

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

- WHEREAS**, This Nation having accepted the Indian Reorganization Act of Jun 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**, Article VI, Section 5 (j), of the Constitution of the Three Affiliated Tribes specifically authorizes and empowers the Tribal Business Council to protect and preserve the property, wildlife and natural resources of the Three Affiliated Tribes; and
- WHEREAS**, The economic well being of Indian landowners, ranchers, and the governing body of the Three Affiliated Tribes depends in large part on the well managed utilization of reservation grazing lands; and
- WHEREAS**, The widespread uncontrolled infestations of leafy spurge are lowering the productivity of reservation grazing lands; and
- WHEREAS**, If the infestations of leafy spurge are not controlled the economy of Fort Berthold will be severely impacted; and
- WHEREAS**, The Bureau of Indian Affairs noxious weed program has suffered funding cuts in recent years which make the Bureaus weed control program ineffective in controlling the spread of leafy spurge.
- NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, That the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes hereby requests supplemental funding for a multi-year leafy spurge eradication program for the Fort Berthold Reservation.

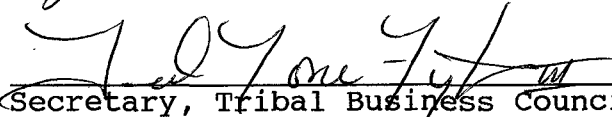
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I the undersigned, as Secretary of the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation, hereby certify that the Tribal Business Council is composed of 7 members of whom 5 constitutes a quorum, 5 were present at a Special Meeting, thereof duly called, noticed, convened, and held on the 18th day of June, 1990; that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of 5 members, 0 members opposed, 0 members abstained, 0 members not voting, and that said Resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Chairman (voting) (not voting).

Dated this 18th day of June, 1990.


Secretary, Tribal Business Council

ATTEST:


Chairman, Tribal Business Council