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

- WHEREAS, This Nation having accepted the Indian Reorganization Act of June18, 1934 and the authority under said Act; and
- WHEREAS, The Constitution of the Three Affiliated Tribes generally authorized and empowers the Tribal Business Council to engage in activities on behalf of and in the interest of the welfare and benefit of the Tribes and of the enrolled members thereof; and
- WHEREAS, The Natural Resources Committee of the Tribal Business Council approved the purchase of land described below; and
- **WHEREAS,** It has been determined that it is in the best interest of the Tribe to acquire the land; and
- **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** This transaction will be completed on availability of funds.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, The Three Affiliated Tribes' Tribal Business Council approved the purchase of lands described below exclusive of minerals, from:

Louis Smith, 301-U6362

For a cash consideration of **\$3,946.00** which is the Fair Market Value received from the Bureau of Indian Affairs, utilizing funds from the Docket 350-G Land Purchase Account and hereby authorized the Chairman of the Tribal Business Council, It's Secretary, and the Superintendent of the Fort Berthold Agency, the Area Director, and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs to prepare all documents and to do all things necessary to transfer title of the lands to the United States of America in trust for the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation, to wit:

Allotment No. 146, an undivided 1/100 interest within W1/2W1/2 Section 32, T. 149 N., R. 94 W., containing 160.00 acres, more or less, valued at \$259.00

Allotment No. 1583, an undivided 1/7 interest within NW1/4SE1/4 Section 29, T. 149 N., R. 94 W., containing 40.00 acres, more or less, valued at \$925.00

Allotment No. 2257-A, an undivided 1/5 interest within SW1/4SW1/4, NE1/4SW1/4 Section 29, T. 149 N., R. 94 W., containing 80.00 acres, more or less, valued at \$2,589.00

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Allotment No. 296A, an undivided 1/270 interest within SW1/4SE1/4, S1/2SE1/4SW1/4, W1/2SE1/4SE1/4 Section 15; N1/2NW1/4NE1/4, N1/2NW1/4 Section 22, T. 150 N., R. 93 W., containing 180.00 acres, more or less, valued at \$108.00

Allotment No. 653A, an undivided 1/300 interest within N1/2SE1/4NE1/4. SE1/4SE1/4NE1/4, N1/2NE1/4NW1/4, N1/2NW1/4NE1/4, SE1/4NW1/4NE1/4, NE1/4NE1/4 Section 11, T. 149 N., R. 92 W., containing 120.00 acres, more or less. valued at \$65.00

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 7 members of who 5 constitutes a quorum, 6 were present at a Special Meeting, thereof duly called, notice, convened, and held on the 3 day of Dec., 1999; that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of _6_ members, _____members opposed, members abstained, members not voting and that said Resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Chairman: (voting) (not voting)

Dated this 3 day of Q_{CC} 1999.

James P. Hale Secretary, Tribal Business Council

Attest: