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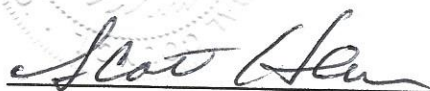
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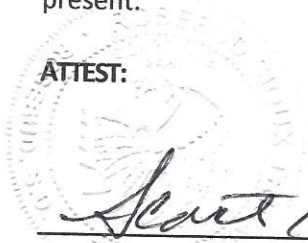
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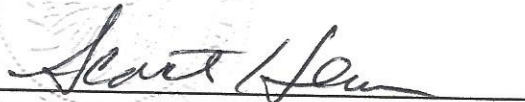
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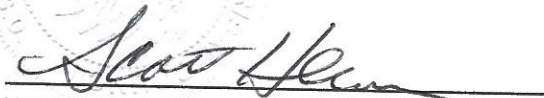
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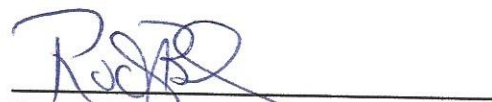
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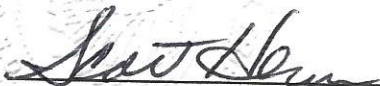
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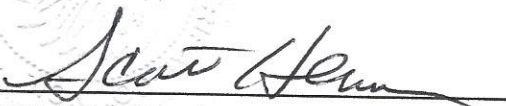
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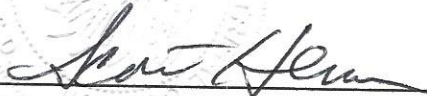
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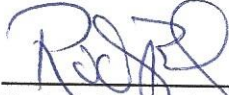
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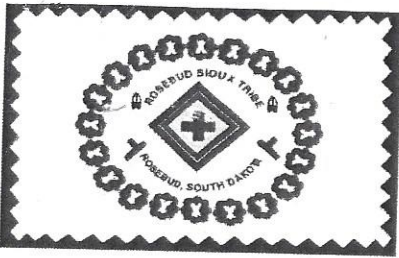
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CARES ACT FUNDING 2020

The LIHEAP office is in receipt of the email sent on Friday June 5, 2020. In response to "ideas and recommendation as to how one can address the pandemic within the parameters of the program." As well as the Cares Act Funding parameters which can be used for Protection, Prevention and Response to the COVID 19 pandemic the following is being proposed.

Due to the Tribal Council declaring a state of emergency, shelter in place and a curfew on March 25, 2020 the LIHEAP office is proposing the following:

- For every Tribal member with an electricity account to receive an air conditioner without regard to income
- A total of \$421,050.00 is needed to fund this proposal.
- By providing an air conditioner to every tribal member with an electricity account we are protecting our members by providing a mechanism to keep their environment cool while adhering to the shelter in place mandate. Furthermore, we are preventing our members from leaving their residence to seek relief from the heat, possibly exposing themselves to the COVID 19 virus. Finally, by responding to provide an air conditioner to each household it will ease some of the increased anxiety allowing all to adhere to the shelter in place and curfew mandates.

TRIBAL MEMBERSHIP

According to the lists received from Cherry Todd, Lacreek, Winner and Rosebud electric companies a total of 2,807 tribal members have an active electricity account.

Electric Companies	Tribal members	Electric Companies	Tribal members
Cherry Todd	2337	Winner	102
Lacreek	257	Rosebud	111
Total members		2807	

COST OF AIR CONDITIONERS

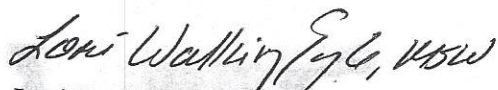
I contacted Lowes, Menards and Sams Club in Rapid City, SD requesting quotes. Menard's can provide 5,000 to 6,000 BTU air conditioners for the price of \$150 or less and have them directly shipped to Rosebud for a cost of \$421,050.00. Lowes can provide all 6,000 BTU air conditioners for \$150 and have them directly shipped to Rosebud for a cost of \$421,050.00

	Tribal members with electricity accounts	Air conditioner	total
Menards	2807	X \$150	\$ 421,050.00
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The difference between the two companies is Lowes can get the majority of the air conditioners shipped by the end of the month whereas Menard's will take up to 30 days.

In conclusion, I have reviewed the many excellent idea's being proposed to budget for the CARES funding received by the tribe. Air conditioners and assistance with electric bills fall within the parameters of the LIHEAP program. The proposal has taken into consideration the plan to assist all tribal members with an electricity account without regard to income to protect, prevent and respond to the shelter in place mandate to prevent a huge outbreak of the COVID 19 virus.

Respectfully,



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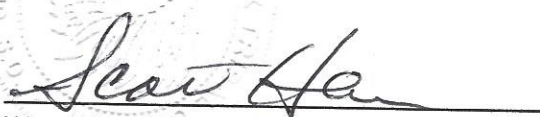
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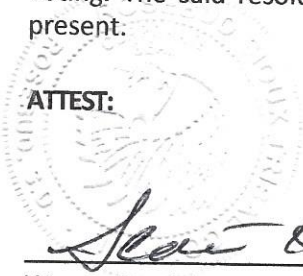
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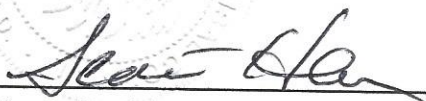
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Attention: Louis Wayne Boyd, RST Secretary

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The following resolutions, received in this office on 07/31/2020 have been reviewed and re-routed to the appropriate branches.

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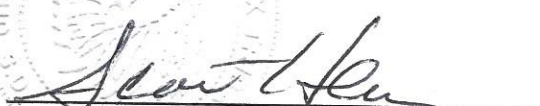
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