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 under said Act; and
- WHEREAS, the Constitution and Bylaws 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, TITLE II of the Indian Child Welfare Act of 1978 authorizes the

 Secretary of the Interior to make grants to Indian tribes for establishment and operation of Indian Child and Family services; and
- WHEREAS, the Three Affiliated Tribes has established a Child Welfare Program and a Tribal Court system, both of which are fully capable of exercising and assuring that the Three Affiliated Tribes' interests under the "Child Welfare Act of 1978" will be exercised intelligently and expertly;
- WHEREAS, the Three Affiliated Tribes Child Welfare Program needs additional support in pursuing the Tribal Court related activities and legal documentation;
- THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Director of the Three Affiliated Tribes Child Welfare Program is authorized to execute and file a proposal under TITLE II of the Indian Child Welfare Act of 1978 with the Bureau of Indian Affairs for the funding of a Child Welfare Court Aide and associated program costs.

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 11 members of whom 7 constituting a quorum
// were present at a discusse meeting, thereof duly called, noticed,
were present at a free meeting, thereof duly called, noticed, convened, and held on the // day of free 1980; that the foregoing
resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of //
members, o members opposed, o members abstained, o members not voting
and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.
Chairman (voting) (net voting).
Dated this // day of Juneary, 1980.
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SECRETARY, Tribal Business Council

ATTEST:

CHAIRMAN, Tribal Business Council