

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

A Resolution Entitled: "Tribal Business Council Approval of the Fort Berthold Rural Water Program's Emergency Response Plan and the Security Vulnerability Assessments for the Four Bears, Twin Buttes, White Shield, and Mandaree Drinking Water Systems"

- 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 pursuant to said Act; and
- **WHEREAS**, Article III of the Constitution of the Three Affiliated Tribes provides that the Tribal Business Council is the governing body of the Tribes; and
- WHEREAS, The Constitution of the Three Affiliated Tribes 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 (l) of the Constitution of the Three Affiliated Tribes provides that the Tribal Business Council has the power to adopt resolutions regulating the procedure of the Tribal Business Council and other Tribal agencies and Tribal officials on the Reservation; and
- WHEREAS, The Tribe and Tribal Business Council has established the Fort Berthold Rural Water Program whose primary responsibility is to develop effective, efficient and safe, drinking water systems for the members of the Tribe on the Reservation; and
- **WHEREAS,** The Fort Berthold Rural Water Program operates the Four Bears, Twin Buttes, White Shield and Mandaree Drinking Water Systems; and
- WHEREAS, In order to ensure the continued safety of the Fort Berthold Water Systems, the Fort Berthold Rural Water Program has developed an Emergency Response Plan for all of its systems and Security Vulnerability Assessments for the Twin Buttes, Four Bears, White Shield and Mandaree Drinking Water Systems; and
- **WHRERAS,** Said Emergency Response Plan and the individual Vulnerability Assessments have been presented to and approved by the Three Affiliated Tribes Natural Resource Committee.



NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes hereby approves for implementation the Fort Berthold Rural Water Program's Emergency Response Plan for its water systems and the individual Safety Vulnerability Assessments for the Four Bears, Twin Buttes, White Shield and Mandaree Drinking Water Systems.

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, 5 were present at a Regular Meeting thereof duly
called, noticed, convened, and held on the 15 day of) und 2007; that the foregoing
Resolution was duly adopted at such Meeting by the affirmative vote of 5 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 15 day of June 2007.

ATTEST:

Tribal Secretary, V. Judy Brugh

Tribal Business Council

Three Affiliated Tribes

Tribal Chairman, Mareus Wells Jr.

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