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RESOLUTION

- WHEREAS, the Kalispel Business Committee is the duly constituted governing body by the authority of the Constitution and By-Laws of the Kalispel Tribe; and
- WHEREAS, under the Constitution and By-Laws of the Tribe, the Kalispel Business Committee is charged with the duty of protecting the health, security and general welfare of the Kalispel Tribe and all reservation residents; and
- WHEREAS, the Kalispel Law and Order Code (KLOC), Chapter 2 provides for procedures for a criminal case in Tribal Court, including the procedures and rights for defendants. The KLOC under Chapter 2 however does not address procedures and rights for the victims in criminal cases; and
- WHEREAS, Kalispel Tribal and Community Members have raised concerns about the Kalispel Law and Order Code not having any provisions in the KLOC to protect the victim or the victim's rights; and
- WHEREAS, It is in the best interest of the Tribe and the Community that the rules governing the operation of criminal procedure incorporate protection for the victims of a crime and should be codified into the Tribe's Law and Order Code; and
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that effective immediately the Kalispel Tribe Business Committee adopts the proposed Chapter 2A Crime Victim Rights Act into the Kalispel Law and Order Code.

CERTIFICATION

The foregoing RESOLUTION was adopted by the Kalispel Tribal Council at a meeting held on the 13 day of December, 2016, at the Tribal Office on the Kalispel Reservation with the required quorum present by a vote of 3 FOR and O AGAINST.

GLEN NENEMA, CHAIRMAN KALISPEL BUSINESS COMMITTEE (TERM EXPIRES JUNE 2017)

DARREN HOLMES, SECRETARY KALISPEL BUSINESS COMMITTEE

(TERM EXPIRES JUNE 2019)