



**RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE  
THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES OF THE  
FORT BERTHOLD INDIAN RESERVATION**

***A Resolution Entitled: "Land Purchase – Karen Walks - East Segment."***

**WHEREAS,** The Mandan Hidatsa and Arikara Nation, also known as the Three Affiliated Tribes ("Tribes" or "MHA Nation"), having accepted the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934, the authority under said Act, and having adopted a Constitution and By-laws (the Constitution) under said Act, and

**WHEREAS,** Pursuant to Article III, Section 1 of the Constitution, the Tribal Business Council is the governing body of the MHA Nation; and

**WHEREAS,** The Constitution authorizes and empowers the Tribal Business Council to engage in activities on behalf of and in the interest of the welfare and benefit of the MHA Nation and of the enrolled members thereof; and

**WHEREAS,** Pursuant to Article VI, Section 5(1) of the Constitution, the Tribal Business Council has the power to adopt Resolutions regulating the procedures of the Tribal Business Council, its agencies, and officials; and

**WHEREAS,** The Three Affiliated Tribes has determined that it is in the best interests of the Tribe to acquire land; and

**WHEREAS,** The Tribal Business Council has considered the location of the below-described land, the potential public and economically beneficial use of the land, Tribal Self-determination; and

**WHEREAS,** After such consideration the Tribal Business Council approves the purchase of said land pending legal review and drafting of appurtenant documentation.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes hereby approves the purchase of the surface described below from:

**Karen Walks, Tribal Member**

For cash consideration of \$120,000.00, which is the appraised value, utilizing funds from FY2023 560 Land Purchase Account, and hereby authorizes the Chairman of the Tribal Business Council, its Secretary, the Superintendent of the Fort Berthold Agency, the Area Director, and Commissioner of the Indian Affairs to prepare all documents and do all things necessary to transfer title of the land to the United States of America, in trust for the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation, to wit:

**Allotment 301-1343, W½NE¼, Section 20, Township 148 North, Range 89 West, McLean County, 5<sup>th</sup> PM of North Dakota, containing an undivided 0.333333334 interest, containing 26.66, acres more or less, appraised at a value of \$120,000.00.**



Surface Only

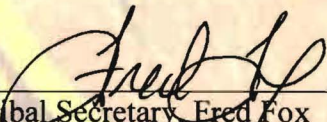
BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Chairman is hereby authorized to execute such documents, pursuant to legal review, and take such further actions as are necessary to carry out the terms and intent of this Resolution.

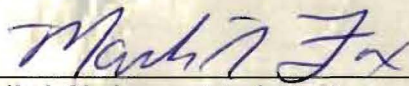
CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation hereby certify that the Tribal Business Council is composed of seven (7) members of whom five (5) constitute a quorum, 7 were present at a Regular Meeting thereof duly called, noticed, convened and held on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2023, that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of 7 members, 0 members opposed, 0 members abstained, 0 members not voting, and that said Resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Chairman [ X ] Voting. [ ] Not Voting.

Dated this 13<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2023

  
Tribal Secretary, Fred Fox  
Tribal Business Council  
Three Affiliated Tribes

  
Tribal Chairman, Mark N. Fox  
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Three Affiliated Tribes