

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

- A Resolution Entitled, "Approval of Contract with Nishu Consulting LLC for Construction of an Earthlodge for the White Shield Veterans Center"
- WHEREAS, The Mandan Hidatsa and Arikara Nation (MHA Nation), also known as the Three Affiliated Tribes, having accepted the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934, the authority under said Act, and having adopted a Constitution and By-laws (the Constitution) under said Act, and
- **WHEREAS,** Pursuant to Article III, Section 1 of the Constitution, the Tribal Business Council is the governing body of the MHA Nation; and
- WHEREAS, The Constitution 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 MHA Nation and of the enrolled members thereof; and
- **WHEREAS,** Pursuant to Article VI, Section 5(1) of the Constitution, the Tribal Business Council has the power to adopt Resolutions regulating the procedures of the Tribal Business Council, its agencies and officials; and
- WHEREAS, The East Segment is constructing the White Shield Veterans Earthlodge; and
- **WHEREAS,** A Contract for earthlodge construction services is being reviewed by Tribal legal counsel and approval for execution of the Contract is necessary, pending legal review.
- **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Tribal Business Council of the MHA Nation approves and authorizes the Tribal Chairman, subject to legal review, to execute an agreement with Nishu Consulting LCC for earthlodge construction services for the White Shield Veterans Project, in an amount not to exceed \$60,000; and
- **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED**, that the Chairman is hereby authorized to take such further actions as are 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 7th day of April, 2024, 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vote of 5 members, 0 members opposed, 0 members abstained, 2 members not voting, and that said Resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.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 [] Voting. [X] Not Voting.

Dated this 15th day of April, 2024.

ATTEST:

Tribal Secretary, Fred W. Fox Tribal Business Council

Three Affiliated Tribes

Tribal Chairman, Mark N. Fox

Tribal Business Council Three Affiliated Tribes