RESOLUTION NUMBER TMBC916-09-14 OF THE DULY ELECTED AND CERTIFIED GOVERNING BODY OF THE TURTLE MOUNTAIN BAND OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS

- WHEREAS, the Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians, hereinafter referred to as the Tribe, is an unincorporated Band acting under a revised Constitution and By-Laws approved by the Secretary of the Interior on June 16th, 1959 and amendments thereto approved; and
- WHEREAS, Article IX (a) Section 1 of the Turtle Mountain Constitution and By-Laws empowers the Tribal Council with the authority to represent the Band and to negotiate with Federal, State, and Local Governments and with private persons; and
- WHEREAS, Article IX (a) Section 1 of the Turtle Mountain Constitution and Bylaws requires a 30-day comment period prior to the adoption of any ordinances or amendments to the Tribal Code, whether proposed by resolution or otherwise. Adoption must occur through a roll call vote of the Tribal Council at a publicly held meeting; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Election Board has requested four (4) proposed amendments to update the following sections of Title 13: 13.1007 Campaigning; 13.0401 Election Board; 13.1205 Recall, Referendum and Constitutional Amendments; 13.1206 Recall, Referendum and Constitutional Amendments; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribe, by Resolution No. TMBC852-07-14 approved a comment period for proposed changes to Title 13; now
- THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribe is approving the amendments to update the following sections of Title 13: 13.1007 Campaigning; 13.0401 Election Board; 13.1205 Recall, Referendum and Constitutional Amendments; 13.1206 Recall, Referendum and Constitutional Amendments to be effective immediately.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned Tribal Secretary of the Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians, do hereby certify that the Tribal Council is composed of nine (9) members of whom *nine* (9) constituting a quorum were present at a meeting duly called, convened and held on the 18th day of September, 2014 that the foregoing resolution was adopted by an affirmative vote of eight (8) in favor – Representatives Cindy Malaterre, Edward Falcon, Jim Baker, Patrick Marcellais, Zelma Peltier, Elmer Davis Jr., Carson Belgarde and Troy DeCoteau; with the Chairman not voting.

Jolean A. Morin Tribal Secretary 1/24/4

X SIGNED INTO LAW/Dated this 24 day of September, 2014

Richard W. McCloud, Tribal Chairman

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