

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 Business Council to engage in activities on behalf of and in the interest of the welfare and benefit off the Tribes and of the enrolled members; and

WHEREAS, Cancer is a serious health problem which creates much misery and suffering for Indian people; and

WHEREAS, Cancer and its complications affect and increasing number of Indian people; and

WHEREAS, Cancer can be prevented by changes in lifestyle such as smoking cessation and modification of diet; and

WHEREAS, Cancer can frequently be cured if diagnosed early through cancer screening programs.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Three Affiliated Tribes of North Dakota requests that all people come together to support the efforts of the Tribe in their fight against cancer.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Three Affiliated Tribes of North Dakota pursue State and Federal, local private sector funding to institute a comprehensive cancer control program with an emphasis on prevention and screening.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Tribal Administration building and schools have smoke free environments.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an American cancer society affiliate be established on the Three Affiliated Tribal lands to coordinate the fight against cancer.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that each school in the district support the implementation of Growing Healthy and Teenage Health Teaching Module/Health Education curricula that emphasize cancer prevention and screening.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the school lunch programs provide nutritious, low fat lunches that reduce the risk of cancer, diabetes and other health problems.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Tribe supports the proposal submitted by the North Dakota Department of Health to receive an **ASSIST** grant from the National Cancer Institute to assist smokers who want to quit.


BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that each tribal member help his or her leaders and health care providers wage war on cancer.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Indian Health Service, the North Dakota Department of Health and tribal health programs work cooperatively to control and prevent cancer.

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 Special Meeting thereof duly called, noticed, convened, and held on the 30th day of August, 1990; that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at such Meeting by the affirmative vote of 4 members, 2 members opposed, 0 members abstained, 0 members not voting, and that said Resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Dated this 30th day of August, 1990.


Secretary, Tribal Business Council

ATTEST:


Chairman, Tribal Business Council