Resolution No. USET 97:32

SUPPORT OF THE EXPANSION HEAD START PROGRAM

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 recognizes the need for Head Start programs for Indian children, and

WHEREAS, there are American Indian children that are not receiving the appropriate preparation for education due to their socio-economic conditions, and

WHEREAS, the Expansion Head Start Program will significantly enhance the opportunities of success for our Indian children, and

WHEREAS, the Expansion Head Start Program will service children ages birth to five years old through a partnership with Tribal Child Care Services; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the USET Board of Directors supports the Expansion Head Start Program.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly approved at the USET Washington Impact Week meeting, at which a quorum was present, in Washington DC on Wednesday, February 5, 1997.

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

Beverly Wright, Secretary
United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.

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