

40th NATIONAL INDIAN AND NATIVE AMERICAN EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING AND PUBLIC LAW 102-477 CONFERENCE



Durant, Oklahoma April 18, 2019

RESOLUTION NUMBER 2019-001

Performance Data Sharing of the Native American Employment and Training Programs

We, the Indian and Native American Grantees of the National Indian and Native American Employment and Training and Public Law 102-477 Conference (NINAETC/477) attending the 40th Annual Conference in Durant, Oklahoma in order to preserve for ourselves and our descendants rights secured under Indian Treaties and benefits to which we are entitled under the laws and constitution of the United States and the several states, to enlighten the public toward a better understanding of the Native people, to preserve Indian and Native cultural values, and otherwise promote the welfare of the Indian and Native people, do hereby establish and submit the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the NINAETC/477 are the representation of and advocates for national, regional, and tribal concerns; and

WHEREAS, the NINAETC/477 is a national organization comprised of American Indians, Alaskan Natives, and Native Hawaiians; and

WHEREAS, the health, safety, welfare, education, economic and employment opportunity and preservation of cultural and natural resources are primary goals and objectives of NINAETC/477; and

WHEREAS, there is misrepresentation concerning the performance outcomes and the effectiveness of the Native American Employment and Training Programs in segments of the Federal government;

WHEREAS, the Native American Employment and Training Programs are to track the outcomes of their participants using the Beartracks data system or through some other means;

WHEREAS, other employment programs in the United States Department of Labor follow similar performance indicators;

WHEREAS, this commonality of results will give a comparison between the Native American Employment and Training Programs and the other United States Department of Labor program that use similar performance indicators;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the 40th National Indian and Native American Employment and Training and Public Law 102-477 Conference, held at the Choctaw Casino and Resort, Durant, Oklahoma on April 18, 2019 with a quorum present advocates the development of a system of data results of the WIOA Section 166 and P.L. 102-477 distribution to the

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Employment and Training Administration, the United States Department of Labor, and both the legislative and executive branches of the Federal government in order to support the effectiveness of the Native American Employment and Training programs using facts that are bolstered by performance data.

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