## 32<sup>ND</sup> NATIONAL INDIAN & NATIVE AMERICAN EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING CONFERENCE Scottsdale, Arizona April 21, 2011

## **RESOLUTION NUMBER 2011-01**

## REAUTHORIZATION

We, the Indian and Native American Grantees of the National Indian and Native American Employment and Training Conference (NINAETC) attending the 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference in Scottsdale, Arizona, 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 are the representatives of and advocates for national, regional, and tribal concerns; and

WHEREAS, the NINAETC 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; and

**WHEREAS,** in anticipation of new legislation for employment and training programs within this Administration to sunset the Public Law 105-220, Workforce Investment Act; and

**WHEREAS,** the Workforce Investment Act, Section 166 is a provision of law to support employment and training activities for Indian, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiians; and is a provision of law with a framework Indian and Native Americans will recommend in new legislation;

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the 32nd National Indian and Native American Employment and Training Conference supports the new legislation to contain a provision of law to promote economic and social development of Native American communities; and be a program to be administered in accordance with the principles of Indian self-determination and recognizing government-to-government relationship between federal government and Indian tribal governments.

## **CERTIFICATION**

The foregoing resolution was adopted at the 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual National Indian and Native American Employment and Training Conference, held at the Talking Stick Resort, Scottsdale, Arizona, on April 21, 2011 with a quorum present.

Chairman, 2011 NINAETC

Secretary, 2011 NINAETC