

UNITED SOUTH AND EASTERN TRIBES, INC.

Resolution No. B-90-309

COMMENDING SECRETARY OF INTERIOR FOR  
TRIBAL LEADERS MEETING IN ALBUQUERQUE

WHEREAS, the United South and Eastern Tribes, Incorporated (USET) is an inter-tribal organization comprised of 18 federally-recognized tribes; and

WHEREAS, the Secretary of the Interior, the Honorable Manuel Lujan, and the Assistant Secretary of Indian Affairs, the Honorable Eddie F. Brown, called a meeting of tribal leaders on September 28, 1990 in the city of Albuquerque, New Mexico for the purpose of airing new ideas and hearing concerns; and

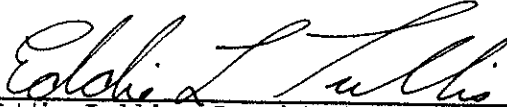
WHEREAS, the results of the meeting including a discussion of the state of affairs of the BIA and restructuring it, a current commitment by the Interior Department Officials to improve educational opportunities, school facilities, economic development and community structure development, as well as the commitment to increase funding by 34 percent in Fiscal Year 1992 where encouraging and form a basis for confidence that Indian tribes would continue to be consulted as called for in the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934-1936.

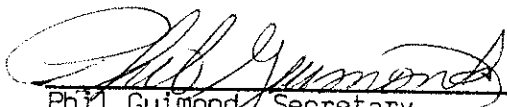
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT that the USET Board of Directors does hereby commend the Secretary of the Interior for holding the consultation meeting with tribal leaders and for restating the commitment with the Department of the Interior and concern of tribal governments and the government to government relationship between tribal governments and the Federal government; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the USET Board of Directors does hereby call upon the Secretary to hold similar meetings at least yearly and to keep his door open to the tribal governments of this nation on the issues that make concern to them.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the Board of Directors Meeting, at which a quorum was present, in Cherokee, North Carolina; on October 5, 1990.

  
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Eddie Tullis, President  
United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.

  
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Phil Guimond, Secretary  
United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.