

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

WHEREAS, This Nation having accepted the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934, and the authority is under said Act; and

WHEREAS, the Constitution and By-laws of the Three Affiliated Tribes authorizes and empowers the Tribal Business Council to engage in activities for the welfare and benefit of the tribes and tribal members; and

WHEREAS, our society has become increasingly dependent on household chemicals to perform labor-saving, time-saving miracles for us; and on dangerous drugs to provide health-giving, life sustaining benefits; and

WHEREAS, these products, when not used as intended or directed, can be hazardous; and

WHEREAS, innocent children too often gain access to them; and

WHEREAS, accidental poisonings among children continue at the rate of more than 100,000 annually, despite new packaging techniques;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Austin H. Gillette, Chairman of the THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES Tribal Council do hereby proclaim March 18-24, 1979 as Poison Prevention Week on the FORT BERTHOLD Reservation. Further I direct the appropriate agencies of the THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES Tribal Government and invite local organizations and individuals to participate in programs which will alert our citizens to the potential dangers in misusing medicines and household substances and promote effective safeguards against accidental poisoning.

C E R T I F I C A T I O N

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 11 members of whom 7 constituting a quorum, _____ were present at a Special Meeting, thereof duly called, noticed, convened and held on the _____ day of March 1979; that the foregoin resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of _____ members, _____ members opposed, _____ members abstained, and that the said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way. Chairman (voting) (not-voting).

Dated this _____ day of March 1979.

[Signature]
Secretary, Tribal Business Council

ATTEST:

Austin H. Gillette
Chairman, Tribal Business Council