

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

A Resolution entitled: "Tribal Business Council Approval and Certification for the FY 2007 Grant Application for the ICDBG Grant Program for the Four Bears Segment Multi-purpose Building."

- WHEREAS, This Nation having accepted the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934, and the authority under said Act and having adopted a Constitution and By-laws under said Act; and
- WHEREAS, Pursuant to Article III, Section 1 of the Constitution and By Laws of the Three Affiliated Tribes, the Tribal Business Council is the governing body of the Tribes; and
- WHEREAS, Pursuant to Article VI, Section 5 (l) of said Constitution, the Tribal Business Council has the power to adopt resolutions regulating the procedures of the Tribal Business Council and other Tribal agencies and Tribal officials on the Reservation; and
- WHEREAS, The Tribal Business Council has authority to engage in activities on behalf of and for the welfare and benefit of the Tribes and of the Tribes of the enrolled members thereof; and
- WHEREAS, Pursuant to Article VI, Section 5 (d) of said Constitution, the Tribal Business Council is authorized to negotiate with the federal government and advise the federal government with regards to all appropriations estimates or federal projects for the benefit of the Three Affiliated Tribes, and
- WHEREAS, the Tribe has authority to submit applications to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for the Indian Community Development Block Grant (ICDBG) program and the Tribal Business Council has decided that the first priority for the ICDBG Grant Application for FY 2007 shall be to build a new Multi-purpose Building for the Northwest/Four Bears Segment with a total grant request of \$900,000 + 25% tribal cash match of \$300,000 for a total project cost of \$1.2 million; and
- WHEREAS, Pursuant to Resolution No. 05-97-NH the Tribe has adopted, acknowledged, and accepted the Maintenance and Operation Plan required by HUD for all proposed community facilities and commits to providing annually the necessary financial support in the amount of \$30,000.00 for these responsibilities; and

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WHEREAS, all community facilities owned in whole or in part by the Three Affiliated Tribes are covered under the Tribes' comprehensive insurance policy; and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes hereby authorizes the FY 2007 ICDBG Grant application in the amount of \$900,000 for the purpose of constructing a multi-purpose building for the North West/Four Bears Segment Community; and

**FURTHER, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Four Bears Segment of the Three Affiliated Tribes shall allocate \$10,000.00 annually for a maintenance reserve fund for the new facility; and

**FURTHER, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Tribal Business Council hereby certifies that the requirements of 24 CFR 953.6049 (a) and (c) have been complied with in the development of the FY 2007 ICDBG grant application to ensure adequate citizen participation and input and further certifies that at least 85% of the beneficiaries of the purposed project are at or below low and moderate incomes; and

**FURTHER, IT BE RESOLVED,** the Tribal Business Council hereby certifies that the demographic data submitted with the FY 2007 ICDBG grant application has been systematically collected, is systematically reliable and feasible and is independently verifiable; and

**FURTHER, IT BE RESOLVED,** the Tribal Business Council hereby certifies that Four Bear's Community is the priority for FY 2007 ICDBG and that it will provide a cash match of 25% of the total project cost in the amount of \$300,000 in compliance with the ICDBG grant requirements for the FY 2007 application (Total grant request is \$900,000.00 + 25% cash match of \$300,000 = 1,200,000.00); and

**FURTHER, IT BE RESOLVED,** that the Tribal Business Council hereby authorizes Tribal Chairman Marcus D. Wells, Jr. and Tribal Secretary V. Judy Brugh to sign and certify all agreements, applications, and other documents necessary for said grant application; and

**FINALLY BE IT RESOLVED**, the Three Affiliated Tribes hereby adopts and adheres to all codes of conduct, financial management, procurement and internal control policies and procedures in compliance with 24 CFR Part 84 and 85; 24 CFR Part 1003 in the administration of all ICDBG projects.



## **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 were present at a Regular Meeting thereof duly
called, noticed, convened, and held on the 10 day of May 2007, that the foregoing
Resolution was duly adopted at such Meeting by the affirmative vote of members,
members opposed, _O_ members abstained, _O_ members not voting, and that said Resolution
has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Chairman [√] Voting. [ ] Not voting.

Dated this 10 day of May, 2007.

ATTEST:

Tribal Secretary, V. Judy Brugh Tribal Business Council

Tribal Business Council Three Affiliated Tribes

Tribal Chairman, Marcus Wells Jr.

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