

UNITED SOUTH AND EASTERN TRIBES, INC.

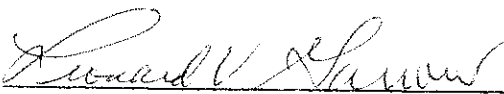
RESOLUTION NO. 82-108

A resolution to support the efforts of the Intermountain Intertribal School Board to contract for operation of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Intermountain School.

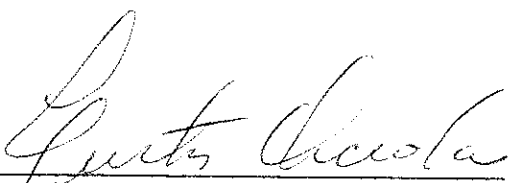
- WHEREAS, the Intermountain School, an off-reservation boarding school at Brigham City, Utah, is among several boarding schools slated for closing in the Bureau of Indian Affairs' budget proposals; and
- WHEREAS, the Intermountain School has an outstanding success record in dealing with reservation students with unique social and behavioral problems, this year having a graduation rate of 88 per cent, or compared with a national rate of 47 per cent; and
- WHEREAS, the Intermountain School provides social and educational services not available on reservations and its closing would leave a student body of nearly 900 with no alternative to which to turn; and
- WHEREAS, the Intermountain Intertribal School Board has notified the Bureau of Indian Affairs of its intent to develop a contract application to operate the school under the auspices of Public Law 93-638; and
- WHEREAS, Bureau regulations require authorizing resolutions from the tribal council of each tribe involved in a potential contract;
- NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Directors of United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc., does hereby declare its support for the efforts of the Intermountain Intertribal School Board to contract for the operation of Intermountain School; and
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Directors of United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc., does hereby urge the tribal councils of the member tribes of USET to adopt resolutions of endorsement for the Intermountain Intertribal School Board efforts.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the Board of Directors meeting, at which a quorum was present, May 19, 1982.



Leonard Garrow
President



Curtis Osceola
Secretary