

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

WHEREAS, This Nation having accepted the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934, and the authority under said Act; and

WHEREAS, The Constitution and Bylaws of the Three Affiliated Tribes authorizes and empowers the Tribal Business Council to engage in activities for the welfare of the tribes and tribal members; and

WHEREAS, The United Tribes Educational Technical Center is owned and operated by the five (5) Tribes located in whole or in part in North Dakota. These reservations include: The Three Affiliated Tribes of Fort Berthold; the Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa at Belcourt; the Devils Lake Sioux at Fort Totten; the Standing Rock Sioux of North and South Dakota and the Sisseton-Wahpeton Sioux of Lake Traverse; and

WHEREAS, The United Tribes Educational Technical Center has provided residential educational opportunities to Indian families and individuals, having served an average of 15 reservations representing 22 Tribes each year for the past 14 years; and

WHEREAS, The United Tribes Educational Technical Center does meet special educational needs of Indian people; and

WHEREAS, The United Tribes Educational Technical Center operates and carries out its services pursuant to the provisions of P. L. 93-638; and

WHEREAS, The United Tribes Educational Technical Center is an accredited member institution of the North Central Association of Schools and Colleges, since 1982.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Three Affiliated Tribes does hereby fully support the continued existence and efforts of the United Tribes Educational Technical Center's member Tribes for the continuation of its mission and urges the Bureau of Indian Affairs to fund the school at a level that will maintain the complete services provided by the School; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Three Affiliated Tribes Tribal Business Council does support a Bureau of Indian Affairs "specific line item" in the annual Bureau budget designated for the United Tribes Educational Technical Center; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Three Affiliated Tribes hereby support and authorize the United Tribes Educational Technical Center to enter into contracts with the Bureau of Indian Affairs for the following:

- 1) Theodore Jamerson Elementary School (K-8 grades) at UTETC;
- 2) the Prime Contract via Employment Assistance for operation of the vocational school.
- 3) UTETC Title I Multi-Agency Special Education Service Unit serving BIA and contract schools at Standing Rock, Fort Berthold and Fort Totten reservations; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Tribal Chairman be instructed to contact all appropriate officials for the continuation of the United Tribes Educational Technical Center at the necessary levels of funding.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this authorization is in effect subject to the condition that funds are not jeopardized for programs available to the Three Affiliated Tribes.

C E R T I F I C A T I O N

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Tribal Business Council or the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, hereby certify that the Tribal Business Council is composed of 11 members of whom 7 constituting a quorum, 7 were present at a Regular meeting, thereof duly called, noticed, convened, and held on the 14 day of July, 1983; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of 7 members, — members opposed, — members abstained, — members not voting, and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

CHAIRMAN: VOTING ~~NOT VOTING~~

Dated this 14 day of July, 1983.

Nathan Paul Goodwin
acting SECRETARY, TRIBAL BUSINESS COUNCIL

ATTEST:

Dennis Halvor
(Acting) CHAIRMAN, TRIBAL BUSINESS COUNCIL