## UNITED SOUTH AND EASTERN TRIBES, INC.

## RESOLUTION NO. 83/22

WHEREAS,

the United South and Eastern Tribes is an Inter Tribal Council whose membership consists of American Indian Tribes in the South and East; and

WHEREAS,

the Eastern Band of Cherokees, a member of the United South and Eastern Tribes, needs support for the continued development of its Agricultural Extension Service on the Qualla Indian Boundary; and

WHEREAS,

Agricultural Extension Services have been provided to the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indian since 1954; and

WHEREAS,

these services encourage individuals and communities to pursue agricultural and community activities which provide financial social benefits; and

WHEREAS,

these benefits are increasingly important to economically depressed areas, and since Agricultural Extension Service personnel encourage families to economize, budget food, and living expenses; and

WHEREAS,

this program is very valuable and cost effective in its administration at a \$75,000 per annum rate; now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the United South and Eastern Tribes supports the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians in their efforts to seek sufficient funding from the Bureau of Indian Affairs for the Agricultural Extension Service on the Qualla Reservation.

## CERTIFICATION

This Resolution was duly passed at the Semi Annual Board of Directors meeting held May 24th thru the 26th, 1983 at the St. Regis Mohawk Reservation, Hogansburg, New York at which a quorum was present.

Leonard Garrow

President

United South & Eastern Tribes

Joel Frank

Secretary

United South & Eastern Tribes