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Resolution No. USET 96:31

MISSION STATEMENT OF THE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, the United South and Eastern Tribes, Incorporated (USET) is an inter-tribal organization comprised of twenty-three (23) 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 USET Education Committee through a unified voice of strength supports:

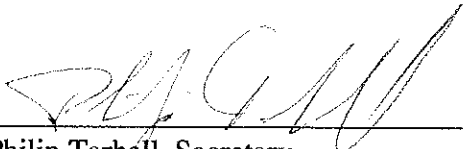
1. More effective communication through networking among the USET Tribes;
2. Stronger tribal relationships regarding education on the local, state, and national levels;
3. Quality tribal education programs through life long learning (from birth through adulthood), and
4. An American Indian based curriculum encompassing all learners

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the USET Board of Directors does recognize and advocate inter-agency collaborative efforts and coalition building with all education-focused entities affecting tribes by supporting this re-affirmation resolution as the mission, focus and intent of the USET Education Committee.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the USET Semi-Annual Board of Directors meeting, at which a quorum was present, in Bangor, ME on Friday, June 21, 1996.


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


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

"Because there is strength in Unity"