



UNITED SOUTH AND EASTERN TRIBES, INC.


USET Resolution No. 2004:024

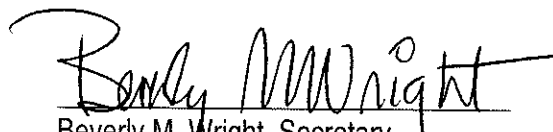
SUPPORT FOR CONTINUED FUNDING FOR TRAINING AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE NATIONAL AMERICAN INDIAN HOUSING COUNCIL

- WHEREAS,** United South and Eastern Tribes, Incorporated (USET) is an intertribal organization comprised of twenty-four (24) federally recognized tribes; and
- WHEREAS,** the actions taken by the USET Board of Directors officially represent the intentions of each member tribe, as the Board of Directors comprises delegates from the member tribes' leadership; and
- WHEREAS,** the National American Indian Housing Council (NAIHC) is the primary advocacy agency for Tribal housing entities; and
- WHEREAS,** the USET tribes have found the training and technical assistance provided by NAIHC to be exemplary and of significant value to the on-going development of housing staff, the education of tribal governments and the education of the tribal members serviced by the respective housing entities; and
- WHEREAS,** the USET tribes have not been satisfied with the training provided by the Department of Housing and Urban Development for lack of adaptation to the specific needs of Indian housing; and
- WHEREAS,** the USET tribes feel more comfortable with the training and technical assistance being provided by a non-regulatory agency; therefore, be it
- RESOLVED** that the USET Board of Directors recommends that the NAHASDA training and technical assistance budget enacted in FY 2004 be continued for the FY 2005 budget; and, be it further
- RESOLVED** that the USET Board of Directors recommends that this budget line item be considered a permanent part of the NAHASDA budget.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the USET Annual Meeting & EXPO, at which a quorum was present, in Mashantucket, CT, on Thursday, October 23, 2003.


Keller George, President
United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.


Beverly M. Wright, Secretary
United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.