

**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 enrolled members thereof; and

WHEREAS, According to Article II, Sec. I: Membership: The membership of the Three Affiliated Tribes shall consist of:

- A. All persons whose names appear on the membership of the Tribe as of October 2, 1974.
- B. Any person born before the effective date of the amendment and to any member of the Tribe who was a resident of the reservation at the time of birth of said person.
- C. All persons of at least 1/4 degree Indian blood of a federally recognized Tribe, provided that at least 1/8 be of the Hidatsa, Mandan, or Arikara Tribe.

AMENDMENT VII, DUAL ENROLLMENT:

- A. Persons enrolled with another Tribe and who have received benefits from another Tribe in the form of land or payments shall not be eligible for enrollment with the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, provided that inherited interests shall not be considered as being such benefits.
- B. Persons eligible for enrollment with the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation shall relinquish whatever rights he/she may hold in the other Tribe as condition of his/her enrollment with the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation.

APPLICANTS FOR MARCH 13, 1997 TRIBAL BUSINESS COUNCIL MEETING

Pre-Enrollee	Sex	Date of Birth	Tribal Affiliation
1. DEMARAY, ZEBADIAH	M	04/21/96	1/4 Hidatsa 1/4 TOTAL
2. GOURNEAU, MERCEDES J.	F	06/16/95	1/4 Hidatsa 1/8 Arikara 3/8 TOTAL TAT 5/16 TURTLE MOUNTAIN CHIPPEWA 11/16 TOTAL
3. LITTLE SWALLOW, DESIREE J.	F	2/27/96	1/8 ARIKARA 1/8 HIDATSA 3/32 Mandan 11/32 TOTAL
4. NEZ, MALENE A.	F	6/30/94	1/4 MANDAN 1/4 HIDATSA 7/32 ARIKARA 23/32 TAT 1/4 NAVAJO 31/32 TOTAL
5. QUICK BEAR, LARIAH	F	10/6/95	1/8 MANDAN 1/8 HIDATSA 21/64 ARIKARA 37/64 TAT 1/8 FT. PECK SIOUX 45/64 TOTAL
6. QUICK BEAR, CHELSEY	F	9/12/96	1/8 MANDAN 1/8 HIDATSA 21/64 ARIKARA 37/64 TAT 1/8 FT. PECK SIOUX 45/64 TOTAL
7. WHITE BEAR, MEGAN D.	F	05/14/96	59/128 ARIKARA 59/128 TOTAL

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WHEREAS, On March 13th, 1997 the Tribal Business Council reviewed a Resolution for eligible participants for enrollment with the Three Affiliated Tribes.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Tribal Business Council duly and officially approves the enrollment of the following Seven applicants.

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, 7 were present at a Regular meeting thereof duly called, noticed, convened, and held on the 13th day of March, 1997; that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of 7 members, 0 members opposed, 0 members abstained, and 0 members not voting and that said Resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Dated this 13th day of March, 1997.

Daylon Spotted Bear
Secretary, Tribal Business Council

ATTEST:



Chairman, Tribal Business Council