



## **HO-CHUNK NATION LEGISLATURE**

*Governing Body of the Ho-Chunk Nation*

### **HO-CHUNK NATION LEGISLATURE AMENDMENT TO ELDER DENTAL COVERAGE THROUGH DELTA DENTAL**

#### **RESOLUTION 09-03-13J**

- WHEREAS**, on November 1, 1994, the United States Secretary of the Interior approved a new Constitution for the Ho-Chunk Nation, formerly known as the Wisconsin Winnebago Nation; and
- WHEREAS**, the Ho-Chunk Nation ("Nation") is a federally recognized Indian Tribe, organized pursuant to the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934; and
- WHEREAS**, Article V, Section 2 (a) of the Ho-Chunk Nation Constitution ("Constitution") grants the Ho-Chunk Nation Legislature ("Legislature") the power to make laws, including codes, ordinances, resolutions and statutes; and
- WHEREAS**, Article V, Section 2 (i) of the Constitution grants the Legislature the power to negotiate and enter into treaties, compacts, contracts and agreements with other governments, organizations, or individuals; and
- WHEREAS**, Article V, Section 2 (s) of the Constitution grants the Legislature the power to promote public health, education, charity, and such other services as may contribute to social advancement of members of the Ho-Chunk Nation; and
- WHEREAS**, Article V, Section 2 (x) of the Constitution grants the Legislature the power to enact any other laws, ordinances, resolutions, and statutes necessary to exercise its legislative powers delegated by the General Council pursuant to Article III including but not limited to the forgoing list of powers; and
- WHEREAS**, it has been brought to the attention of the Ho-Chunk Nation Insurance Department ("Insurance Department") by the Legislative Finance Committee that the Elder Dental Plan should be increased from an annual maximum benefit of \$2,000.00 to \$4,000.00 and that the cost of doing so will be \$12,832.20 to make that increase effective September 1, 2013; and

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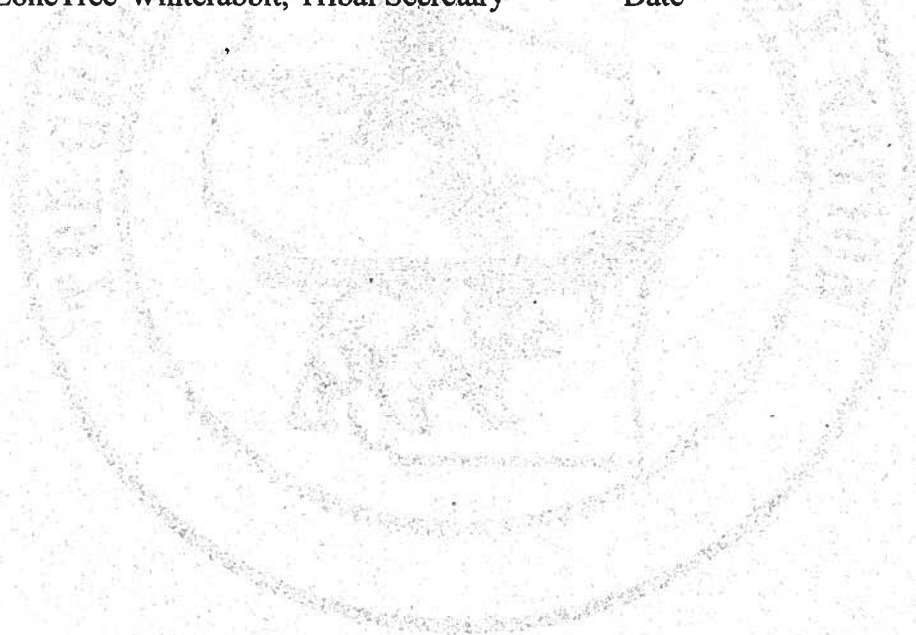
**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Legislature, pursuant to its Constitutional authority, hereby approves the attached Summary of Benefits amendment to the Elder Dental Plan.

**CERTIFICATION**

I, the undersigned, as Tribal Secretary of the Ho-Chunk Nation, hereby certify that the Legislature of the Ho-Chunk Nation, composed of **13 members** of whom **11** constituting a quorum were present at a meeting duly called and convened and hold on the **3<sup>rd</sup> day of September, 2013**, adopted the foregoing resolution at said meeting by an affirmative vote of **11 members, 0 opposed, and 0 abstaining**, pursuant to Article V, Section 2 (a) and (x) of the Constitution of the Ho-Chunk Nation, approved by the Secretary of the Interior on November 1, 1994, and that the foregoing resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way. I further certify that this is a verified copy of said resolution.

Kathleen LoneTree-Whiterabbit  
Kathleen LoneTree-Whiterabbit, Tribal Secretary

9.3.13  
Date



**Summary of Benefits**

**Group Number:** 93396 - Elders

**Effective Date of Program:** October 1, 2002

**Dependents to Age:** 27 - (Please see "Covered Dependents" in the "Eligibility" section for requirements).

**Deductibles:**

Per Person, per Benefit Accumulation Period: \$ .00  
Per Family, per Benefit Accumulation Period: \$ .00

**Benefit Maximums:**

Per Person, per Benefit Accumulation Period: \$4,000.00

Orthodontic Maximum Benefit:  
Per Dependent Child, per Lifetime: \$ .00

**Benefits:**

Payment for procedures provided by dentists for treatment of dental disease or injury will be made on the basis of the MPA.

<b>Diagnostic and Preventive Procedures</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>Basic Restorative Procedures</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>Major Restorative Procedures</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>Orthodontic Procedures</b>	<b>0%</b>

After you have satisfied the deductible requirements as stated, the program provides payment at the indicated percentage of fees, up to the maximum stated for each eligible person in each benefit accumulation period. A benefit accumulation period is a 12-month period of time over which deductibles (if any) and maximums apply. The benefit accumulation period is January 1 through December 31.