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Passed at Fall Leadership Meeting, October 26, 2004
12th Annual Dehcho Assembly
Kakisa Lake, NT
June 29th – July 2nd, 2004

Resolution # 15

RE: West Point Channel

Moved by:

**Proxy Richard Lafferty
Fort Providence Metis
Local 57**

Seconded by:

**Chief Karen Felker
West Point First Nation**

**Certified copy of
resolution made at Liidlii
Kue First Nation, October
26, 2004**

**Herb Norwegian
Grand Chief**

WHEREAS, the West Point Channel has become very shallow and West Point First Nation is having difficulty with boat access to Great Slave Lake;

WHEREAS, access to Great Slave Lake is a priority for West Point First Nation;

WHEREAS, West Point First Nation wants to have the West Channel dug out to allow ease of access for community boats;

WHEREAS, West Point First Nation has consulted with the Town of Hay River and received their support;

WHEREAS, West Point First Nation has consulted with the Department of Fisheries and Oceans (DFO), and DFO did not express any concerns;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Dehcho First Nations support West Point First Nation in having the West Point Channel dug out to allow community boat access to Great Slave Lake;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Dehcho First Nations will support West Point First Nation through the permitting process for this project.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Dehcho First Nations will support West Point First Nation in seeking access to Small Craft harbor funding.

