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 By-laws of the Three Affiliated Tribes authorizes and empowers the Tribal Business Council to advise the Secretary of the Interior with regard to all appropriation estimates or Federal projects for the benefit of the Three Affiliated Tribes prior to the submission of such estimates or projects to the Bureau of the Budget and to Congress;
- WHEREAS, The White Shield School and the Mandaree School have not had any major repairs and construction for approximately twenty-five years, there is an urgent need for Facility Improvement and Repair at both schools; and
- WHEREAS, The health and safety hazards and poor condition of the two school facilities hampers the attainment of educational goals and interferes with the development of responsibility and respect for property; and
- WHEREAS, The priority list for Facilities Improvement and Repairs for the Aberdeen Area was revised to totally remove the Mandaree School from the list and lowered the priority for the White Shield School; and
- WHEREAS, The revision was done without consultation or the knowledge of the Tribal Business Council; and
- THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Tribal Business Council strongly objects to this arbitrary removal and adjustment of the priority list and requests that the Mandaree School be restored to the Facility Improvement and Repair list and White Shield be elevated to the previous priority.

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 constitutes a quorum, 7 were present at a Special Meeting, thereof duly called, noticed, convened and held on the 17th day of April, 1981; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of 7 members, 0 members opposed, 0 members not voting and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Chairman (Voting) (Not Voting).

Dated this 17th day of April, 1981.

SECRETARY, Tribal Business Council

ATTEST:

CHAIRMAN, Tribal Business Council