

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

A Resolution Entitled, "2011 Delegates to the National Congress of American Indians"

- WHEREAS, This Nation having accepted the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934, and the authority under said Act and having adopted a Constitution and By-Laws pursuant to said Act; and
- WHEREAS, The Constitution of the Three Affiliated Tribe 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 Tribes and of the enrolled members thereof; and
- WHEREAS, Article III of the Constitution of the Three Affiliated Tribes provides that the Tribal Business Council is the governing body of the Tribes; and
- WHEREAS, Article VI, Section 5 (1) of the Constitution of the Three Affiliated Tribes provides that the Tribal Business Council has the power to adopt resolutions regulating the procedure of the Tribal Business Council and other Tribal agencies; and
- **WHEREAS,** The National Congress of American Indians (NCAI) is a nonprofit organization whose primary purpose is to protect and preserve and promote the broad interest of Indian tribes and tribal communities; and
- WHEREAS, The Tribal Business Council has deemed it in the best interests of the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Mandan, Hidatsa and Arikara Nation of the Fort Berthold Reservation to participate in those local, state, regional and national boards, commissions and other such organizations that oversee services that are now or may be beneficial to the Tribal membership; and
- WHEREAS, The Three Affiliated Tribes has been a member of the National Congress of American Indians and has paid dues for said membership;
- **WHEREAS**, The Tribal Business Council desires to continue participation in the National Congress of American Indians; and is required by the by-laws of NCAI to adopt an annual resolution to establish its delegates to the organization; and
- WHEREAS, The Tribal Business Council has determined that Chairman Tex G. Hall shall serve as the delegate to the NCAI and that Councilman Mervin Packineau shall serve as the first alternate and Councilman Scott Eagle as the second Alternate for the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation; and





NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes hereby appoints the following individuals to serve as delegates to the National Congress of American Indians for 2011:

- 1. Tribal Chairman Tex G. Hall Delegate
- 2. Councilman Mervin Packineau- Alternate 1
- 3. Council Scott Eagle Alternate 2

IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the above appointed delegates are vested with all authority, duty, and responsibility of a NCAI delegate during the tenure of their appointments.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Tribal Business Council hereby authorizes payment of annual dues to NCAI according to Article III of the By-laws of NCAI.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation hereby certify that the Tribal Business Council is composed of seven (7) members of whom five (5) constitute a quorum, 5 were present at a <u>Regular T&C</u> Meeting thereof duly called, noticed, convened and held on the <u>26</u> day of <u>October</u>, 2011, that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of <u>5</u> members, <u>6</u> members opposed, <u>b</u> members abstained, <u>o</u> members not voting, and that said Resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Chairman [X] Voting. [] Not Voting.

Dated this 20th day of Octo ber, 2011.

ATTEST:

Tribal Secretary V. Judy Brugh Tribal Business Council Three Affiliated Tribes Tribal Chairman Tex G. Hall Tribal Business Council Three Affiliated Tribes

