

**The INTER-TRIBAL COUNCIL
of the FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES**

NUMBER 2000-05

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING EFFORTS OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF
HORSESHOE BEND NATIONAL MILITARY PARK TO SEEK FUNDING FOR
DESIGN, AND ERECT A MONUMENT ON PARK LAND MEMORIALIZING
THE AMERICAN INDIAN PEOPLE WHO DIED AT HORSESHOE BEND.**

WHEREAS,

the Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes is an organization which unites the tribal governments of the Cherokee, Chickasaw, Choctaw, Muscogee (Creek), and Seminole Nations, representing over 400,000 Indian people throughout the United States, and

WHEREAS,

The Cultural Resources and Historic Preservation Committee endorses and supports the efforts of the administration of Horseshoe Bend National military Park to seek funding for design, and erect a monument on Park land memorializing and commemorating the American Indian people who died at Horseshoe Bend during the battle there in March 1814, and

WHEREAS,

The committee pledges to advise and consult with the Park administration in every phase of establishing such a monument.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,

That the Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes of Oklahoma, supports the efforts of the administration of Horseshoe Bend National Military Park to seek funding for this monument.

CERTIFICATION

Adopted by the Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes of Oklahoma meeting at the Pontotoc County Agriplex in Ada, Oklahoma on April 7, 2000, by a vote of 21 for, 0 against, and 0 abstentions.

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