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Resolution No. USET 96:09

**RESOLUTION TO REQUEST FEMA PARTICIPATION IN EMS AND FIRE
PROTECTION COMMITTEE MEETING DURING IMPACT WEEK**

- WHEREAS,** the United South and Eastern Tribes, Incorporated (USET) is an inter-tribal organization comprised of twenty-two (22) federally recognized tribes; and
- WHEREAS,** the actions taken by the USET, Inc. Board of Directors officially represent the intentions of each member tribe, as the Board of Directors is comprised of delegates from the member Tribes leadership; and
- WHEREAS,** the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has a role in the emergency planning and response to the member Tribes of USET; and
- WHEREAS,** the USET Board of Directors recognizes the fact that in order for the member Tribes EMS and Fire Protection programs to improve the services provided to the Tribes they represent, they need to be aware of the latest information and training programs available through FEMA; and
- WHEREAS,** it is imperative to the mission of the EMS and Fire Protection Committee that a representative of FEMA make themselves available at dates and times agreed upon to give a presentation to the Committee,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the USET Board of Directors does hereby request FEMA to provide a representative to participate in the EMS and Fire Protection Committee Meeting during the 1996 Impact Week to present information on FEMA's policy with respect to emergency planning response to federally recognized Tribes.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the USET Board of Directors requests FEMA to communicate with Mr. Joseph Perry, Jr., Chairman of the EMS and Fire Protection Committee, about specific subject matters before the 1996 meeting date of February 4-9, 1996.

CERTIFICATION

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

Philip Tarbell, Secretary
United South & Eastern Tribes, Inc.

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