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

- WHEREAS, This Sovereign 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 thereof; and
- WHEREAS, In conjunction with the National Association for the Education of Young Children, are celebrating the Week of the Young Child, April 19 25; and
- WHEREAS, By calling attention to the need for high quality early childhood services for all children and families within the Three Affiliated Tribes, these groups hope to improve the quality and availability of such services; and
- WHEREAS, The future of our Tribe depends on the quality of the early childhood experiences provided to young children today; and
- WHEREAS, High quality early childhood services represent a worthy commitment to our children's future;
- WHEREAS, The Three Affiliated Tribes recognizes the importance of the Week of the Young Child efforts and early intervention for children and families on Fort Berthold; and
- WHEREAS, The State of North Dakota designates the fourth week in April as Week of the Young Child Week and the Three Affiliated Tribes desires to supplement that effort; and

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NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Tribal Business Council hereby authorizes the week of April 19 - 25 be designated as the Week of the Young Child each year forthwith; and

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED, that all agencies/programs working with children and families of Fort Berthold, plan and coordinate efforts with the Education Department and communities for the Week of the Young Child Activities.

CERTIFICATION

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, $_{-}$ were
seven (/) members of whom 5 constitutes a quorum, were
present at a <u>Regular</u> Meeting thereof duly called, noticed,
convened and held on the <u>14th</u> of <u>April</u> , 19 <u>98</u> ; that the
foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by the
affirmative vote of 6 members 0 members opposed, 0
members abstained, / members not voting, and that said
resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.
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Dated this $14^{\frac{1}{11}}$ day of $\frac{April}{}$, 19 $\frac{98}{}$.
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Chairman, Tribal Business Council