

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 of the Three Affiliated Tribes generally authorizes and empowers the Tribal Business Council to engage in activities on behalf of and in the interest of the welfare and benefit of the Tribes and of the enrolled members thereof; and

WHEREAS, John Danks, an enrolled member of the Three Affiliated Tribes, is closely approaching retirement from his numerous years of strenuous and faithful service to the United States and to native peoples of this country, for which uncompromising service John Danks is justifiably deserving of gratitude; and

WHEREAS, John Danks has unselfishly devoted twenty-nine years to federal civilian service in many official capacities with the Bureau of Indian Affairs and two years to federal military service in the Korean conflict with the United States Army; and

WHEREAS, Even during those periods of federal service in which he was not mandated to minister to the interests and welfare of his Tribal people exclusively, John Danks continuously maintained the interests and welfare of his own people in mind in undertaking the duties and responsibilities inherent in those federal positions in which he served the United States and the native people in general; and

WHEREAS, During those periods of his service with the federal agencies within the Aberdeen Area of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, the people and government of the Three Affiliated Tribes have directly and substantially benefited from the courage, humility, energy, wisdom, and vision of John Danks manifested in the successful satisfaction of his official responsibilities; and

WHEREAS, The government and the people of the Three Affiliated Tribes, in sharing in solemn pride in all that John Danks has done for his country and for his people, desire to honor and express deep gratitude to John Danks on this day;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes, on behalf of all the people of the Tribes, hereby presents to John Danks, with gratitude, praise, and honor, this Certificate of Appreciation for his service to the United States and to the people of the Three Affiliated Tribes.


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 7 members of whom 5 constitute a quorum, 6 were present at a Regular Meeting thereof duly called, noticed, convened, and held on the 15th day of May, 1987; that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at such Meeting by the affirmative vote of 6 members, 0 members opposed, 0 members abstained, 0 members not voting, and that said Resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Dated the 14th day of May, 1987.


Secretary, Tribal Business Council

ATTEST:


Chairman, Tribal Business Council