

AA No. 2019-25



INTERAGENCY AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

WASHINGTON STATE CRIMINAL JUSTICE TRAINING COMMISSION

AND

Port Gamble S'Klallam Department of Natural Resources Fish and Wildlife Police
of Washington

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into by and between the WASHINGTON STATE CRIMINAL JUSTICE TRAINING COMMISSION ("Commission") and Port Gamble S'Klallam Department of Natural Resources Fish and Wildlife Police, ("Tribe"), an Indian Tribe recognized by the United States.

Pursuant to RCW 43.101.157, the Tribe is voluntarily requesting certification for their police officers by the Commission.

THEREFORE, IT IS THE PURPOSE OF THIS AGREEMENT to state and clarify the obligations of the Tribe and its law enforcement officers for compliance with the requirements of the Commission concerning the granting, denying, and revoking certification of Tribe peace officers. This agreement will empower the Commission to provide certification for tribal law enforcement officers of the Tribe, subject to the provisions of RCW 43.101.157 and 43.101.095 *et seq.*

THEREFORE, IT IS MUTUALLY AGREED THAT:

By entering into this agreement, the Tribe agrees to comply with the requirements of peace officer certification as set forth Chapter 43.101 RCW, Chapter 139-06 WAC, and any other laws and regulations governing peace officer certification in the State of Washington. The Tribe agrees to provide the Commission with notification and all information to enforce the revocation of peace officer certification/tribal police officer certification granted through this agreement, as described in RCW 43.101.135.

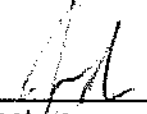
The Commission agrees to maintain certification records for tribal law enforcement officers of the Tribe, and recognize tribal law enforcement officers of that agency as "certified tribal police officers." The Commission will not grant certification to individual officers, outside the scope of this agreement. Officers requesting certification must seek such recognition through their agency.

The Tribe will be responsible for all costs of training related to certification pursuant to RCW 43.101.230.


The Commission will be responsible for the maintenance of the records and for the administration of all requisite actions for granting, denying, or revoking tribal police officer certification.

The Commission and the Tribe agree that no real property will be acquired, maintained, or disposed of, as a result of this agreement.

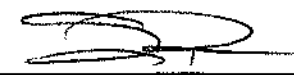
This agreement shall remain in effect until such time as the Tribe voluntarily withdraws its participation or until the Commission withdraws from this agreement due to any lack of cooperation with the terms of the agreement by the Tribe. Any appeal from such action of the Commission will be made to the Executive Director of the Commission or his/her designee, who will exercise their discretion.

 10-2-19
Signature Date

Printed Name: Jeromy Sullivan
Title: Chairman

 10-2-19
Signature Date

Printed Name: Josh Grasset
Commander

 10/29/19
Signature Date

Susan L. Rahr, Executive Director
Washington State Criminal Justice Training Commission

THE)
PORT GAMBLE)
S'KLALLAM)
TRIBAL COUNCIL)
OF THE)
PORT GAMBLE)
S'KLALLAM TRIBE)

I.

WHEREAS, the Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe entered into the Treaty of Point No Point with the United States of America on January 26, 1855, reserving sovereign and aboriginal rights in perpetuity; and

II.

WHEREAS, the Port Gamble S'Klallam Reservation was proclaimed on June 16, 1938 to be an Indian reservation, held in trust by the federal government "...for the benefit and use of the Port Gamble Band of Clallam Indians...", under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Reorganization Act, the purchase of which was paid in full by Tribe; and;

III.

WHEREAS, the Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe's General Council delegated the Tribe's contracting authority to the Tribal Council under Article IV, Section 3 of the Constitution of the Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe, approved by the Secretary of Interior on July 7, 2007, **AMENDED BY CERTIFIED ELECTION JULY 8, 2013**; and

IV.

WHEREAS, the Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe is responsible for protecting and enhancing the social health, educational, and public safety of its Tribal Members, including protecting the tribe's Natural Resources in its treaty right areas; and

V.

WHEREAS, the Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe wishes to obtain certification of its Natural Resources Law Enforcement Officers separately from the Port Gamble S'Klallam Police Department; and

VI.

WHEREAS, the State of Washington has authorized the Criminal Justice Training Commission to issue certification to officers who meet their requirements and as prescribed for in the Revised Code of Washington (RCW); and

VII.

WHEREAS, such certification would be formal recognition by the State of Washington that certified Law Enforcement Officers have the same general authority as police officers from other jurisdictions in the state;

VIII.

WHEREAS such certification would be in conformity with the Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe's Law and Order Code, Titles 5 and 17; and


IX.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe does hereby authorize its Chairman to sign an interagency agreement with Washington State Criminal Justice Training Commission to obtain certification of its Natural Resources Law Enforcement Officers.


CERTIFICATION

WE HEREBY CERTIFY that on this date there was a **regular** meeting held of the Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribal Council on the Port Gamble S'Klallam Indian Reservation, at which time a quorum was present;

WE FURTHER CERTIFY, that the above numbered resolution, was at said meeting, introduced, evaluated, and was passed by a vote of 4 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 ABSTAIN dated this 14 day of October, 2019.



Jeromy Sullivan
Chairperson



Attest:
Council Member