

**UNITED NATIVE AMERICAN HOUSING ASSOCIATION
RESOLUTION #2025-07**

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING VETERANS' AFFAIRS TRIBAL ADVISORY
COMMITTEE (TAC)**

WHEREAS, the United Native American Housing Association (UNAHA) is comprised of thirty-four individual member Indian Housing Authorities, Tribally Designated Housing Entities, and Tribes from the states of Colorado, Wyoming, Nebraska, South Dakota, North Dakota, Montana and Utah, and

WHEREAS, the United States Congress recognized tribal sovereignty and self-governance when it created the Veterans Affairs Tribal Advisory Committee (TAC); and

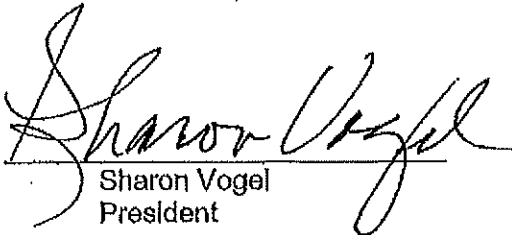
WHEREAS, the Veterans Affairs Advisory Committee on Tribal and Indian Affairs (VA TAC) is a statutory committee established as required by Johnny Isakson and David P. Roe, M.D. Veterans Health Care and Benefits Improvement Act of 2020 (P.L. 116-315) and 38 U.S.C. §547. The Committee operates in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, 5 U.S.C. Appendix 2.

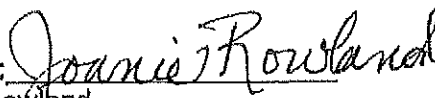
WHEREAS, the VA TAC is the primary means for Tribes to communicate on and influence essential veterans' services and programs.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that UNAHA urges the U.S. Department of Veterans' Affairs to continue the VA TAC as an essential component for effective and efficient design and delivery of essential service to Native veterans.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted during a duly called, noticed and convened Quarterly Meeting assembled for business in Lakewood, Colorado on the 1st day of April, 2025, with 28 members present to constitute a quorum and by a vote of 28 members voting FOR, 0 members Opposed, and 0 not voting.


Sharon Vogel
President

ATTEST: 
Joanie Rowland
Secretary