

UNITED SOUTHEASTERN TRIBES, INC.
Resolution USET 73-10

RE: Construction of Elementary School Facilities for Chitimacha
Tribe of Louisiana

WHEREAS, the Chitimacha Tribe of Louisiana is served by an elementary school which is obsolete and unsafe, as well as too small to serve the needs of the students attending the schools, and

WHEREAS, the Chitimacha Tribal Council has recognized the need for new school facilities for several years and has requested funds from the Bureau of Indian Affairs for the construction of a new elementary school, and

WHEREAS, it is generally recognized that such a new school is essential if the Chitimacha children are to have an equal opportunity with other children for a high quality educational program,

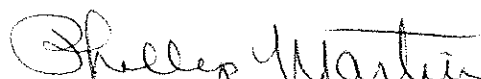
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Directors of the United Southeastern Tribes, Inc., meeting in regular quarterly session at Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, this 22nd day of June, 1973, that this organization stand in complete support of the Chitimacha people in their request for funds to plan and construct a new elementary school as soon as possible, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that United Southeastern Tribes, Inc.'s support of this facility be made known immediately to the Bureau of Indian Affairs and to appropriate congressional committees and members of Congress, and


BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Executive Director of the United Southeastern Tribes, Inc., be directed to take all actions necessary to carry out the intent of this resolution.

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the United Southeastern Tribes, Inc., properly convened and held in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, June 21-22, 1973, the above resolution was duly adopted, with all 18 votes in favor.



President, Inter-tribal Council
United Southeastern Tribes, Inc.
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