## 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, the Three Affiliated Tribes has not received adequate Law Enforcement services due to continued insufficent funding by the Bureau Of Indian Affairs; and
- WHEREAS, this continued lag in funding to meet the financial demands of service delivery has directly contributed to the development of a sub-standard condition of the law enforcement vehicles utilized on the Ft. Berthold Reservation; and
- WHEREAS, the increasing void between the services provided and the services required is further evidenced in the condition of the vehicles used - which at best are unreliable and at worst simply do not work; and
- WHEREAS, if the Three Affiliated Tribes are to meet the demands of enforcing laws on the Reservation, it is not only vital but essential to the fundimental precepts of government that certain basic elements exist so that selfgovernment is possible
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes hereby demand that adequate funding be made available to purchase the Law Enforcement vehicles needed to ensure that the safety and protection of Reservation residents is maintained by enforcing the laws.

## 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 $7$
members of whom 5 constitute a quorum, were present at a
Kegular Meeting thereof duly called, noticed, convened,
and held on the Leth day of March, 1989; that the
foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at such Meeting by the
affirmative vote of <u>6</u> members, <u>0</u> members opposed, <u>0</u>
members abstained, members not voting, and that said
Resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Dated the 19th day of april , 1989.

Secretary, Tribal Business Council

ATTEST:

Chairman. Tribal Business Council