

OMAHA TRIBE OF NEBRASKA

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RESOLUTION NO. 24-150 OF THE OMAHA TRIBE OF NEBRASKA

Drafted by: Justin McCauley

RE:

WHEREAS: The Omaha Tribe of Nebraska is a federally recognized Indian tribe, organized under a constitution and bylaws approved by the Secretary of Interior on April 30, 1936, pursuant to Section 16 of the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934; and

WHEREAS: pursuant to Article III, Sec.1 of the constitution of the Omaha Tribe of Nebraska, the governing body of the Omaha Tribe shall also be known as Tribal Council; and

WHEREAS: Article IV, Section 1 (j) of the Constitution of the Omaha Tribe of Nebraska provides the Omaha Tribal Council with the power to safeguard and promote the economy and general welfare of the Omaha Tribe; and

WHEREAS: Article IV, Section 1 (m) To adopt resolutions regulating the procedures of the Tribal Council itself and of other Tribal agencies and Tribal offices; and

WHEREAS: The InterTribal Buffalo Council (ITBC) has successfully obtained funding through Congressional appropriations for Member Tribes' buffalo projects and coordinates distribution of surplus buffalo to Tribes from other entities (federal, private, state, tribal); and

WHEREAS: The Omaha Tribe of Nebraska is in need of financial assistance to further develop the management of the Tribe's buffalo herd, make improvements to the infrastructure and pasture, purchase equipment, obtain surplus buffalo from outside entities, and further support all efforts to promote buffalo restoration on the Omaha Nation reservation; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT: The Omaha Tribal Council finds it is in the best interest of the Omaha Tribe of Nebraska to apply for funding through the InterTribal Buffalo Council Herd Development Grant program, and all other funding opportunities available through ITBC, for FY25 and any future opportunities or until such time this resolution is no longer valid;

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that the foregoing resolution was considered at a duly called meeting of the Omaha Tribal Council on the 29 day of August, and was adopted by a vote of: 4 for; 0 against; 1 abstaining; with the Chairman not voting.

A quorum of 5 was present.

MEMBERS VOTE:	YES	NO	ABSTAIN
Jason Sheridan			Abstain
Jerome Hamilton			Absent
Dustin Lovejoy	X		
Alan Harlan	X		
Leander Merrick			Absent
Galen Aldrich SR	X		
Calvin Harlan	X		

Submitted by:




 Dustin Lovejoy, Secretary
 Omaha Tribal Council

8/29/24

 Date

Attest:



 Jason Sheridan, Chairman
 Omaha Tribal Council

8/29/24

 Date