ROSEBUD SIOUX TRIBE Resolution No. 2019-238

- WHEREAS, The Rosebud Sioux Tribe is a federally recognized Indian Tribe organized pursuant to the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934 and pertinent amendments thereof: and
- WHEREAS, The Rosebud Sioux Tribe is governed by a Tribal Council made up of elected representatives who act in accordance with the powers granted to it by its Constitution and By-laws; and
- WHEREAS, The Rosebud Sioux Tribal Council is authorized negotiate with the federal, state and local governments, to promulgate and enforce ordinances for the maintenance of law and order, and to safeguard the peace and morals, and general welfare of the Tribe, pursuant to the Rosebud Sioux Tribe Constitution and By-Laws Article IV Sections1 (a), (k), and (m), and
- WHEREAS, Oceti Sakowin (Seven Campfires including the Dakota, Lakota, and Nakota) People are the Original People of Minisota Makoce and lived on this land for thousands of years; and
- **WHEREAS,** Oceti Sakowin tribal governments today are committed to the continuation and revitalization of our cultural traditions; and
- WHEREAS, Earthlodge building is one our ancient cultural traditions and this cultural tradition is far older that the building tradition and codes of the State of Minnesota; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Rosebud Sioux Tribal Council supports Makoce Ikikcupi's efforts to recover homeland and practice our traditions, including earthlodge building; and

FINALLY BE IT RESOLVED, that the Rosebud Sioux Tribal Council fully supports the efforts of Makoce Ikikcupi earthlodge building and agree that these cultural dwellings should be exempt from Minnesota building codes because they should not apply.

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that the above Resolution No. 2019-238 was duly passed by the Rosebud Sioux Tribal Council in session on September 23, 2019, by a vote of thirteen (13) in favor, zero (0) opposed and zero (0) not voting. The said resolution was adopted pursuant to authority vested in the Council. A quorum was present.

ATTEST:

Wayne Boyd, Secretary Rosebud Sioux Tribe Rodney M. Bordeaux, President

Rosebud Sioux Tribe