Nunavut Tunngavik Incorporated

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Kugluktuk, Nunavut **October 19, 2026**

Resolution #: RSB-26-10-06 **Health and Wellness Spending Plan**

Moved by: Lawrence Otokiak

Seconded by: Paul Irngaut

WHEREAS in Budget 2017 the federal government established Inuit's distinction-based health and wellness funding.

AND WHEREAS this funding is intended to support closing the health outcomes gap between Inuit and other Canadians, particularly by supporting maternal and child health, access to primary care and mental health and wellness services;

AND WHEREAS the previous 5-year plan was approved by the NTI Board of Directors in 2022 and is set to expire March 31, 2027;

AND WHEREAS a renewed plan is required to ensure continuity of funding for NTI, Regional Inuit Associations (RIAs) and not-for-profits;

AND WHEREAS the proposed spending plan invests in several key health programs and services including NTI positions, RIA's health priorities and regional healing gatherings, not-for-profit contributions for health and wellness initiatives, crisis response teams, midwifery, and health system navigation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT NTI allocates 40.8M of Indigenous Services Canada Health and Wellness funding in accordance with the spending plan over the next 5 fiscal years beginning April 1, 2027;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT contributions to RIAs and other external organizations in accordance with the spending plan are subject to terms and conditions of contributions agreements at the discretion of the Chief Executive Officer;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT NTI is authorized to make minor adjustments to the spending plan, including adjustment of funding level to an organization within 10% of the initially proposed amount, based on changing circumstances or where appropriate.

In Favour: All
Against:
Abstentions:

Carried: ☒
Defeated: ☐

Dated: October 19, 2026