

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

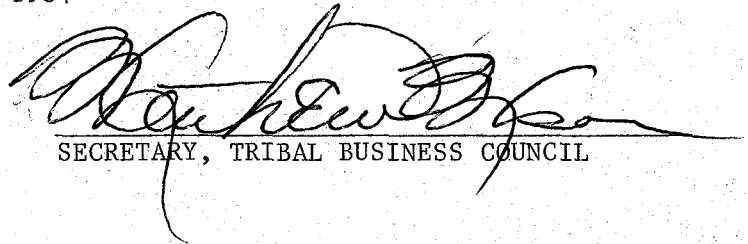
- WHEREAS, This Nation having accepted the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934, and the authority under said Act; and
- WHEREAS, the Constitution and Bylaws of the Three Affiliated Tribes authorizes and empowers the Tribal Business Council to engage in activities for the welfare and benefit of the Tribes and tribal members; and
- WHEREAS, the INMED (Indians Into Medicine) program at the University of North Dakota is one of the few programs in the United States providing supportive services for American Indian students training for the health professions; and
- WHEREAS, the University of North Dakota School of Medicine each year allocates five slots for Indian students which are over and above the school's regular positions; and
- WHEREAS, the INMED program receives the support and advisement of an all-Indian Advisory Board with members appointed by the governments of 23 separate tribes; and
- WHEREAS, INMED has been in operation for over ten years and has demonstrated its effectiveness by graduating 40 health professionals, including 34 medical doctors; and
- WHEREAS, INMED currently serves 70 Indian full-time students, including 46 on Public Law 94-437 scholarships; and
- WHEREAS, the INMED program annually provides summer academic enrichment programs for over 60 Indian junior high, high school and college students; and
- WHEREAS, INMED has been highly successful in recruiting and contributing to the motivation and development of American Indian students entering the health professions; and
- WHEREAS, the need for additional Indian Health professionals is clearly evident.
- THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Three Affiliated Tribes duly recognizes this need for additional American Indian health professionals, and requests that American Indian students be given the opportunity to seek health professions, and
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Three Affiliated Tribes supports the efforts of the INMED program, and urges that adequate financial support be made available to INMED as it is essential to the development of American Indian health professional manpower and the improved health status of American Indian people.

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

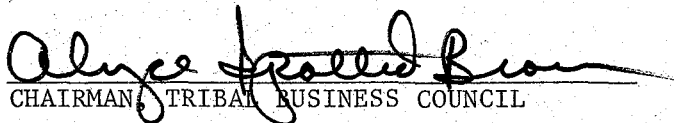
I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, hereby certify that the Tribal Business Council is composed of 11 members of whom 7 constitutes a quorum, 11 were present at a SPECIAL Meeting, thereof duly called, noticed, convened and held on the 22 day of MARCH, 1984; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of 11 members, — members opposed, — members abstained, — members not voting, and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Chairman (voting) (~~not voting~~).

DATED THIS 22 DAY OF MARCH, 1984


SECRETARY, TRIBAL BUSINESS COUNCIL

ATTEST:


CHAIRMAN, TRIBAL BUSINESS COUNCIL