



# CITY OF BETHEL

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Presented by: Council Member Miller

Date: July 12, 1994

Action: Passed

Vote: Unanimous

## RESOLUTION #94-28

### RESOLUTION OF THE BETHEL CITY COUNCIL SUPPORTING H.R. 4162, A BILL TO GRANT AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE SOCIAL SERVICE BLOCK GRANTS DIRECTLY TO INDIAN TRIBES

**WHEREAS**, the Bethel City Council is the recognized governmental organization for the city of Bethel; and

**WHEREAS**, the Social Services Block Grant is authorized under Title XX if the Social Security Act and administered by the Department of Health and Human Services; and

**WHEREAS**, the Social Services Block Grant provides funding, by formula, to state governments and territorial governments, but not to tribal governments; and

**WHEREAS**, this country's first Americans are left out of this much needed program; and

**WHEREAS**, the Bethel City Council recognizes that the Title XX Social Services Block Grant program is to provide for the needs of all Americans, and is ironic that this country's first Americans are left out of this program; and

**WHEREAS**, the Bethel City Council endeavors to provide for the health, education and well-being of the people of this city.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Bethel City Council supports H.R. 4162, which will provide three percent of Social Services Block Grant funds to be distributed directly to Indian Tribes to administer.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 12TH DAY OF JULY, 1994.

  
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Donna J. Chris, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Connie Tucker, City Clerk

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