

TEMA/TÍTULO: Mayordomía: La Carta de la Tierra

PROPONENTE: Diocese of Newark

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- 1 *Se resuelve*, con la aprobación de la Cámara de _____ que la 76ª Convención General de la
 - 2 Iglesia Episcopal endose La Carta de la Tierra y recomiende medidas para que diócesis,
 - 3 parroquias e individuos implementen sus principios local, nacional e internacionalmente.

EXPLANATION:

The Earth Charter is a declaration of fundamental ethical principles for building a just, sustainable and peaceful global society in the 21st century (see www.earthcharter.org). It results from the most inclusive and participatory worldwide process ever associated with the drafting of an international declaration. Literally thousands people and hundreds of organizations, including many religious leaders, participated in the decade long process. The Earth Charter seeks to inspire in all people a new sense of global interdependence and shared responsibility for the well being of the whole human family, the greater community of life and future generations. It is a blueprint for local and global ministry; it is a vision of hope and a call to action. Now is a critical moment in the history of God's creation, a time when we must choose our future and that of the magnificent diversity of cultures and life forms on our planet, Earth. Our common destiny calls us to seek a new beginning, a fundamental change of heart and mind, a clear recognition of global interdependence and universal responsibility. We must take actions - large and small - that demonstrate a new reverence for life, a firm resolve to achieve sustainability and a quickening of the struggle for justice and peace. That the 76th General Convention direct the Office of Government Relations to advocate for endorsement of the "United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples" by the U.S. administration.