

UNITED SOUTH AND EASTERN TRIBES, INC.

Resolution No. USET 99:32

SUPPORT FOR HIRING AN AMERICAN INDIAN FOR THE ADMINISTRATOR POSITION IN THE CHICAGO OFFICE OF NATIVE AMERICAN PROGRAMS WITHIN HUD

- WHEREAS, United South and Eastern Tribes Incorporated (USET) is an intertribal organization comprising twenty-three (23) federally recognized tribes; and
- WHEREAS, the actions taken by the USET Board of Directors officially represent the intentions of each member tribe, as the Board of Directors comprises delegates from the member tribes' leadership; and
- WHEREAS, the Administrator position in the Chicago Office of Native American Programs is vacant; and
- WHEREAS, the Department of Housing and Urban Development will soon be advertising to fill the position; and
- WHEREAS, an American Indian knows of the housing problems in Indian Country; and
- WHEREAS, an Administrator with a knowledge of Indian Country will be better prepared to meet the needs of the USET tribes; therefore, be it
- **RESOLVED** the USET Board of Directors strongly recommends hiring a qualified American Indian to fill the position of Administrator for the Chicago Office of Native American Programs within the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the USET Semi-Annual Board of Directors Meeting, at which a quorum was present in Miami, FL Thursday, June 17, 1999.

Keller George, President

United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.

Beverly Wright, Secretary

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