

ORDINANCE OF THE OGLALA SIOUX TRIBAL COUNCIL
OF THE OGLALA SIOUX TRIBE
(An Unincorporated Tribe)

ORDINANCE OF THE OGLALA SIOUX TRIBAL COUNCIL REQUIRING CHARTERED ORGANIZATIONS TO PLACE REMOVAL PROCEDURES FOR BOARD AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS.

WHEREAS, the Oglala Sioux Tribe organized in accordance with Section 16 of the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934 on December 14, 1935, by adopting a federally approved Constitution and By-Laws, and

WHEREAS, the Tribal constitution authorizes the Oglala Sioux Tribal Council, in Article IV, Section 1(f) of the Tribal Constitution authorizes the Tribal council to manage all economic affairs and enterprises of the Tribe, in Section 1(n) to protect the health and general welfare of the people, in Section 1(o) to charter subordinate organizations and regulate the activities of such organizations, and in Section 1(s) to regulate the procedures of the Tribe itself and other agencies, and

WHEREAS, the Oglala Sioux Tribe Judiciary Committee has recommended that the Oglala Sioux Tribal Council enact an Ordinance requiring that all organizations chartered by the Oglala Sioux Tribe have in place removal procedures for removal of the board and committee members governing such charters, and

WHEREAS, chartered organizations, including schools, have in recent times had many problems associated with board members acting outside of the scope of their authority or mismanaging the chartered organizations, and

WHEREAS, the Oglala Sioux Tribal Council considers it prudent that each chartered organization be required to have in place procedures which will allow and govern the removal of board members and committee members of that chartered organizations, now

THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, that each organization chartered under Oglala Sioux Tribal Law shall hence forth be required to have in place procedures by which any members of any board, council, and committee governing or advising that charter may be removed from office, and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that such procedures should, to the best judgment possible of said chartered organization, allow for the observance of any due process or other rights of any person sought to be removed from office, there under, and

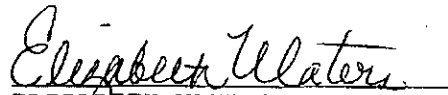
BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that all organization chartered under Oglala Sioux Tribal law shall come into compliance with this Ordinance within ninety (90) days from this date, and each such organization shall provide written proof or verification of enactment and a copy of such procedures to the standing committees of the Oglala Sioux Tribal Council charged with oversight of the chartered organization, and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that all organizations chartered under the Oglala Sioux Tribal law, including, but not limited to schools, shall comply with this ordinance, and


BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that inconsistent provisions of any ordinance, resolution, or other law enacted prior to this date are hereby temporarily suspended.

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I, as the undersigned Secretary of the Oglala Sioux Tribal Council of the Oglala Sioux Tribe, hereby certify that this Ordinance was enacted by a vote of: 16 For; 0 Against; 0 Abstain; and 0 Not Voting; during a REGULAR SESSION held on the 2ND day of MAY 2007.


ELIZABETH WATERS
Secretary
Oglala Sioux Tribe

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JOHN W. YELLOW BIRD STEELE
President
Oglala Sioux Tribe

