UNITED SOUTH AND EASTERN TRIBES RESOLUTION 81-2

WHEREAS,

the United South and Eastern Tribes is an Inter-Tribal Council who represents twelve Tribal governments in the Eastern United States with a membership of 44,000 American Indians, and

WHEREAS.

the Community Services Administration has throughout its' history provided necessary services for Indian people in the East, and

WHEREAS,

the present administration has proposed to abolish the Community Services Administration which would eliminate many necessary services for Indian people in the east; now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that we urge the President and Congress to reconsider this action and continue the Community Services Administration with reauthorization and refunding to provide a coordinated range of services for Indian people and allow Tribal governments and Inter-Tribal Councils to become designated Community Action Agencies.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the Semi-Annual Board of Directors meeting May 12-14, 1981, held at the Seneca Nation of Indians, Salamanca, New York, at which a quorum was present.

Michael D. Tiger

President

United South & Eastern Tribes

Curtis Osceola

Secretary

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