LETTER OF INTENT for an Indigenous Community of Peace

The undersigned, as independent citizens of  (name of Tribe or Nation):
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headquartered in (City, State, Nation) ____________________________________________

hereby acknowledge the intention to establish an Indigenous Community of Peace.

The Indigenous Communities of Peace network promotes the safety, prosperity and quality of life of all indigenous peoples around the globe. Each Indigenous Community of Peace has a historical legacy, hallowed traditions, and modern solutions to promote justice, sovereignty, historical record, culture, and increased global representation. One of the benefits of establishing an Indigenous Community of Peace is a special web presence on www.internationalcitiesofpeace.org that focuses on the history, challenges, and progress in your Community.

• The name of your Community in Native language and English
• A web link to or a narrative of the history and tradition of the Nation or Tribe
• A vision for how the Community is working toward a sustainable peace
• Photos of the Community and members with captions
• Background on the Liaison who will join the Network’s Leadership Council

As a guideline, United Nations Resolution A/RES/52/13 defines a Culture of Peace as a set of values, attitudes, modes of behavior and ways of life that reject violence and prevent conflicts by tackling their root causes to solve problems through dialogue and negotiation among individuals, groups, and nations. In addition, the Golden Rule (variously stated including “do for others as you would have them to do for you”) provides a universal statement for compassion and respect among a community’s diverse and nonviolent philosophies, religions, and personal creeds.

Intention dated: _____________________

Signatures: Title and/or Organization, if applicable

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