

**RESOLUTION OF THE SUMMIT LAKE PAIUTE COUNCIL
SUMMIT LAKE PAIUTE TRIBE
OF THE
SUMMIT LAKE PAIUTE RESERVATION, NEVADA**

RESOLUTION NO.: SL - 02 - 2012

TITLE: Approval of a Noxious Weed Policy for the Summit Lake Paiute Tribe

WHEREAS, the Summit Lake Paiute Tribe is organized pursuant to Section 16 of Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984) as amended, with the Articles of Association, and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on January 08, 1965, granting certain powers to the Summit Lake Paiute Council; and

WHEREAS, the Summit Lake Paiute Council has the responsibility for the general welfare of its tribal membership including tribal natural resources; and

WHEREAS, the Summit Lake Paiute Council is the duly constituted governing body within the boundaries of the Summit Lake Paiute Reservation; and

WHEREAS, the Summit Lake Paiute Council has been organized to represent, develop, protect and advance the views, interests, education, resources, and general welfare of the Summit Lake Paiute Tribe membership; and

WHEREAS, the Summit Lake Paiute Council has organized a Natural Resource Department to provide technical expertise and services to manage air, water, soil, fish, wildlife, and plants within the Summit Lake Paiute Reservation and off-reservation areas considered the aboriginal homeland of the Summit Lake Paiute Tribe; and

WHEREAS, the Summit Lake Paiute Council supports management to protect, conserve, and enhance plants and wildlife endemic to the Summit Lake basin and aboriginal area of the Summit Lake Paiute Tribe; and

WHEREAS, the Natural Resources Department has been implementing noxious weed management for several years; and

WHEREAS, an Interim Noxious Weed Control Policy was approved and signed by the Chairman on January 10, 2012; and

WHEREAS, the Interim Noxious Weed Control Policy was discussed at the Summit Lake Paiute Council Meeting on January 21, 2012 and the decision was made to invite Tribal members to comment on the policy; and

WHEREAS, on January 23, 2012, the Summit Lake Paiute Tribe Newsletter, Volume 1, Issue 1, January 2012 was sent out to tribal members with a notice for tribal member comments on a Summit Lake Paiute Tribe Noxious Weed Control Policy; and

WHEREAS, as of February 15, 2012 the Tribal comment period expired and no comments were received.

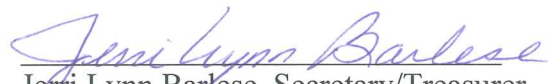
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Summit Lake Paiute Council supports the management of noxious weeds on the Reservation and believes that this policy will assist with controlling the spread of noxious weeds on the Reservation in the future; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Summit Lake Paiute Council approves the Noxious Weed Control Policy with corrections discussed at a duly held meeting on February 18, 2012.

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I, **Jerri Lynn Barlese, Secretary/Treasurer** of the Summit Lake Paiute Council, hereby certify that the above Resolution No.: **SL - 02 - 2012** was brought before the Summit Lake Paiute Council at a duly held meeting on the 18th day of **February, 2012**, with 5 members of the Tribal Council present, constituting a quorum, with the following votes to enact Resolution No. **SL - 02 - 2012; 3 FOR, 0 AGAINST, and 1 ABSTAIN**; with the Tribal Chairman presiding and not voting, this Resolution has not been rescinded, revoked or amended.

2/18/2012
Date


Jerri Lynn Barlese, Secretary/Treasurer
Summit Lake Tribal Council