




**TRADITIONAL COUNCIL  
OF THE  
P'EGP'ÍG7LHA CLAN**


The P'egp'íg7lha Council, comprised of family representatives, is hereby mandated to carry out the following governing responsibilities:

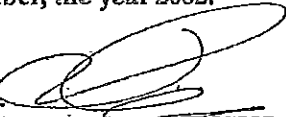
- Conduct Government-to-Government and Nation-to-Nation negotiations related to St'át'imc Title and Rights.
- Finalize P'egp'íg7lha governing documents including the constitution, laws, policies, and procedures.
- Work with Elders Council to create a system of laws to protect the traditional territory;
  - Make rules regarding and advocate for tribal/traditional territories and represent community on these issues.
- Work with the T'ít'q'et Council to address community issues as required.
- Work with the Youth.
- Gather input from studies, needs assessments, and the legal status of issues related to the traditional territory, and generally keep informed about issues.
- Negotiate on behalf of the P'egp'íg7lha with all parties whose activities may impact upon the P'egp'íg7lha.
- Communicate, inform, consult with the people, and monitor broad input ensuring all have a voice.
- Seek advice of Elders Council to ensure St'át'imc principles are maintained.
- Seek ratification for decisions from the P'egp'íg7lha.
- Maintain Intra and Inter-tribal relations on behalf of the P'egp'íg7lha.
- Keep abreast of and address International issues effecting Indigenous peoples.

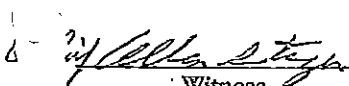
The Tribal Chief will report to and chair all P'egp'íg7lha Council meetings. The P'egp'íg7lha Council will meet once monthly, and will meet with the Elders' Council and the T'ít'q'et Council quarterly.

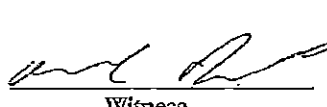
Signed at T'ít'q'et, this 29<sup>th</sup> day of September, the year 2002.


  
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Elders' Council

  
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**ELDERS COUNCIL  
OF THE  
P'EGP'ÍG7LHA CLAN**

The P'egp'íg7lha Elders Council is hereby mandated to carry out the following responsibilities:

**LANGUAGE**

Work with language authority. • Work with St'át'imc communities. • Encourage revival of language.  
Encourage written form. • Be role models in learning more about the language.  
Ensure language is accessible through modern technologies. • Teach youth and adults

**CULTURE**

Practice and encourage revival of ceremonies, spiritual beliefs, and traditional activities such as drumming,  
singing, and dancing. • Guide and oversee instituting of traditional system of laws, potlatching, name giving,  
birth and marriage ceremonies. • Ensure identification and maintenance of sacred sites. • Teach and pass down  
knowledge. • Oversee care and treatment of ancestral remains. • Provide information and advice related to the  
ditional clan system – P'egp'íg7lha – other St'át'imc clans. • Be role models in learning more about the culture.

**HISTORY**

Participate in historical documentation of customs, land, and resource use.

**CONSTITUTION**

Continue to work with the Self Government Working Group and the Traditional Council in the development of  
the P'egp'íg7lha Constitution.

**STEWARDSHIP**

Make the ultimate decision regarding land and resource use.

**HOLD VETO POWER**

Upon direction from the Community, hold veto power over decisions of Traditional Council and T'it'q'et  
Council, which will be applicable to all matters.

**PROMOTE AND SUPPORT TRIBAL UNITY**

By developing a St'át'imc Council of Elders

**TAKE LEADERSHIP**


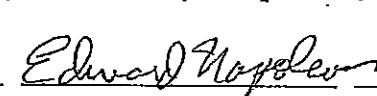

By developing a Justice system that is consistent with T'it'q'et principles and traditions and the will of the  
community. This may include rules concerning protection of children, discipline, protection laws, mediation,  
and enforcement.

**HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT**

Monitor and guide youth participation in government to ensure ongoing development of leadership.

The Elders Council will communicate with the people through General Meetings of the community. Work with the  
Traditional Council, and where necessary, be involved with Chief and Council. Elders Council will have the  
necessary support staff as required.


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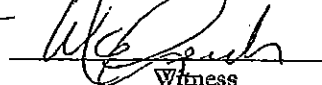
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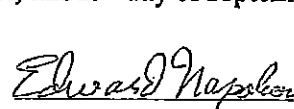

**T'IT'Q'ET  
CHIEF AND COUNCIL  
OF THE  
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T'it'q'et Chief and Council's mandate is to ensure that good government is delivered to the community. Chief and Council will:

- Oversee T'it'q'et Administration and staff, program services, committees, ad hoc committees and boards.
- Review and approve all fiscal year operating budgets.
- Work with Traditional Council regarding natural resources.
- Oversee all matters related to reserve lands.
- Work with youth.
- Oversee all Capital Projects.
- Conduct Government to Government relations regarding programs and services.
- Ensure sound accounting and financial management for all T'it'q'et programs and services, including Band revenues, taxation, Traditional Council and Elders Council budgets.
- Create committees, boards, etc., to assist in the service delivery of programs to members.
- Work in cooperation with the Traditional Council on matters related to family, policing and health services and other services as required.
- Develop policies and procedures.
- Make reports at general community meetings.
- Work with Elders Council.

Chief and Council will work in cooperation with the T'it'q'et Traditional Council. Both Councils will meet jointly at least four times a year to ensure good communications and problem solving.

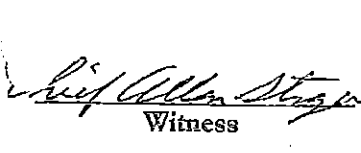
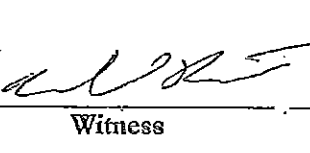

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