

# TE-MOAK TRIBE OF WESTERN SHOSHONE

## RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE TE-MOAK TRIBE OF WESTERN SHOSHONE INDIANS OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION NO: 14-TM-18

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TE-MOAK TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE TE-MOAK TRIBE OF WESTERN SHOSHONE INDIANS OF NEVADA, THAT:**

**WHEREAS**, this organization is a recognized Indian Organization as defined under the Indian Reorganization Act, 1934, as amended, and exercises rights of home rule and is responsible for the promotion of the economic and social welfare and well-being of its members; and

**WHEREAS**, the Te-Moak Tribal Council is composed of four (4) constituent Bands, Elko, Battle Mountain, South Fork and Wells; and

**WHEREAS**, at a duly held meeting on April 15, 2014, the Te-Moak Tribe of Western Shoshone Tribal Council considered the request of the Battle Mountain Band to hold a hearing regarding the exclusion of non-member Ruth Lee Burton, living at 20 Mountain View Drive, Battle Mountain, Nevada 89820, under the Tribe's Non-Member Exclusion Ordinance, 04-ORD-TM-02; and

**WHEREAS**, the Te-Moak Tribal Council by Resolution 14-TM-18 approved the request and scheduled a hearing to be held on the matter on May 19, 2014; and

**WHEREAS**, at the hearing held on May 19, 2014, the Te-Moak Tribal Council heard evidence from the Battle Mountain Band and Ruth Lee Burton, determined that Ms. Burton is engaging in activities that meet all three of the "good cause" standards found in Section 4 of the Non-Member Exclusion Ordinance 04-ORD-TM-02, including: negatively affecting the political integrity and economic security of the Tribe, threatening the health and welfare of the Tribe, and that her exclusion is necessary to protect the Tribe's self-government and internal relations.

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, having met the good cause standards set out in Section 4 of the Tribe's Non-Member Exclusion Ordinance 04-ORD-TM-02, and all other procedures under the Ordinance being met, the Tribal Council finds that Ruth Lee Burton is excluded from the Battle Mountain Band's lands for a period of 2 years as provided in Section 6 of the Ordinance.

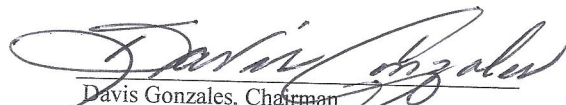
**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that Ruth Lee Burton will be provided a period of 7 calendar days beginning May 20, 2014 to arrange for the transport of the doublewide mobile home, animals and property located at 20 Mountain View Drive as well as the disposal of any trash.

**BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED**, any items left behind by Ruth Lee Burton shall be disposed of by the Battle Mountain Band and any expenses related to their disposal shall be charged to Ms. Burton.

### C-E-R-T-I-F-I-C-A-T-I-O-N

I, the undersigned, as Chairman of the Te-Moak Tribal Council, do hereby certify that the Te-Moak Tribal Council is composed of nine (9) members of whom 7 were present at the meeting which constituted a quorum held **May 19, 2014**, and the foregoing resolution was adopted at such meeting by a vote of 6 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 ABSTENTION pursuant to the authority of Article 4, Section 3.(m) of the Constitution of the Te-Moak Tribe of the Western Shoshone Indians of Nevada.



  
Davis Gonzales, Chairman  
Te-Moak Tribe of Western Shoshone

ATTEST:

  
Nikki Jackson, Recording Secretary  
Te-Moak Tribal Council