

Stockbridge-Munsee Community

BAND OF THE MOHICAN INDIANS

TRIBAL COUNCIL OFFICES

RESOLUTION

Sept. 3, 1996

No. 069-96

WHEREAS, The Stockbridge-Munsee Community, Band of Mohican Indians, is a federally recognized Indian tribe governed by the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council pursuant to authority vested in the Council by a Constitution approved in November 1937; and

WHEREAS, The Stockbridge Munsee Community has the authority under its constitution and its inherent rights as a sovereign nation to pass ordinances regulating the conduct of individuals within the exterior boundaries of the reservation; and

WHEREAS, The Stockbridge-Munsee Community has no ordinance regulating matters relating to the issuance of domestic violence restraining orders and injunctions; and

WHEREAS, The Stockbridge-Munsee Community desires to provide a mechanism for all individuals subject to its jurisdiction for them to be able to protect themselves against domestic violence.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council hereby passes the attached Stockbridge-Munsee Community Domestic Abuse Restraining Orders and Injunctions Ordinance.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said ordinance and its sections shall be renumbered as needed to fit in with the existing ordinances.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council, hereby certify that the Council is composed of 7 members, of whom 7, constituting a quorum, were present at a meeting duly called, noticed, and held on the 3rd day of Sept., 1996, that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 6 for, 0 against, and 0 abstaining.

Virgil Murphy
Virgil Murphy, Chairman
Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council

Carol Goss
Carol Goss, Secretary
Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council