

JANUARY 2002 CROW TRIBAL LEGISLATURE

JOINT ACTION RESOLUTION NO. JAR02-02

INTRODUCED BY: Representative Lloyd Hogan, Center Lodge District

JOINT ACTION RESOLUTION OF THE CROW TRIBAL LEGISLATURE

CONSTRUCTING A BUFFALO & ELK RESERVE ON SUITABLE TRIBAL TRUST LAND ADJACENT TO U.S. HIGHWAY 212, NEAR THE LITTLE BIGHORN BATTLEFIELD, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ATTRACTING TOURISTS TO THE CROW INDIAN RESERVATION.

WHEREAS, the Crow Tribal Legislature is authorized to adopt resolutions, regulations and guideline for the governance of the Crow Tribe of Indians, pursuant to Article V, Section 2(a) of the Constitution and Bylaws of the Crow Tribe of Indians, approved by the Secretary of Interior on July 14, 2001; and

WHEREAS, the Crow Tribe currently manages a heard of buffalo in the Tribal buffalo pasture; and

WHEREAS, tourism is a viable option to increase revenue to the Crow Tribe, and U.S. Highway 212, near the Little Bighorn Battlefield, is traveled by many tourists; and

WHEREAS, removing a portion of the buffalo herd to a fenced location near U.S. Highway 212 on suitable Tribal trust land will attract tourist to the Crow Reservation if guided tours of the buffalo herd are made available to the general public.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CROW TRIBAL LEGISLATURE:

THAT, the Crow Tribal Legislature hereby authorizes the relocation of a portion of the Tribal buffalo herd to properly fenced Tribal trust land adjacent to U.S. Highway 212, near the Little Bighorn Battlefield, if available, for the purpose of promoting tourism on the Crow Reservation through guided tours of the buffalo herd.

FURTHER, the Crow Tribal Legislature directs that the appropriate Executive Branch agency develop a management plan for the health, feeding and protection of the buffalo, for final approval by the Legislature.

FINALLY, the Crow Tribal Legislature directs that the Crow Tribal Fiscal Office identify funding to be made available to implement the intent of this Resolution.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that this Joint Resolution was duly approved by the Crow Tribal Legislature with a vote of 13 in favor, 0 opposed, and 0 abstained and that a quorum was present on this 26 day of February, 2002.

Ben Cloud

Ben Cloud
Speaker of the House
Crow Tribal Legislature

EXECUTIVE ACTION

I hereby _____ approved, _____ veto this Joint 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 JAR0202 Introduced by Lloyd Hogan JR. 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)	<u>13</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Vice Chair Goes Ahead	—	—	—	—
Results	<u>13</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: 2-26-02