

RESOLUTION OF THE
WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE OF THE
FORT APACHE INDIAN RESERVATION

WHEREAS, the Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe realizes the necessity of reducing the over-stocked condition of the range by the removal of inferior and worthless horses now in various sections of the reservation and,

WHEREAS, most of these horses carry individual brands, making it necessary to pay the owner where legitimate property rights can be established for old brands and,

WHEREAS, owing to the rough mountainous country, these horses are hard to catch; requiring traps and holding pastures, making it necessary to hire Indian laborers with good saddle horses and,

WHEREAS, the amount previously approved for this work is now practically exhausted.

BE IT NOW RESOLVED that the Council for and on behalf of the Tribe request the Secretary to approve the expenditure of \$4,000 to continue horse work for the remainder of this year. The same to be used for payment of Indian labor and for horses for which legitimate ownership is established.

The foregoing Resolution was on this date, September 4, 1944, duly adopted by a vote of 9 for and 0 against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to the authority vested in it by Article VI, Section 1 (d & e) of the Constitution and By-laws of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe on August 15, 1938, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

/S/ Laurence Johnson
Chairman of the Tribal Council

/S/ Mary Clarkson- Acting Secretary
Secretary of the Tribal Council

Approval recommended:

Wm. Deener
Superintendent

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