

fully recognized and integrated into the American family of institutions of higher education.

Whereas tribal Colleges and Universities provide access to information technology critical to full participation in America's economic, political and social life, bridging great distances and transforming learning environment.

Whereas, Tribal Colleges and Universities and their Native communities continue to play an integral role in American Indian education including in assisting in the implementation of the No Child Left Behind Act of 2002. Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, that the Senate of the United States recognizes the essential role Tribal Colleges and Universities play in American Indian communities, honors the vision and commitment of the founders of the American Indian Higher Education Consortium, and celebrates 30 successful years of implementing that vision for the benefit of American Indian peoples across the United States.

Mr. CAMPBELL. Mr. President, I am pleased to be joined today by Senators DORGAN, MURKOWSKI, DOMENICI, BINGAMAN, CONRAD and STABENOW in submitting a resolution to commemorate the establishment of the American Indian Higher Education Consortium that took place in the fall of 1972.

In the late 1960s Indian people began to realize that their futures depended more on their own keen insights, beliefs and actions than on those of the Federal Government or other communities.

This phenomenon was assisted in 1970 when President Nixon issued his "Special Message to Congress on Indian Affairs" which rejected the tried and failed policies of assimilation and termination. Nixon's message launched the era of Indian Self Determination with a renewed focus on local, tribal decision making and economic self sufficiency.

In 1972 six Indian tribal colleges joined forces to form the American Indian Higher Education Consortium, AIHEC, with the goal of creating a network of tribally-controlled institutions of higher education.

The founders of the AIHEC envisioned that through collective action, they could better assist Indian communities and Native people in the field of education and vocational education.

Thirty years later, the American Indian Higher Education Consortium has grown to include 32 Tribal Colleges and Universities located in 12 States with an enrollment of 30,000 students from over 250 federally recognized Indian Tribes.

Tribal Colleges and Universities provide quality higher education to Indian students and have become the "hubs" of a sort for accessing state-of-the-art information technology. It is important to realize that in addition to providing educational opportunities for their communities, these institutions function as community centers, libraries, childcare centers, tribal archives, career and business centers, economic development centers and public meeting places.

The communities served by Tribal Colleges and Universities are among

the poorest in the Nation. The training and education provided by Tribal Colleges and Universities allows Native students to prepare for and obtain jobs that offer a decent salary with benefits, and help reduce the trap of dependency that has befallen so many Native people.

On July 3, 2002 President Bush issued Executive Order 13270 recognizing the enduring contributions of Indian Tribal Colleges and Universities and hailing their success on a wide range of issues.

I urge my colleagues to join me in supporting this resolution which recognizes the critical role Tribal Colleges and Universities play in American Indian communities, honors the vision and commitment of the founders of the American Indian Higher Education Consortium, and celebrates 30 successful years of implementing that vision for the benefit of American Indian peoples across the United States.

SENATE RESOLUTION 320—HONORING THE VALLEY SPORTS AMERICAN LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL TEAM FROM LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY FOR WINNING THE 2002 LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL WORLD SERIES

Mr. BUNNING (for himself and Mr. MCCONNELL) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to:

Whereas on August 25, 2002 the Valley Sports American little League baseball team from Louisville, Kentucky won the Little League Baseball World Series;

Whereas this is the first time a Kentucky team has won the Little League Baseball World Series in the 56-year history of the series;

Whereas the Valley Sports team had an impressive and overall undefeated record of 24 wins and 0 losses, including 4 victories in the playoffs, and winning the championship game;

Whereas the Valley Sports team players, Aaron Alvey, Justin Elkins, Ethan Henry, Alex Hornback, Wes Jenkins, Casey Jordan, Shane Logsdon, Blaine Madden, Zach Osborne, Jake Remines, Josh Robinson and Wes Walden, showed tremendous dedication and sportsmanship throughout the season toward the goal of winning the Little League baseball world championship;

Whereas the Valley Sports team was managed by Troy Osborne, and coached by Keith Elkins and Dan Roach, who all demonstrated professionalism and respect for their players and the game of baseball;

Whereas the Valley Sports team fans from Kentucky showed enthusiasm, support and courtesy for the game of baseball, and all the players and coaches;

Whereas in the 56th Little League Baseball World Series championship game the Valley Sports American baseball team faced the Sendai Higashi Japanese baseball team and came away victorious by a score of 1-0: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, that the Senate honors the Valley Sports American Little League baseball team from Louisville, Kentucky for winning the 2002 Little League World Series Championship.

AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED AND PROPOSED

SA 4472. Mr. BYRD proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 5093, making appropria-

tions for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2003, and for other purposes.

SA 4473. Mr. BYRD (for himself and Mr. BURNS) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 4472 proposed by Mr. BYRD to the bill H.R. 5093, supra.

SA 4474. Mr. BYRD proposed an amendment to amendment SA 4472 proposed by Mr. BYRD to the bill H.R. 5093, supra.

SA 4475. Mr. BYRD proposed an amendment to amendment SA 4472 proposed by Mr. BYRD to the bill H.R. 5093, supra.

SA 4476. Mrs. HUTCHISON submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by her to the bill H.R. 5093, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 4477. Mr. CRAPO submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4472 proposed by Mr. BYRD to the bill H.R. 5093, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 4478. Mr. CRAPO submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4472 proposed by Mr. BYRD to the bill H.R. 5093, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 4479. Mr. SMITH, of New Hampshire (for himself, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. LEVIN, and Mr. KERRY) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4472 proposed by Mr. BYRD to the bill H.R. 5093, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 4480. Mr. BYRD (for himself, Mr. BURNS, Mr. STEVENS, Mr. REID, Mr. DOMENICI, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. CRAIG, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. KYL, Mr. BAUCUS, and Mr. CAMPBELL) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 4472 proposed by Mr. BYRD to the bill H.R. 5093, supra.

SA 4481. Mr. DASCHLE (for himself, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. HARKIN, Mrs. CARNAHAN, Mr. BURNS, Mr. DORGAN, Mr. NELSON, of Nebraska, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. LEVIN, Mrs. CLINTON, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. CONRAD, Mr. WELLSTONE, Mr. DAYTON, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. REID, Mr. BYRD, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. HATCH, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. CLELAND, and Mr. ENZI) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 4472 proposed by Mr. BYRD to the bill H.R. 5093, supra.

SA 4482. Mr. MURKOWSKI submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 5005, to establish the Department of Homeland Security, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 4483. Mr. MURKOWSKI submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 5005, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 4484. Mr. MURKOWSKI submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 5005, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 4485. Mr. MURKOWSKI submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4467 submitted by Mr. LIEBERMAN and intended to be proposed to the bill H.R. 5005, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 4486. Mr. WELLSTONE proposed an amendment to amendment SA 4471 proposed by Mr. LIEBERMAN to the bill H.R. 5005, supra.

SA 4487. Ms. SNOWE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4471 proposed by Mr. LIEBERMAN to the bill H.R. 5005, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 4488. Ms. SNOWE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4471 proposed by Mr. LIEBERMAN to the bill H.R. 5005, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 4489. Ms. SNOWE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4471 proposed by Mr. LIEBERMAN to the

bill H.R. 5005, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 4490. Mr. REID proposed an amendment to amendment SA 4486 proposed by Mr. WELLSTONE to the amendment SA 4471 proposed by Mr. LIEBERMAN to the bill H.R. 5005, supra.

SA 4491. Mr. SMITH, of New Hampshire (for himself, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. MURKOWSKI, Mr. BURNS, Mr. BUNNING, and Mr. MILLER) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 4471 proposed by Mr. LIEBERMAN to the bill H.R. 5005, supra.

SA 4492. Mr. REID (for Mrs. BOXER (for himself, Mr. SMITH, of New Hampshire, Mr. MURKOWSKI, Mr. BURNS, Mr. BUNNING, and Mr. MILLER)) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 4491 proposed by Mr. SMITH of New Hampshire (for himself, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. MURKOWSKI, Mr. BURNS, Mr. BUNNING, and Mr. MILLER) to the amendment SA 4471 proposed by Mr. LIEBERMAN to the bill H.R. 5005, supra.

TEXT OF AMENDMENTS

SA 4472. Mr. BYRD proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 5093, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2003, and for other purposes; as follows: That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2003, and for other purposes, namely:

TITLE I—DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

MANAGEMENT OF LANDS AND RESOURCES

For expenses necessary for protection, use, improvement, development, disposal, cadastral surveying, classification, acquisition of easements and other interests in lands, and performance of other functions, including maintenance of facilities, as authorized by law, in the management of lands and their resources under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Land Management, including the general administration of the Bureau, and assessment of mineral potential of public lands pursuant to Public Law 96-487 (16 U.S.C. 3150(a)), \$816,062,000, to remain available until expended, of which \$2,000,000 is for high priority projects which shall be carried out by the Youth Conservation Corps, defined in section 250(c)(4)(E) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended, for the purposes of such Act; of which \$4,000,000 shall be available for assessment of the mineral potential of public lands in Alaska pursuant to section 1010 of Public Law 96-487 (16 U.S.C. 3150); and of which not to exceed \$1,000,000 shall be derived from the special receipt account established by the Land and Water Conservation Act of 1965, as amended (16 U.S.C. 4601-6a(i)); and of which \$3,000,000 shall be available in fiscal year 2003 subject to a match by at least an equal amount by the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation, to such Foundation for cost-shared projects supporting conservation of Bureau lands and such funds shall be advanced to the Foundation as a lump sum grant without regard to when expenses are incurred; in addition, \$32,696,000 for Mining Law Administration program operations, including the cost of administering the mining claim fee program; to remain available until expended, to be reduced by amounts collected by the Bureau and credited to this appropriation from annual mining claim fees so as to result in a final appropriation esti-

mated at not more than \$821,062,000, and \$2,000,000, to remain available until expended, from communication site rental fees established by the Bureau for the cost of administering communication site activities: *Provided*, That appropriations herein made shall not be available for the destruction of healthy, unadopted, wild horses and burros in the care of the Bureau or its contractors: *Provided further*, That of the amount provided, \$31,028,000 is for the conservation activities defined in section 250(c)(4)(E) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended, for the purposes of such Act.

WILDLAND FIRE MANAGEMENT

For necessary expenses for fire preparedness, suppression operations, fire science and research, emergency rehabilitation, hazardous fuels reduction, and rural fire assistance by the Department of the Interior, \$544,254,000, to remain available until expended, of which not to exceed \$12,374,000 shall be for the renovation or construction of fire facilities: *Provided*, That such funds are also available for repayment of advances to other appropriation accounts from which funds were previously transferred for such purposes: *Provided further*, That persons hired pursuant to 43 U.S.C. 1469 may be furnished subsistence and lodging without cost from funds available from this appropriation: *Provided further*, That notwithstanding 42 U.S.C. 1856d, sums received by a bureau or office of the Department of the Interior for fire protection rendered pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 1856 et seq., protection of United States property, may be credited to the appropriation from which funds were expended to provide that protection, and are available without fiscal year limitation: *Provided further*, That using the amounts designated under this title of this Act, the Secretary of the Interior may enter into procurement contracts, grants, or cooperative agreements, for hazardous fuels reduction activities, and for training and monitoring associated with such hazardous fuels reduction activities, on Federal land, or on adjacent non-Federal land for activities that benefit resources on Federal land: *Provided further*, That the costs of implementing any cooperative agreement between the Federal government and any non-Federal entity may be shared, as mutually agreed on by the affected parties: *Provided further*, That in entering into such grants or cooperative agreements, the Secretary may consider the enhancement of local and small business employment opportunities for rural communities, and that in entering into procurement contracts under this section on a best value basis, the Secretary may take into account the ability of an entity to enhance local and small business employment opportunities in rural communities, and that the Secretary may award procurement contracts, grants, or cooperative agreements under this section to entities that include local non-profit entities, Youth Conservation Corps or related partnerships, or small or disadvantaged businesses: *Provided further*, That funds appropriated under this head may be used to reimburse the United States Fish and Wildlife Service and the National Marine Fisheries Service for the costs of carrying out their responsibilities under the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.) to consult and conference, as required by section 7 of such Act in connection with wildland fire management activities.

For an additional amount to cover necessary expenses for emergency rehabilitation and wildfire suppression by the Department of the Interior, \$110,000,000, to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That the Congress designates the entire amount as an

emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended: *Provided further*, That \$110,000,000 shall be available only to the extent an official budget request, that includes designation of the \$110,000,000 as an emergency requirement as defined in the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended, is transmitted by the President to the Congress.

CENTRAL HAZARDOUS MATERIALS FUND

For necessary expenses of the Department of the Interior and any of its component offices and bureaus for the remedial action, including associated activities, of hazardous waste substances, pollutants, or contaminants pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. 9601 et seq.), \$9,978,000, to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That notwithstanding 31 U.S.C. 3302, sums recovered from or paid by a party in advance of or as reimbursement for remedial action or response activities conducted by the Department pursuant to section 107 or 113(f) of such Act, shall be credited to this account to be available until expended without further appropriation: *Provided further*, That such sums recovered from or paid by any party are not limited to monetary payments and may include stocks, bonds or other personal or real property, which may be retained, liquidated, or otherwise disposed of by the Secretary and which shall be credited to this account.

CONSTRUCTION

For construction of buildings, recreation facilities, roads, trails, and appurtenant facilities, \$12,976,000, to remain available until expended.

PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES

For expenses necessary to implement the Act of October 20, 1976, as amended (31 U.S.C. 6901-6907), \$220,000,000, of which not to exceed \$400,000 shall be available for administrative expenses and of which \$100,000,000 is for the conservation activities defined in section 250(c)(4)(E) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended, for the purposes of such Act: *Provided*, That no payment shall be made to otherwise eligible units of local government if the computed amount of the payment is less than \$100.

LAND ACQUISITION

For expenses necessary to carry out sections 205, 206, and 318(d) of Public Law 94-579, including administrative expenses and acquisition of lands or waters, or interests therein, \$38,734,000, to be derived from the Land and Water Conservation Fund, to remain available until expended, and to be for the conservation activities defined in section 250(c)(4)(E) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended, for the purposes of such Act.

OREGON AND CALIFORNIA GRANT LANDS

For expenses necessary for management, protection, and development of resources and for construction, operation, and maintenance of access roads, reforestation, and other improvements on the revested Oregon and California Railroad grant lands, on other Federal lands in the Oregon and California land-grant counties of Oregon, and on adjacent rights-of-way; and acquisition of lands or interests therein including existing connecting roads on or adjacent to such grant lands; \$105,633,000, to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That 25 percent of the aggregate of all receipts during the current fiscal year from the revested Oregon and California Railroad grant lands is hereby made a charge against the Oregon and California land-grant fund and shall be transferred to the General Fund in the Treasury