

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

WHEREAS, *This Sovereign Nation having accepted the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934 thereby exercising explicit authority thereof as manifest in Section Three of Article six of the Constitution of the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation; and*

WHEREAS, *The Constitution of the Three Affiliated Tribes authorizes and empowers the Tribal Business Council to engage in governmental activities on behalf of and in the interest of the benefit and welfare of the Tribes and of the enrolled members thereof; and*

WHEREAS, *The Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes, in the same manner as the Congress of the United States, is committed to the maintenance of the federal government's unique and continuing trust relationship with and responsibility to the Indian people through establishment of a meaningful Indian self-determination policy for Education; and*

WHEREAS, *Both Congress and the Tribal Business Council must provide the resources, processes, and structures which will enable Tribal members and local communities to effect the quantity and quality of education services and opportunities which will permit Indian children to compete and excel in the life areas of their choice; and*

WHEREAS, *The Three Affiliated Tribes has secured many programs directed to all levels of education for the Reservation, and the Tribal Business Council has established a Tribal Education Department which will assist in the coordination and oversight of these various educational grants and contracts; and*

Mandan, Hidatsa & Arikara
Education Week
February 11-17, 1996
Proposed Budget

Speakers	\$800.00
Elders	\$800.00
Lunch	\$1,200.00
*Opening Ceremony (Traditional meal, includes paper goods etc.)	
Open House-Education Department	\$300.00
(refreshments paper goods & center piece)	
Public Relations & Promotion	\$1,000.00
Door Prizes	<u>\$900.00</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT REQUESTED	\$5,000.00

The Education Department and program will be obligating human, financial and material resources during the event.

WHEREAS, *The Tribal Business Council Education Committee members and Tribal Education Department staff wish to recognize the contributions of the components of the Reservation educational system, and to provide Tribal members with complete information on their available services,*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes hereby financially supports the education of the Three Affiliated Tribal members with \$4,000.00 to assist in the costs, and declares February 11 - 17, 1996 as the "1996 Mandan, Hidatsa, Arikara Tribal Education Week", and directs the Tribal Education Department to organize and appropriate observance program for that occasion.*

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 seven (7) members of whom 5 constitutes a quorum, 7 were present at a Regular Meeting thereof duly called, noticed, convened and held on the 11th of January, 1996; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of 5 members 0 members opposed, 1 members abstained, 1 members not voting, and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Dated this 11th day of January, 1996.

Daylon Spotted Bear
Secretary, Tribal Business Council

Attest:


Chairman, Tribal Business Council