## 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 of the Three Affiliated Tribes generally 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 Tribes and of the enrolled members thereof, and;
WHEREAS,	Article VI, Section 5(c), provides that the Tribal Business Council may administer any funds or property within the exclusive control of the Tribes to make expenditures from available Tribal funds, and;
WHEREAS,	Parshall Resource Center (PRC) is a non-profit organization funded by the State of North Dakota through North Central Human Service Center, Minot, North Dakota to provide Drug and Alcohol Residential and Detoxification Services; and
WHEREAS,	Parshall Resource Center has contracted with the State of North Dakota for the 1999-2001 biennium for an amount of \$152,944.00; and
WHEREAS,	Parshall Resource Center has a biennium cost of providing services of \$388,552.00 and the current authorized amount will cover only 38% of our operating base; and
WHEREAS,	At the present time, we are requesting funds in the amount of \$10,000 per month for operating expenses for a period not to exceed 120 days, beginning June 1, 2000 and ending September 30, 2000; and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** That the Three Affiliated Tribes Tribal Business Council does hereby support the mission of the Parshall Resource Center and pledges to assist the organization by coordinating with the appropriate and necessary agencies to deliver enhanced continuum of care; and

**BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED,** That the Three Affiliated Tribes Tribal Business Council approves an monthly expenditure of \$10,000.00 from Tribal General Fund, not to exceed 120 days, beginning June 1, 2000 and ending September 30, 2000. The total allocated amount will be \$40,000.00.

## CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, hereby certify that the Tribal Business Council is composed of 7 members of whom 5 constitute a quorum, 7 were present at a <u>Special</u> Meeting thereof duly called, noticed, convened, and hele on the 46 day of May, 2000; that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at such Meetin by the Affirmative vote of members; members opposed, members abstained, members not voting, and said Resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.
Dated this 4th day of May , 2000.
CHAIRMAN (X) VOTING ( ) NOT VOTING
Secretary, Tribal Business Council