

**A RESOLUTION OF THE INTER-TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE  
FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES**

**Resolution No. 95-41**

**SUPPORT FOR ACCESSIBILITY OF CHILD CARE FUNDS**

**WHEREAS,** the Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes is an organization which united the Tribal governments of the Muscogee (Creek), Seminole, Cherokee, Choctaw, and Chickasaw Nations, representing over 300,000 tribal members throughout the United States; and

**WHEREAS,** the Tribal governments currently operate Child Care and Development Block Grants; and

**WHEREAS,** the current funding mechanism does not give tribes access to AFDC related child care including At-Risk child Care, Transitional Child Care and JOBS Child Care; and

**WHEREAS,** the Tribal governments have the administrative structure necessary to administer the full array of child care services; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT** the Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes support direct funding to Tribes of Child Care and Development Block Grant and AFDC related childcare funds.

**CERTIFICATION**

Adopted by the Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes in a meeting held at the Creek Council House in Okmulgee, Oklahoma, July 14, 1995, by a vote of : 25 for, 0 Against, 0 Abstentions.

(Signed by Gregory Pyle for)  
Hollis E. Roberts, Chief  
Choctaw Nation

Signed by Chief Fife  
Bill S. Fife, Chief  
Muscogee (Creek) Nation

(Signed by John A. Ketcher for)  
Wilma P. Mankiller, Chief  
Cherokee Nation

Signed by Chief Haney  
Jerry Haney, Chief  
Seminole Nation

(Signed by Bill Anoatubby)  
Bill Anoatubby, Governor