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Resolution No. USET 97:05

**USET DELEGATES TO HUD FORMULA FUNDING AND
NEGOTIATED RULE MAKING 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 Native American Housing Assistance and Self Determination Act of 1996, will dramatically change the policies and procedures that Indian Housing Authorities and Tribes now utilize in their dealings with HUD in the areas of finance and management; and
- WHEREAS,** The USET Tribes have developed a unique and long lasting relationship with the U.S. Government; and
- WHEREAS,** USET is looked upon by governmental authorities as an important source of information concerning the needs of Indian people; and
- WHEREAS,** The Native American Housing Assistance and Self Determination Act of 1996 provides for the formation of two groups, one of which will develop a formula for the allocation of funds and the other will conduct a negotiated rulemaking process for changing language in this legislation; and
- WHEREAS,** It is imperative that the USET Tribes and housing agencies continue to receive funding to fulfill the housing needs of their people; therefore, be it
- RESOLVED,** That the USET Board of Directors hereby supports and requests the appointment of several delegates to the HUD formula funding committee and the negotiated rulemaking committee and any other advisory committees that will develop procedures and policies concerning Indian Housing needs and concern; and

“Because there is strength in Unity”

(USET 97:05)

RESOLVED, That the USET housing committee nominates for the Formula Allocation Committee:

Jennie Greene, Wampanoag Tribe of Gay Head (Aquinnah)
Alternate: Beverly Wright

Rick Mitchell, Penobscot Indian Nation
Alternate: Francis Mitchell

Phillip Martin, Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians
Alternate: Jay Doris

For the Rules and Regulations Committee:


Bernadette Harlan, Seneca Nation
Alternate: Rick Doyle

Susan Wicker, Poarch Band of Creek Indians
Alternate: Eddie Tullis

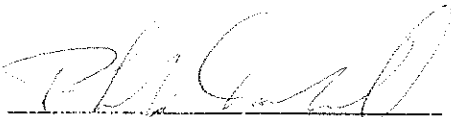
Betty Jones, Seminole Tribe of Florida
Alternate: Joel Frank

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the USET Annual Board of Directors meeting, at which a quorum was present, in Myrtle Beach, SC on Thursday, October 31, 1996.



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



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