

JANUARY 2002 CROW TRIBAL LEGISLATURE

JOINT ACTION RESOLUTION NO. JAR0228

INTRODUCED BY: BEN CLOUD, ARROW CREEK DISTRICT

**A JOINT ACTION RESOLUTION OF THE EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES
OF THE CROW TRIBAL GOVERNMENT**

**A JOINT ACTION RESOLUTION OF THE CROW TRIBAL EXECUTIVE AND
LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES TO REQUEST THAT BIG HORN AND YELLOWSTONE
COUNTY REMOVE ALL LAND OWNED BY THE CROW TRIBE THAT WAS
ORIGINALLY TRUST LAND FROM THE COUNTY TAX ROLL.**

WHEREAS, the Crow Tribe of Indians owns various parcels of fee land in Big Horn and Yellowstone Counties that were once individual Indian Allotments held in Trust by the United States Government for the benefit of individual tribal members; and

WHEREAS, the fee lands now owned by the Tribe were exempt from taxation until the lands were sold to no Tribal members and fee patent was issued; and

WHEREAS, the Executive and Legislative Branches of the Crow Tribe jointly resolve to request that Big Horn and Yellowstone Counties suspend from this date forward, all tax assessments levied on any fee land that was originally allotted trust land now owned by the Crow Tribe.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES OF THE
CROW TRIBE:**

That this Joint Action Resolution shall be presented to Big Horn and Yellowstone Counties in order to request that each county suspend, from this date forward, all tax assessments levied on any fee land that was originally allotted trust land now owned by the Crow Tribe.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that this Joint Action Resolution was duly approved by the Crow Tribal Legislature with a vote of 14 in favor, 0 opposed, and 0 abstained and that a quorum was present on this 11 day of MARCH, 2002.



Ben Cloud
Speaker of the House
Crow Tribal Legislature

EXECUTIVE ACTION

I hereby ~~Approve~~ approve, _____ veto this Joint Action Resolution pursuant to the authority vested in the Chairman of the Crow Tribe by Article V, Section 8 of the Constitution and Bylaws of the Crow Tribe of Indians.



Chairman, Executive Branch
Crow Tribe of Indians

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Bill or resolution number JAR0228 Introduced by Ben Cloud Date of Vote _____

| Representative | Yes | No | Abstain | No Vote |
|---------------------------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Bull Tail | ✓ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Costa | ✓ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Crooked Arm | ✓ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Little Light | ✓ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Plain Feather | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Stewart | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Not Afraid | ✓ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Goes Ahead | ✓ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Hogan | ✓ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Old Elk | ✓ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Passes | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Pease | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Medicine Horse | ✓ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Russell | ✓ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Real Bird | ✓ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Black Hawk | ✓ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Stone | ✓ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Cloud | ✓ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Results (If tie vote) | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Vice Chair Goes Ahead | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Results | <u>14</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0</u> |

Result of vote: Passed Not Passed Tabled Veto Override

Signature of Officer: Ben Cloud Date: 3-11-02