## ROSEBUD SIOUX TRIBE Rosebud Sioux Tribe Utility Commission RESOLUTION NO. 2011-01

Resolution of the Rosebud Sioux Tribe In Support of the Application of New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC ("AT&T Mobility") for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in Rural Study Areas Pending before the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission, Docket No. TC11-071.

WHEREAS, The Rosebud Sioux Tribe is a federally recognized Indian Tribe organized pursuant to the Indian reorganization Act of 1934 and all pertinent amendments thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Rosebud Sioux Tribe is governed by the Tribal Council made up of elected Representatives who act in accordance with the powers granted to it by its Constitution and By Laws; and has under the appropriate authorities adopted ordinances for the promotion and regulation of utilities and telecommunication services within the jurisdiction of the Rosebud Sioux Tribe; and

WHEREAS, the Rosebud Sioux Tribe has under the appropriate authorities adopted ordinances for the promotion and regulation of utilities and telecommunication services within the jurisdiction of the Rosebud Sioux Tribe; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the requirements of Chapter 3 of Title 20, the Rosebud Sioux Tribe has duly established the Rosebud Sioux Tribal Utility Commission as a governmental agency and subordinate subdivision of the Tribe; and

WHEREAS, the designation of AT&T Mobility as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier will enable AT&T Mobility to improve the coverage and quality of its wireless network, and

WHEREAS, the designation of AT&T Mobility as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier will allow AT&T Mobility to improve its network in the geographic area that encompasses the Rosebud Sioux Reservation as well as other areas throughout the state, and

WHEREAS, the improvement of the AT&T Mobility network in the area of the Rosebud Sioux Reservation and throughout the state will benefit the members of the Rosebud Sioux tribe by enhancing their ability to use wireless communications, and

WHEREAS, the designation of AT&T Mobility as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier will allow AT&T Mobility to provide Lifeline Service to eligible low income tribal members in the geographic area that encompasses the Rosebud Sioux Reservation, and

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WHEREAS, the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission is currently considering AT&T's Application for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in Rural Study Areas, and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Rosebud Sioux Tribal Utilities Commission hereby supports AT&T Mobility's Application for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in Rural Study Areas, and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Rosebud Sioux Tribal Utilities Commission serve the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission with a copy of this Resolution.

## CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that the above Resolution No. 2011- 01 was duly passed by the Rosebud Sioux Tribal Utility Commission in session on Wednesday, July 13, 2011. By a vote of 2 in favor, 0 opposed, and 1 not voting. The said Resolution was adopted pursuant to the authority vested in the Tribal Utility Commission. A quorum was present.

ATTEST:

Ed Clairmont, Vice-President

Rosebud Sioux Tribe Utility Commission

Perry H. DeCory III, President

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