Northwest Regional Director

JUL 07 2017

Date
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SWINOMISH INDIAN TRIBAL COMMUNITY

AMENDMENT XXXIX

Article VIII, Section 2 is amended to read as follows:

SEC. 2. *Tribal lands.* – The unallotted lands of the Swinomish Reservation, and all lands which may hereafter be acquired by the community or by the United States in trust for the community, shall be held as tribal lands, and no part of such land shall be mortgaged or sold, unless specifically authorized by law, and then only with any consent and approval of the Secretary of the Interior as may be required by applicable federal law. Tribal lands shall not be allotted to individual Indians, but may be leased to members of the community, or otherwise used by the community.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XL to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

Northwest Regional Director

JUL 07 2017

Date
AMENDMENT XL

Article VIII, Section 3 is amended to read as follows:

SEC. 3. *Leasing of community lands.* — To the fullest extent possible consistent with applicable federal law and the sovereign powers of the Tribe, Community lands may be leased by the senate.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XLI to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

Northwest Regional Director

JUL 07 2017

Date
AMENDMENT XLI

Article VIII, Section 6 is amended to read as follows:

SEC. 6. Acquisition of land by Community. - The community may acquire land, or interests in land, by purchase or otherwise, provided such acquisitions are in accordance with applicable federal law.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XLII to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

Northwest Regional Director

JUL 07 2017

Date
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AMENDMENT XLII

New Article IX – THE TRIBAL COURT SYSTEM is added; previous Article IX – AMENDMENTS is unchanged, but renumbered to Article X – AMENDMENTS as follows:

ARTICLE IX - THE TRIBAL COURT SYSTEM

SECTION 1. Establishment. The judicial power of the Tribe shall be vested in the Tribal Court System. The Tribal Court System shall include a Tribal Court and such other lower courts of special jurisdiction, including forums for traditional dispute resolution, as the Senate may establish by ordinance. There shall also be a Court of Appeals which shall be the court of last resort for all cases filed within the Tribal Court System.

SEC. 2. Jurisdiction. The judicial power of the courts shall extend to all cases and controversies within the jurisdiction of the Tribe, in law or equity, arising under this Constitution, the laws or customs of the Tribe, or which are vested in the tribal courts by federal law or by virtue of the Tribe’s inherent sovereignty. Any case or controversy arising within the jurisdiction of the Tribe shall be filed in the Tribal Court or other appropriate forum established by the Senate before it is filed in any other court. This grant of jurisdiction shall not be construed to be a waiver or limitation of the Tribe’s sovereign immunity.

SEC. 3. Appointment of Judges. The Senate shall appoint judges who shall serve for a term of four (4) years unless sooner removed for cause as provided by this Constitution or by resignation, but shall be eligible for reappointment. There shall be one Chief Judge for the Tribal Court and such Associates Judges and Judges pro tempore as may be appointed by the Senate. The Court of Appeals shall consist of a panel of three (3) judges randomly selected. No judge shall preside over a matter in the Court of Appeals if he or she presided over the same matter in the Tribal Court.

SEC. 4. Qualifications of Judges. The qualifications for judges shall be established by ordinance, Provided, that no additional requirements may be added during the tenure of a judge already in office, unless the additions or changes exempt the present judges during their term.

SEC. 5. Compensation. Judges shall receive for their services reasonable compensation that shall not be diminished during their term of office, except during any period of suspension or discipline as may be ordered by the Senate pursuant to Section 6 of this Article.

(a) A judge shall be removed by the Senate for a conviction in Swinomish Tribal Court of a felony as defined by ordinance or for any equivalent conviction in a federal, state, or tribal court while serving as judge, immediately effective upon issuance of the judgment of conviction.

(b) By a vote of at least seven (7) of its members, the Senate may suspend a judge charged with any criminal offense under federal, state, or tribal law pending the outcome of the trial and any appeals, and an interim judge may be appointed for the period of the suspension.

(c) By a vote of at least seven (7) of its members, a judge may be disciplined or removed by the Senate for:

1. any act or omission which would have resulted in ineligibility for appointment;
2. being under the influence of intoxicants or drugs while performing official duties;
3. converting tribal property or monies for personal use;
4. conviction in Swinomish Tribal Court of any misdemeanor as defined by ordinance or any equivalent conviction in a federal, state, or tribal court while serving as judge;
5. desertion of office; or

(d) A judge shall be given full and fair opportunity to reply to any and all charges for which he or she may be disciplined or removed. A judge who is disciplined or removed may appeal directly to the Court of Appeals.

SEC. 7. Judicial power. The Tribal Court System shall have the power to interpret and apply the Constitution and laws of the Tribe, and applicable federal or state law.

ARTICLE X – AMENDMENTS

Amendments to the constitution and by-laws may be ratified and approved in the same manner as this constitution and by-laws.

Whenever five members of the senate shall consider an amendment necessary, such amendment shall be duly approved by five or more members of the senate and sent to the Secretary of the Interior. It shall then be the duty of the Secretary of the interior to call an election. If at such election the amendment is adopted by a majority of the qualified voters of the tribe voting herein and if at least thirty percent of those entitled to vote shall vote in such election, such amendment shall be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior and, if approved by him, shall thereupon take effect.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XLIII to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

[Signature]
Northwest Regional Director

JUL 07 2017

Date
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AMENDMENT XLIII

Bylaws, Article I, Section 3 is amended as follows:

SEC. 3. Secretary of the senate. – The secretary of the senate shall conduct all community correspondence and shall keep an accurate record of all matters transacted at senate meetings. He shall be privileged to vote in the Senate only in the event that he is an elected member thereof.
APPROVAL

I, Stanley M. Speaks, Northwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland, Oregon, by virtue of the authority granted to the Secretary of the Interior of the United States, by the Act of June 18, 1934, (48 Stat. 984), as amended, and delegated to me pursuant to 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, 3 IAM 4, 4A do hereby approve the foregoing Amendment XLIV to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community. This amendment was adopted by a majority of the qualified voters at a Secretarial Election held on May 23, 2017 in which at least thirty (30) percent of those entitled to vote cast their ballots.

Northwest Regional Director

JUL 07 2017

Date
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AMENDMENT XLIV

Bylaws, Article I, Section 4 is amended as follows:

SEC. 4. Treasurer of the senate. - The treasurer of the senate shall accept, receive, receipt for, preserve, and safeguard all funds in the custody of the senate, whether same be community funds or special funds for which the senate is acting as trustee or custodian. He shall deposit all such funds in such banks or elsewhere as directed by the senate, and shall make and preserve a faithful record of such funds, and shall report on all receipts and expenditures and the amount and nature of all funds in his possession or custody, such report being made in writing to the senate at regular meetings and at such other times as requested by the senate.

He shall not pay out or otherwise disburse any funds in his possession or custody, or in the possession or custody of the senate, except when properly authorized so to do by resolution duly passed by it. The books and records of the treasurer shall be audited at least once each year by a competent auditor employed by the senate, and at such other times as the senate may direct.

The treasurer shall be present at all special or regular meetings of the senate, but shall be privileged to vote only in the event that he is an elected member of the senate.
MEMORANDUM

DATE: June 8, 2017

TO: Mr. Stanley Speaks
    Northwest Regional Director

FROM: Marcella L. Teters

SUBJECT: Certificate of Results of Election

Attached are the Certificate of Results of Election for the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community election held on May 23, 2017. Each Amendment has the Signature Page of Certificate of Results of Election. There are (29) twenty – nine in all. Each Amendment passed. I have attached a Certification of Secretarial Election of the number of Yes and No votes received for each Amendment for your reference. Please review and certify the results of this election. If you have any question please call at 425-258-2651.

Enclosure(s)
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment A to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 133 for and 12 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

Marcella L. Teters, Chairperson

Janet Wilbur, Election Board Member

Ivan Willup, Election Board Member

Cathi Bassford, Election Board Member

Sandy Wilbur, Election Board Member

Paula Oldham, Election Board Member

Stephanie Bailey, Election Board Member

Michelle Perry, Election Board Member

Leon John, Election Board Member

Date 5/23/2017

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Amendment A  
(Amends the Title and Preamble to the Constitution and the Title and Article IV of the By-Laws)

TITLE  
Constitution And By-Laws For The Swinomish Indian Tribal Community

PREAMBLE  
We, the members of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, in order to establish a more perfect tribal organization, promote the general welfare, encourage educational progress, conserve and develop our lands and resources, and secure to ourselves and our posterity the power to exercise certain rights of home rule, in accordance with and by the authority of the act of Congress of June 18, 1934, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community.

TITLE  
By-Laws For The Swinomish Indian Tribal Community

ARTICLE IV – INSTALLATION OF SENATORS  
Newly elected members who have been duly certified shall be installed at the first regular meeting of the senate following the election upon subscribing to the following oath, which shall be administered by any authorized person and filed with the secretary of the senate: "I, ---------------, do hereby solemnly swear (or affirm) that I shall preserve, support, and protect the Constitution of the United States, and the constitution and by-laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community to the best of my ability, so help me God."
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment B to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 131 for and 16 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

[Signatures]

Marcella L. Teters, Chairperson

[Signature]

Janet Wilbur, Election Board Member

[Signature]

Ivan Willup, Election Board Member

[Signature]

Cathi Bassford, Election Board Member

[Signature]

Sandy Wilbur, Election Board Member

[Signature]

Paula Oldham, Election Board Member

[Signature]

Stephanie Bailey, Election Board Member

[Signature]

Michelle Perry, Election Board Member

[Signature]

Leah John, Election Board Member

[Signature]
ARTICLE I-NAME, TERRITORY, AND JURISDICTION

SECTION 1. Name. The name of this organized body shall be the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, hereinafter called the community or Tribe.

SEC. 2. Territory. The territory of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community shall include, to the fullest extent possible consistent with applicable federal law and the sovereign powers of the Tribe, all lands, water, property, airspace, surface rights, subsurface rights, and other natural resources
(a) in which the Tribe now or in the future has any interest, or
(b) which are owned now or in the future by the United States for the exclusive or non-exclusive benefit of the Tribe or for individual tribal members, or
(c) which are located within the Swinomish Reservation, notwithstanding the issuance of any existing or future patent or right-of-way.

SEC. 3. Jurisdiction. To the fullest extent possible consistent with applicable federal law and the sovereign powers of the Tribe, the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community shall have jurisdiction over all persons, subjects, property and activities occurring within
(a) its territory as defined by this Article; and
(b) the Tribe’s usual and accustomed fishing grounds and stations and all open and unclaimed lands, as guaranteed by treaty for fishing, hunting and gathering, and on such other lands and waters as is necessary for access to such fishing, hunting and gathering areas.
Further, jurisdiction shall extend to all persons, subjects, property and activities that may hereafter be included within the jurisdiction of the Tribe.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment C to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 122 for and 25 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

Marcella L. Teters, Chairperson
Janet Wilbur, Election Board Member
Ivan Willup, Election Board Member
Cathi Bassford, Election Board Member
Sandy Wilbur, Election Board Member
Paula Oldham, Election Board Member
Stephanie Bailey, Election Board Member
Michelle Perry, Election Board Member
Leon John, Election Board Member

Date
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Amendment C
(Amends Article II, Section 2)

SEC. 2. The governing body shall have the power to promulgate ordinances covering future membership and the adoption of new members, making any necessary adjustments of property rights.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment D to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 122 for and 25 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

Marcella L. Teters, Chairperson

Janet Wilbur, Election Board Member

Ivan Wilup, Election Board Member

Cathi Bassford, Election Board Member

Sandy Wilbur, Election Board Member

Paula Oldham, Election Board Member

Stephanie Bailey, Election Board Member

Michelle Perry, Election Board Member

Leon John, Election Board Member

Date

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Amendment D
(Amends Article III, Section 2)

SEC. 2. This senate shall consist of eleven (11) members duly elected to serve five (5) years, two being elected each year except in years ending in "1" or "6", when three shall be elected.
In Reply Refer To:
Executive Direction

CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment E to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 128 for and 19 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

[Signatures and dates of election board members]

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION RESULTS - AMENDMENT E
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SECTION 1. If a member of the senate or official shall die, resign, or cease to live in Skagit County west of the Interstate 5 (I-5) freeway, or shall be found guilty of a felony, or misdemeanor involving dishonesty in any Indian, State or Federal court, the senate shall declare the position vacant and elect to fill the unexpired term.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment F to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 126 for and 20 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

Marcella L. Teters, Chairperson

Janet Wilbur, Election Board Member

Ivan Willup, Election Board Member

Cathi Bassford, Election Board Member

Sandy Wilbur, Election Board Member

Paula Oldham, Election Board Member

Stephanie Bailey, Election Board Member

Michelle Perry, Election Board Member

Leah John, Election Board Member

Date

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SECTION 1. Enumerated powers. - The senate of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community shall exercise the following powers, subject to any limitations imposed by the statutes or the Constitution of the United States, and subject further to all express restrictions upon such powers contained in this constitution and the attached by-laws:

(a) To negotiate, consult, and enter into agreements with other governments, entities and persons on behalf of the tribe.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment G to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 118 for and 27 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

Marcella L. Teters, Chairperson

Janet Wilbur, Election Board Member

Ivan Willup, Election Board Member

Cathi Bassford, Election Board Member

Sandy Wilbur, Election Board Member

Paula Oldham, Election Board Member

Stephanie Bailey, Election Board Member

Michelle Perry, Election Board Member

Leon John, Election Board Member

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Amendment G
(Amends Article VI, Section 1(b))

(b) To employ legal counsel for the protection and advancement of the rights of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community and its members.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment H to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 120 for and 27 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

Marcella L. Teters, Chairperson

Janet Wilbur, Election Board Member

Ivan Willup, Election Board Member

Cathi Bassford, Election Board Member

Sandy Wilbur, Election Board Member

Paula Oldham, Election Board Member

Stephanie Bailey, Election Board Member

Michelle Perry, Election Board Member

Leon John, Election Board Member

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(c) To authorize and execute, or veto, any sale, disposition, lease, or encumbrance of tribal lands, interests in lands or other tribal assets not inconsistent with Article VIII.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment I to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 121 for and 24 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

Marcella L. Teters, Chairperson

Janet Wilbur, Election Board Member

Ivan Wilbur, Election Board Member

Cathi Bassford, Election Board Member

Sandy Wilbur, Election Board Member

Paula Oldham, Election Board Member

Stephanie Bailey, Election Board Member

Michelle Perry, Election Board Member

Leon John, Election Board Member

Date

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(f) To manage all economic affairs and enterprises of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment J to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 120 for and 25 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

Marcella L. Teters, Chairperson

Janet Wilbur, Election Board Member

Ivan Willup, Election Board Member

Cathi Bassford, Election Board Member

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Michelle Perry, Election Board Member

Leon John, Election Board Member

Date

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Amendment J
(Amends Article VI, Section 1(g))

(g) To authorize expenditures and appropriate any available tribal funds for public purposes of the reservation or the Tribe.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment K to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 121 for and 24 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

Marcella L. Teters, Chairperson 5/23/2017
Janet Wilbur, Election Board Member 5/23/17
Ivan Willup, Election Board Member 5/23/17
Cathi Bassford, Election Board Member 5/23/17
Sandy Wilbur, Election Board Member 5/23/17
Paula Oldham, Election Board Member 5/23/17
Stephanie Bailey, Election Board Member 5/23/17
Michelle Perry, Election Board Member 5/23/17
Leon John, Election Board Member 5/23/17
Amendment K
(Amends Article VI, Section 1(h))

(h) To raise revenue, including the power to levy and collect taxes, duties, fees and assessments, for public purposes of the reservation or the Tribe.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment L to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 121 for and 23 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

Marcella L. Teters, Chairperson

Janet Wilbur, Election Board Member

Ivan Willup, Election Board Member

Cathi Bassford, Election Board Member

Sandy Wilbur, Election Board Member

Paula Oldham, Election Board Member

Stephanie Bailey, Election Board Member

Michelle Perry, Election Board Member

Leon John, Election Board Member

Date

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(i) To exclude from the restricted lands of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community persons subject to the Tribe's jurisdiction under ordinances.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment M to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 120 for and 23 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

*Marcella L. Teters*, Chairperson  
Date: 5/23/2017

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Date: 5/23/17

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Date: 5/23/17

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Date: 5/23/17

*Stephanie Bailey*, Election Board Member  
Date: 9/23/17

*Michele Perry*, Election Board Member  
Date: 5/23/17

*Leon John*, Election Board Member  
Date: 5/23/17

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Amendment M
(Amends Article VI, Section 1(k) and creates subsections (1-3))

(k) To promulgate and enforce ordinances:

1. governing the conduct of all persons within the territory of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, as defined in Article I, Section 2 of this Constitution;

2. governing tribal members beyond the limits of the Swinomish Reservation, including with respect to exercising tribal fishing, hunting, and gathering rights on all usual and accustomed fishing grounds and stations of the Tribe and all open and unclaimed lands as guaranteed by treaty for fishing, hunting and gathering and on such other lands and waters as is necessary for access to such fishing, hunting and gathering areas; and

3. providing for the maintenance of law and order and the administration of justice.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment N to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 123 for and 23 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

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Amendment N
(Amends Article VI, Section 1(l))

(l) To safeguard and promote peace, safety, morals, and general welfare of the Tribe and the Swinomish Reservation by regulating the conduct of trade and the use and disposition of property within the territory of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, as defined in Article I, Section 2 of this Constitution.
In Reply Refer To:
Executive Direction

CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment O to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 122 for and 22 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

 Signed:  

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Amendment O  
(Amends Article VI, Section 1(m))

(m) To establish and regulate subordinate organizations and agencies of the Tribe for any lawful purpose and to regulate the activities of all cooperative associations of members of the Swinomish Community.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment P to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 119 for and 25 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

[Signatures of Members]

Date

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(n) To regulate the inheritance of property, real and personal, within the territory of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment Q to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 121 for and 22 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

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(o) To regulate the domestic relations of persons subject to the Tribe's jurisdiction.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment R to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 119 for and 25 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

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(p) To provide for the appointment of guardians for minors and mental incompetents by ordinance or resolution.
In Reply Refer To:
Executive Direction

CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment S to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 120 for and 24 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:
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Amendment S
(Amends Article VI, Section 2 by creating subsections (a-b))

SEC. 2. (a) Manner of review. - Any resolution or ordinance which, by the terms of this constitution, is subject to review by the Secretary of the Interior, shall be presented to the Superintendent of the reservation who shall, within ten (10) days after its receipt, approve or disapprove the same.

If the Superintendent shall approve any resolution or ordinance, it shall thereupon become effective, but the Superintendent shall transmit a copy of the same, bearing his endorsement, to the Secretary of the Interior, who may, within ninety (90) days from the date of receipt, rescind the said resolution or ordinance for any cause, by notifying the senate of such decision.

If the Superintendent shall refuse to approve any resolution or ordinance within ten (10) days after its receipt by him, he shall advise the Senate of his reasons therefor. If these reasons appear to the senate insufficient, it may, by a majority vote, refer the ordinance or resolution to the Secretary of the Interior, who may, within ninety (90) days from the date of its receipt, approve the same in writing, whereupon the said ordinance or resolution shall become effective.

(b) Laws, when effective. - Any resolution or ordinance, which, by the terms of this Constitution, is not subject to review by the Secretary of the Interior, shall become effective according to its terms or, if no effective date is specified, immediately upon adoption by the Senate.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment T to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 125 for and 19 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

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SEC. 5. Additional powers. – To the fullest extent possible consistent with applicable federal law and the sovereign powers of the Tribe, the Senate of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community shall exercise the following rights and powers heretofore vested in the Tribes or Bands of the Swinomish Reservation in addition to all powers already conferred or guaranteed by the Constitution and Bylaws of the Community:

(a) Zoning power. – to regulate the land use of all property within the Swinomish Reservation.
(b) Natural Resource Protection authority. - To develop, manage, protect and regulate the use of all the Tribe's natural resources wherever situated.
(c) Residual powers:
   1. To enact ordinances and resolutions necessary or incidental to the exercise of the powers set forth in this Constitution.
   2. To take any and all actions necessary and proper for the exercise of the powers and duties enumerated in this Constitution and the accompanying By-Laws, and for all other powers and duties now or hereafter delegated to the Senate, or vested in the Tribe by federal law or through its inherent sovereignty.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment U to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 124 for and 19 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

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Stephanie Bailey, Election Board Member 5/23/17
Michelle Perry, Election Board Member 5/23/17
Leon John, Election Board Member 5/23/17
Amendment U  
(Amends Article VII, Section 3)

SEC. 3. Civil liberties. - All persons subject to the Tribe's jurisdiction may enjoy without hindrance, freedom of worship, conscience, speech, press, assembly, and association.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment V to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 133 for and 11 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

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SEC. 4. Rights of accused. - Any person subject to the Tribe's jurisdiction who shall be accused of any offense shall have the right to a prompt open and public hearing, with due notice of the offense charged, and shall be permitted to summon witnesses in his own behalf. Trial by jury may be demanded by any person accused of any offense punishable by more than thirty days imprisonment. Excessive bail shall not be required, and cruel punishment shall not be imposed.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment W to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 118 for and 25 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

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Paula Oldham, Election Board Member

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Stephanie Bailey, Election Board Member

Date 5/23/17

Michelle Perry, Election Board Member

Date 5/23/17

Leon John, Election Board Member

Date 5/23/17
SECTION 1. Allotted lands. - Allotted lands, including heirship lands within the Swinomish Reservation, shall continue to be held as heretofore by their present owners. It is recognized that under existing law such lands may be condemned for public purposes, such as roads, public buildings, or other public improvements, upon payment of adequate compensation, by any agency of the State of Washington or of the Federal Government, or by the tribal community itself. It is further recognized that under existing law, such lands may be inherited by the heirs of the present owner, whether or not they are members of the community. Likewise, it is recognized that under existing law the Secretary of the Interior may, in his discretion, remove restrictions upon such land, upon application by the Indian owner, whereupon the land will become subject to State taxes and may then be mortgaged or sold. The right of the individual Indian to hold or to part with his land, as under existing law, shall not be abrogated by anything contained in the constitution, but the owner of restricted land may, with any approval of the Secretary of the Interior as may be required by applicable federal law, voluntarily convey his land to the community in exchange for a money payment.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment X to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 123 for and 20 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

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Amendment X
(Amends Article VIII, Section 2)

SEC. 2. Tribal lands. – The unallotted lands of the Swinomish Reservation, and all lands which may hereafter be acquired by the community or by the United States in trust for the community, shall be held as tribal lands, and no part of such land shall be mortgaged or sold, unless specifically authorized by law, and then only with any consent and approval of the Secretary of the Interior as may be required by applicable federal law. Tribal lands shall not be allotted to individual Indians, but may be leased to members of the community, or otherwise used by the community.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment Y to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 119 for and 24 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:
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Michelle Perry, Election Board Member 5/23/17

Leon John, Election Board Member 5/23/17
Amendment Y
(Amends Article VIII, Section 3)

SEC. 3. Leasing of community lands. – To the fullest extent possible consistent with applicable federal law and the sovereign powers of the Tribe, Community lands may be leased by the senate.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment Z to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 126 for and 18 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

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SEC. 6. Acquisition of land by Community. - The community may acquire land, or interests in land, by purchase or otherwise, provided such acquisitions are in accordance with applicable federal law.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment AA to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 124 for and 21 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

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ARTICLE IX - THE TRIBAL COURT SYSTEM

SECTION 1. Establishment. The judicial power of the Tribe shall be vested in the Tribal Court System. The Tribal Court System shall include a Tribal Court and such other lower courts of special jurisdiction, including forums for traditional dispute resolution, as the Senate may establish by ordinance. There shall also be a Court of Appeals which shall be the court of last resort for all cases filed within the Tribal Court System.

SEC. 2. Jurisdiction. The judicial power of the courts shall extend to all cases and controversies within the jurisdiction of the Tribe, in law or equity, arising under this Constitution, the laws or customs of the Tribe, or which are vested in the tribal courts by federal law or by virtue of the Tribe's inherent sovereignty. Any case or controversy arising within the jurisdiction of the Tribe shall be filed in the Tribal Court or other appropriate forum established by the Senate before it is filed in any other court. This grant of jurisdiction shall not be construed to be a waiver or limitation of the Tribe's sovereign immunity.

SEC. 3. Appointment of Judges. The Senate shall appoint judges who shall serve for a term of four (4) years unless sooner removed for cause as provided by this Constitution or by resignation, but shall be eligible for reappointment. There shall be one Chief Judge for the Tribal Court and such Associates Judges and Judges pro tempore as may be appointed by the Senate. The Court of Appeals shall consist of a panel of three (3) judges randomly selected. No judge shall preside over a matter in the Court of Appeals if he or she presided over the same matter in the Tribal Court.

SEC. 4. Qualifications of Judges. The qualifications for judges shall be established by ordinance, Provided, that no additional requirements may be added during the tenure of a judge already in office, unless the additions or changes exempt the present judges during their term.

SEC. 5. Compensation. Judges shall receive for their services reasonable compensation that shall not be diminished during their term of office, except during any period of suspension or discipline as may be ordered by the Senate pursuant to Section 6 of this Article.


(a) A judge shall be removed by the Senate for a conviction in Swinomish Tribal Court of a felony as defined by ordinance or for any equivalent conviction in a federal, state, or tribal court while serving as judge, immediately effective upon issuance of the judgment of conviction.

(b) By a vote of at least seven (7) of its members, the Senate may suspend a judge charged with any criminal offense under federal, state, or tribal law pending the outcome of the trial and any appeals, and an interim judge may be appointed for the period of the suspension.

(c) By a vote of at least seven (7) of its members, a judge may be disciplined or removed by the Senate for:

1. any act or omission which would have resulted in ineligibility for appointment;
2. being under the influence of intoxicants or drugs while performing official duties;
3. converting tribal property or monies for personal use;
4. conviction in Swinomish Tribal Court of any misdemeanor as defined by ordinance or any equivalent conviction in a federal, state, or tribal court while serving as judge;
5. desertion of office; or

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(d) A judge shall be given full and fair opportunity to reply to any and all charges for which he or she may be disciplined or removed. A judge who is disciplined or removed may appeal directly to the Court of Appeals.

SEC. 7. Judicial power. The Tribal Court System shall have the power to interpret and apply the Constitution and laws of the Tribe, and applicable federal or state law.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment AB to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 116 for and 28 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

Signed:

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SEC. 3. Secretary of the senate. – The secretary of the senate shall conduct all community correspondence and shall keep an accurate record of all matters transacted at senate meetings. He shall be privileged to vote in the Senate only in the event that he is an elected member thereof.
CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS OF ELECTION

Under a Secretarial Election Authorized by Stanley Speaks, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Northwest Regional Director on March 2, 2017, the attached Proposed Amendment AC to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, were submitted to the registered voters of the Tribe on May 23, 2017, was duly adopted by a vote of 118 for and 27 against and no cast ballots found spoiled in an election in which at least thirty (30) percent of the 247 registered voters cast their ballot in accordance with the Act of June 8, 1934, 48 Stat. 84, as amended (Indian Reorganization Act).

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Stephanie Bailey, Election Board Member 5/23/17
Michelle Perry, Election Board Member 5/23/17
Leon John, Election Board Member 5/23/17
SEC. 4. Treasurer of the senate. - The treasurer of the senate shall accept, receive, receipt for, preserve, and safeguard all funds in the custody of the senate, whether same be community funds or special funds for which the senate is acting as trustee or custodian. He shall deposit all such funds in such banks or elsewhere as directed by the senate, and shall make and preserve a faithful record of such funds, and shall report on all receipts and expenditures and the amount and nature of all funds in his possession or custody, such report being made in writing to the senate at regular meetings and at such other times as requested by the senate.

He shall not pay out or otherwise disburse any funds in his possession or custody, or in the possession or custody of the senate, except when properly authorized so to do by resolution duly passed by it. The books and records of the treasurer shall be audited at least once each year by a competent auditor employed by the senate, and at such other times as the senate may direct.

The treasurer shall be present at all special or regular meetings of the senate, but shall be privileged to vote only in the event that he is an elected member of the senate.
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Do you vote in favor of Amendment A to ensure the Tribe’s name used in the Constitution’s Title and Preamble and in the By-Laws’ Title and Article IV (oath of office) is the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community, as set forth elsewhere in the Constitution?

| YES [ 133 ] | NO [ 12 ] |

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Do you vote in favor of Amendment B to more fully describe, consistent with applicable federal law, (1) the Tribe’s Territory so that it includes not just lands, but also water, property, airspace, surface rights, subsurface rights, and other natural resources, and (2) the Tribe’s jurisdiction (authority)?

| YES [ 131 ] | NO [ 16 ] |

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Do you vote in favor of Amendment C to delete the requirement that the Secretary of Interior review the Tribe’s ordinances governing future membership and adoptions?

| YES [ 122 ] | NO [ 25 ] |

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Do you vote in favor of Amendment D to change the years in which three Senators are elected to conform to Tribal practice?

| YES [ 122 ] | NO [ 25 ] |
**Constitutional Amendments - Amendment E**

**Article V -- Vacancies and Removal from Office**

**Section 1. Residency Requirement**

Do you vote in favor of Amendment E to make the residency requirement for Senators' remaining in office the same as for those running for office?

- **YES** [128]
- **NO** [19]

**Constitutional Amendments - Amendment F**

**Article VI -- Powers of the Senate**

**Section I and I(a) Tribe's Right**

Do you vote in favor of Amendment F to recognize the Tribe's right to negotiate, consult, and enter into agreement with all governments, entities and persons?

- **YES** [126]
- **NO** [20]

**Constitutional Amendments - Amendment G**

**Article VI -- Powers of the Senate**

**Section I(b) Enumerated Powers**

Do you vote in favor of Amendment G to delete the requirement that the Secretary of the Interior approve persons the Tribe can hire as attorneys?

- **YES** [118]
- **NO** [27]

**Constitutional Amendments - Amendment H**

**Article VI -- Powers of the Senate**

**Section I(c) Enumerated Powers.**

Do you vote in favor of Amendment H to permit the Senate to authorize or veto the use of tribally owned lands, interests in lands, and assets, so long as its actions are consistent with federal law and our Constitution?

- **YES** [120]
- **NO** [27]
| CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS-AMENDMENT I |
| ARTICLE VI -- POWERS OF THE SENATE |
| SECTION I(f) ECONOMIC AFFAIRS |
| Do you vote in favor of Amendment I to allow the Senate to manage its economic affairs and enterprises without reference to the outdated 1936 Charter? |
| **YES** [121] | **NO** [24] |

| CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS-AMENDMENT J |
| ARTICLE VI -- POWERS OF THE SENATE |
| SECTION 1(q) ENUMERATED POWERS |
| Do you vote in favor of Amendment J to permit the Senate to authorize funds for public purposes of the Tribe without the outdated reference to appropriations made prior to 1940? |
| **YES** [120] | **NO** [25] |

| CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS-AMENDMENT K |
| ARTICLE VI -- POWERS OF THE SENATE |
| SECTION I(h) TAXES |
| Do you vote in favor of Amendment K (1) to delete the requirement that the Secretary of Interior review Tribal actions to collect taxes and other fees and (2) to confirm the Tribe's authority to collect monies for any public purpose of the Reservation or Tribe? |
| **YES** [121] | **NO** [23] |

| CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS-AMENDMENT L |
| ARTICLE VI, POWERS OF THE SENATE -- SECTION I(i) SECRETARY OF INTERIOR REVIEW |
| Do you vote in favor of Amendment L to (1) delete the requirement that the Secretary of Interior review the Tribe's exclusion laws and (2) confirm the Tribe's power to exclude persons over whom it has authority? |
| **YES** [121] | **NO** [23] |
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS-AMENDMENT M

ARTICLE VI. POWERS OF THE SENATE -- SECTION I (k) SECRETARY OF INTERIOR REVIEW
Do you vote in favor of Amendment M to (1) delete the requirement that the Secretary of Interior review all of the Tribe's ordinances and (2) confirm the Tribe's authority to pass laws governing persons within its territory and treaty areas and to pass laws that maintain law and order?

YES [ 120 ]

NO [ 23 ]

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS-AMENDMENT N

ARTICLE VI. POWERS OF THE SENATE -- SECTION I (l) SECRETARY OF INTERIOR REVIEW
Do you vote in favor of Amendment N to delete the requirement that the Secretary of Interior review ordinances regulating trade and property within tribal territory?

YES [ 123 ]

NO [ 23 ]

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS-AMENDMENT O

ARTICLE VI. POWERS OF THE SENATE -- SECTION I(m) EMPOWER
Do you vote in favor of Amendment O to empower the Tribe to establish and regulate Tribal agencies and organizations not just for economic, but for any lawful, purpose?

YES [ 122 ]

NO [ 22 ]

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS-AMENDMENT P

ARTICLE VI. POWERS OF THE SENATE -- SECTION I(m) SECRETARY OF INTERIOR REVIEW
Do you vote in favor of Amendment P to delete the requirement that the Secretary of Interior review the Tribe's inheritance laws?

YES [ 119 ]

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**ARTICLE VIII. LAND -- SECTION 6 ACQUISITION OF LAND BY COMMUNITY**

Do you vote in favor of Amendment Z to require that land purchases by the Tribe follow those federal laws that apply to the Tribe?

| YES [ 126 ] | NO [ 18 ] |

### CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS-AMENDMENT AA

**ARTICLE IX. -- CREATING A NEW ARTICLE IX IN THE CONSTITUTION**

Do you vote in favor of Amendment AA which establishes a Constitution Court System, including a description of the court's authority, the appointment, qualifications, and compensation of judges, and the specific grounds for removing and disciplining judges?

| YES [ 124 ] | NO [ 21 ] |

### CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS-AMENDMENT AB

**ARTICLE I. DUTIES OF OFFICERS -- SECTION 3 SECRETARY OF SENATE**

Do you vote in favor of Amendment AB to no longer require the Senate send its minutes to the Bureau of Indian Affairs?

| YES [ 116 ] | NO [ 28 ] |

### CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS-AMENDMENT AC

**ARTICLE I. DUTIES OF OFFICERS -- SECTION 4 TREASURER OF THE SENATE**

Do you vote in favor of Amendment AC to remove language requiring the treasurer to obtain a bond and to delete an outdated reference to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs?

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