

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

A Resolution entitled, "Approval of Funding Granted by the Tribe, for the Renovation of Four Bears Master Lift Station"

- 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, The Constitution and By-laws of the Three Affiliated Tribes was adopted by membership of the Tribes on May 15<sup>th</sup>, 1936 pursuant to the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934 and duly approved by the Secretary of Interior; 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 (d) of the Constitution of the Three Affiliated Tribes provides that the Tribal Business Council has the power to negotiate with Federal, State and local governments on behalf of the Tribe and to advise and consult with representatives of the Interior Department on all activities that may affect the Fort Berthold Reservation; and
- WHEREAS, In 2016 the Tribe listed its top 4 priorities in IHS deficiency systems submission. Naming The Four Bears Master Sewer lift station renovation as the number one project request; and
- WHEREAS, On July 31, 2018 a bid opening was held with the lowest qualifying bid coming in at \$218,820.00; and
- WHEREAS, The Indian Health Service has funding in the amount of \$107,100.00 available for this project and but requires a commitment from the tribe in the amount of \$111,720.00 in order to award to the low bidder; and
- NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes hereby authorizes and approves funding in the amount of \$111,720.00 from the Four Bears Segment for the renovation of the Four Bears Master Lift Station; and



NOW BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, The Tribal Business hereby authorizes the Tribal Chairman to take such action as is 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 15<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2018, that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of 5 members, 0 members opposed, 0 members abstained, 2 members not voting, and that said Resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Chairman [ X ] Voting. [ ] Not Voting.

Dated this 15<sup>th</sup> day of <u>August</u>, 2018.

ATTEST:

Tribal Secretary, Fred W. Fox
Tribal Business Council

Chairman, Mark N. Fox
Tribal Business Council