## THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES TRIBAL BUSINESS COUNCIL

## Special Meeting February 15, 1991

- PRESENT: Wilbur D. Wilkinson, Chairman; John Rabbithead., Jr. Secretary; Austin Gillette, James Mossett and Titus Hall, Councilmembers.
- ABSENT: Roger Bird Bear, Treasurer and Theodore Lone Fight, III, Vice Chairman.
- OTHERS: None
- ITEM 01: Call to Order: Meeting called to order at 8:45 PM.
- ITEM 02: Roll Call: Roll called by Secretary Rabbithead. Quorum established.
- ITEM 03: Selection of Chief Judge: Resolution #91-44. Councilman Hall made a motion to reselect Anthony Hale, Jr. as Tribal Chief Judge, seconded by Austin Gillette.

Vote: 5 for, 0 opposed.---Motion Passed.

ITEM 04: Pay increase for Tribal Business Council: #91-45. Councilman Gillette recommended that the Tribal Chairman be paid at the rate of GS-12 and the rest of the Councilmen be paid at a GS-11 rate.

Secretary Rabbithead made a motion for the rate recommendation, seconded by Councilman Hall.

Vote: 5 for, 0 opposed.---Motion Passed.

ITEM 05: Settlement Offer:

Russell Bird, Delvin Driver, and Perry Brady proposed a settlement offer of \$1,000.00 on Tribal loan. Legal Department did not recommend the settlement. Counter-offer to be made to include settlement offer and land.

Councilman Hall made a motion for settlement offer, seconded by Secretary Rabbithead.

Vote: 5 for, 0 opposed.---Motion Passed.

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ITEM 06: Legal Counsel: Neither Chief of Staff, Christopher "Kip" Quale or Diane Johnson, In-house attorneys were asked to resign. It was their decision to resign.

Attorney contracts for Schoppert & Associates was presented:

Secretary Rabbithead made a motion to approve Attorney contracts, seconded by Councilman Hall.

Vote: 3 for, 2 opposed.---Motion Passed.

ITEM 07: Transfer Agreement/Water Tower: Motion for Tribal Business Council to meet with New Town City Council to include in city of New Town, all Indian homes.

Councilman Gillette made motion, seconded by Councilman Hall.

Vote: 5 for, 0 opposed.---Motion Passed.

ITEM 08: Associate Judge: Resolution #91-43. Reaffirmation of selection of Judge William Strate as Associate Judge.

Councilman Mossett made motion, seconded by Councilman Hall.

Vote: 5 for, 0 opposed.---Motion Passed.

ITEM 09: In House-Legal Counsel: Chairman Wilkinson requested for authorization to meet with Diane Johnson to discuss possible inclusion in Attorney contract.

> Councilman Gillette made motion, seconded by Councilman Hall.

Vote: 5 for, 0 opposed.---Motion Passed.

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ITEM 10: Executive Committee: Resolution #91-39. Replacement of Theodore Lone Fight, III,. Vice-Chairman with New Town Representative, Titus Hall.

> Secretary Rabbithead made a motion to approve, seconded by Councilman Hall. Vote: 3 for, 2 opposed.---Motion Passed.

> Councilman Gillette requested that the Council appoint him as Tribal Treasurer.

Request died due to a lack of motion.

ITEM 11: Order of Business: Prayer; Roll Call; Councilmembers Reports; Old Business; New Business; Adjournment. Only items included on the Agenda are to be considered in Council meetings. Only Council Secretary approves agenda. Chairman can adjourn meeting at his discretion. Chairman can, at his discretion, recognize issues and persons not on agenda at meetings.

Councilman Gillette made motion, seconded by Councilman Hall.

Vote: 5 for, 0 opposed.---Motion Passed.

ITEM 12: Roads Contract: Councilman Gillette withdrew his motion to table the Roads Contract and allow the contracting of the BIA Roads Program.

> Councilman Mossett made motion, seconded by Councilman Gillette.

Vote: 3 for, 1 opposed, Chairman not voting.

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ITEM 13: Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 10:00 PM.

Approved Secretary, Jøhn J. Rabbithead Jr.

Disapproved

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ATTEST:

Chairman, Wilbur D. Wilkinson,