

HONORING DANNY ADAMS
RESOLUTION NO. 2016-01

WHEREAS, Donald “Danny” Fred Adams served as the Upper Tanana Representative on the Tanana Chiefs Conference Executive Board for fourteen years; and

WHEREAS, Danny also served his community as Chief of Tetlin for 26 years, practicing a deep respect for cultural and traditional ways of living; and

WHEREAS, Danny was very committed to teaching cultural values not only to his own children and grandchildren, but to anyone who was willing to learn. In the springtime Danny was normally found at muskrat camp, or hunting ducks, where he truly was in his element of living off the land; and

WHEREAS, Danny learned to play the guitar at a young age and he played in the Tetlin Band for years. He loved to play cards with his friends and for many years was a strong supporter of fast and slow pitch softball. The Tetlin Royalty Team dedicated its first place trophy this past summer to Danny in honor of his continued support and advocacy for sports in his community and region; and

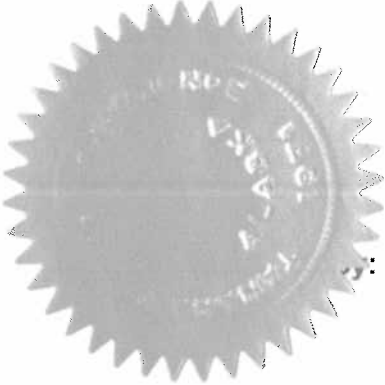
WHEREAS, Danny’s presence at the Tanana Chiefs Conference Executive Board meetings will be missed deeply. He was always advocating not just for Tetlin and the Upper Tanana Subregion, but for issues which impacted the entire Tanana Chiefs Conference Region and Alaska; and

WHEREAS, Danny passed away at his home in Tetlin at the age of 57 surrounded by loved ones. His loss will be felt throughout all communities in our region.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Tanana Chiefs Conference Full Board of Directors recognize the contributions of Danny Adams to his community of Tetlin, the Executive Board, the Tanana Chiefs Conference Region, and all of Alaska.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that this resolution was duly passed by the Tanana Chiefs Conference Full Board of Directors on March 17, 2016 at Fairbanks, Alaska and a quorum was duly established.



PJ Simon
Secretary/Treasurer

: Executive Board of Directors