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 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 activities for the welfare and benefit of the Tribe and Tribal Members; and
- WHEREAS, The membership of the Three Affiliated Tribes have suffered instances of family violence in the forms of child abuse/neglect/abandonment and spouse abuse; and
- WHEREAS, Locating immediate shelter for victims of family violence on a short notice/emergency basis is often difficult; and
- WHEREAS, The Department of Health and Human Services/Office of Human Development Services is making available direct grants to Indian Tribes of Fiscal Years 1991, 1992 and 1993 Family Violence Prevention and Services Funding under Title III of P.L. 98-457; and
- WHEREAS, The Three Affiliated Tribes meets the requirements of the definition of an "Indian Tribe" and that of having "current 638 contracts with the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) to carry out Social Services programs and activities" and exceeds the population minimum (3000 persons) for qualifying for the grant; and
- WHEREAS, The Three Affiliated Tribes received a grant of \$16,410 in Fiscal Year 1989 and 1991 and has a demonstrated need that greatly exceeds this amount; and
- WHEREAS, The Social Services Program of the Human Resources Department has established expertise and procedures for providing services/assistance to victims of Family Violence.
- NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes hereby authorizes and directs the Social Services Program/Human Resources Department to execute and file the attached application for Family Violence Prevention and Services funding in the amount of \$33,820 including the required assurances as listed.

C E R T I F I C A T I O N

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Chairman (Voting) (Not Voting)	
Dated this 14th day of March	1991.
	John Ralledhiad by
	Secretary, Tribal Business Council
ATTEST:	,
William Williams Chairman, Tribal Business Council	

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> DIRECTIVE (CON'T): to Treasurer Bird Bear on this.

ITEM 26: RESOLUTION/LAND & LIVESTOCK ASSOCIATION: Mrs. Viola Schettler presented the resolution requesting to reduce the rates on tribal land to \$18.00 an acre.

> Discussion on that these adjustments should have gone to the Natural Resources Department beforehand. It was suggested that the Treasurer be allowed time to show full impact on what these rates would have on the tribal budget.

> Councilman Mossett made a motion to reduce rates, seconded by Councilman Rabbithead.

Vote: 4 for, 3 opposed. Motion Carried.

ITEM 27: ADJOURNMENT:

Meeting adjourned at 1:10 PM.

Disapproved

ATTEST: