Resolution No. 84-143-5

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 acitivites for the welfare and benefit of the Tribes and tribal members; and

WHEREAS, attorneys, Hobbs, Straus, Dean & Wilder have submitted a voucher for payment of legal services and expenses incurred during the month of September, 1983:

Services \$5,310.00 Expenses incurred 390.71

Total 5,700.71

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Three Affiliated Tribes' Tribal Business Council hereby authorizes payment of \$5,700.71 for services and expenses incurred during the month of September, 1983 to Hobbs, Straus, Dean & Wilder.

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, were present at Meeting, Thereof duly
called, noticed, convened and held on the 3/ day of MAY, 1984; that
the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by the affirmative
vote of 9 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members not voting, and that said resolution has not been rescinded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).
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DATED THIS DAY OF MAY, 1984

TRIBAL BUSINESS COUNCIL

ATTEST:

CHAIRMAN, TRIBAL BUSINESS COUNCIL

HOBBS, STRAUS, DEAN & WILDER

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THREE AFFILLATED TRIBES

Ms. Alyce Spotted Bear Chairperson Tribal Business Council Three Affiliated Tribes New Town, ND 58763

Dear Alyce:

Enclosed is our voucher for fees and expenses incurred during September 1983. If you or anyone else on the Council has any questions about the voucher, please let us know.

A copy of this letter, and the original of the statement and accompanying documents (and three copies) are being sent to the Aberdeen Area Office for its review.

Sincerely,

HOBBS, STRAUS, DEAN & WILDER

By: Charles A. Hobbs

Enc.

cc: Business Council

Aberdeen Area Director

Supt., Fort Berthold Agency

P.S. The status of our prior vouchers is:

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6-30-83	\$ 6,778.73	May 1983
8-11-83	10,438.75	June 1983
[Payment	for July voucher	received 10/25/83]
9-28-83	1,752.15	August 1983

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City of Washington)
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CHARLES A. HOBBS, being first duly sworn, upon oath deposes and states:

That he is an attorney at law, duly enrolled and authorized to practice before the court of the District of Columbia and the Department of the Interior of the United States, and is a partner of Hobbs, Straus, Dean & Wilder;

That under the provisions of Section 81, Title 25 of the U.S. Code said firm has entered into Contract No. A00C14201145 with the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, which is currently in effect through December 31, 1983;

That all of the services listed in the attached statements were rendered by the personnel and in the number of hours stated, as more particularly shown by the attached daily diaries of said personnel.

Charles A. Hobbs, partner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3/s day of October, 1983.

Notary Public

District of Columbia

My Commission Expires June 14, 1988

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STATEMENT

General counsel services during September 1983:

Southwest Pipeline Project: Set up meeting at John Fritz' office at Interior for delegation; telecons and meetings with Alyce Spotted Bear, Ray Cross, Rich and Brenda Schilf, Ron Billstein, Interior personnel Chezu Toda, Tim Vollmann, Ken Smith, Sid Mills, Ken Fredericks, Jean Sutton (Mpls), Nordwall, Pete Taylor, Dick Balsiger, Attorney General Wefald. Draft letter for Ken Smith; long negotiating and redrafting sessions. Got Interior signature.

Mr. Hobbs 39.4 hours x \$100 = \$3,900.00 Mr. Straus 0.6 hour x 100 = 60.00

Indirect Costs: Letter to Cong. Yates, telecons with
Ms. Harjo and Ms. Johnson; letter to Congressional
delegation.

Mr. Dean 2.1 hours x \$100 = $\frac{$210.00}{$4,210.00}$

Retainer* 1,100.00

Total Fees \$5,310.00

* The retainer fee covers, in part, the Tribe's share of the firm's "All Tribal Client Services," which is the time put in by all attorneys in the firm on matters affecting all our tribal clients. The retainer fee also includes attorney travel time for up to four trips a year, and includes minor telephone conversations.

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Total Fees (continued from p. 1):

\$5,310.00

Expenses posted during September 1983:

Long distance telephone	\$ 39.20	
Postage	11.10	
Secretarial overtime	43.83	
Photocopying	84.00	
Temp.Secretary for Ray Cross	60.00	
Courier service	5.18	
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expenses during August 1983	147.40	390.7

TOTAL: \$5,700.71