USET Resolution No. 2006:006

SUPPORT FOR THE UNITED NATIONAL INDIAN TRIBAL YOUTH CONFERENCE IN THE EASTERN REGION

WHEREAS, United South and Eastern Tribes, Incorporated (USET) is an intertribal organization comprised of twenty-four (24) 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 needs and issues affecting the USET member Tribes are as vast and diverse as the geographic locations that the tribes occupy; and

WHEREAS, the United National Indian Tribal Youth Organization (U.N.I.T.Y.) was established in 1976 to foster the spiritual, mental, physical, and social development for Native Youth; and

WHEREAS, the USET Social Services Committee recommends support in bringing the National Youth Annual Conference to the Eastern Region, specifically, to Buffalo, NY in July 2006; and

WHEREAS, this conference will provide USET Tribal youth organizations the access to a national organization that offers career development, leadership, and healthy lifestyles workshops for youth; and

WHEREAS, those youth will bring back ideas and initiatives to their respective communities that promote, encourage and enhance healthy lifestyles and leadership skills; therefore, be it

RESOLVED that the USET Board of Directors supports the recommendation to the National U.N.I.T.Y. Board of Trustees to consider Buffalo, NY as the site for the 2006 National U.N.I.T.Y. Conference.

CERTIFICATION

This resolution was duly passed at the USET Annual Meeting & EXPO, at which a quorum was present, in Orlando, Florida, on Thursday, October 13, 2005.

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

Eddie L. Tullis, Secretary
United South and Eastern Tribes, Inc.

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