AK-CHIN INDIAN COMMUNITY



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W. Ron Allen Tribal Chairman/CEO, Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe & Chairman Self-Governance Advisory Committee c/o Self-Governance Communication & Education Tribal Consortium 314 W. 14th Place Tulsa, OK 74119

Re: Nomination to the Tribal Self-Governance Advisory Committee- Phoenix Area Alternate Representative

Dear Chairman Allen,

As you know Councilwoman Delia Carlyle honorably served as the primary of the Tribal Self-Governance Advisory Committee (TSGAC) and represented the Phoenix Area prior to her Council term limit. Therefore, the Ak-Chin Indian Community requests to formally nominate Chairman Robert Miguel to represent the Phoenix Area alternate representative on the TSGAC. Chairman Miguel's extensive experience and his dedication to health and well-being of tribal communities make him an ideal candidate to serve as the Phoenix Area alternate representative on TSGAC. In the event, Chairman Miguel is unable to attend a meeting, the Ak-Chin Indian Community Council will designate a member of Council to attend as his proxy.

In addition, the Ak-Chin Indian Community names Karen Fierro, Self-Governance Director, as Chairman Miguel's proxy when the Chairman or a member of Council is unable to attend TSGAC meetings. Ms. Fierro currently serves on the TSGAC technical workgroup and will serve as Chairman Miguel's technical advisor on IHS Self-Governance issues.

Below is the contact information for Chairman Robert Miguel:

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Below is the contact information for Karen Fierro:

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Thank you for your consideration of our request. If you have any questions, please contact Karen Fierro at (520) 568-1036 or by email at <u>kfierro@ak-chin.nsn.us</u>

Sincerely,

The Ak-Chin Indian Community

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Lemuel Vincent, Vice-Chairman