Deh Cho First Nation Leadership Meeting Hay River Reserve October 5 - 7, 1999

RESOLUTION # 02

RE: Horn Plateau Protected Area

- Whereas the Deh Cho First Nations own, use and occupy the Horn Plateau since time immemorial; and
- Whereas the Deh Cho First Nations have asserted Dene title and rights through the Declaration of Rights passed at the Assembly in Kakisa in 1993, the 21 principles of common ground and the Deh Cho process; and
- Whereas the Horn Plateau is of great significance to Deh Cho communities with regards to its ecosystem and maintaining a traditional life style; and
- Whereas the Deh Cho First Nations will work co-operatively with other First Nations communities to ensure that all First Nation interests are addressed.
- Therefore the Deh Cho First Nations support the establishment of a protected area on the Horn Plateau where no industrial or commercial activities will take place according to the attached draft boundary.

Moved by:	
	Elder Gabe Hardisty
Seconded by:	
	Chief Karen Thomas
Certified:	Grand Chief Michael Nadli

Accepted by consensus of leaders present. The meeting had lost quorum when this resolution was dealt with. No vote was taken.