

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

WHEREAS, the Canyon Creek No. 1 Logging Unit has available timber for harvesting, and

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the Bureau of Indian Affairs and the White Mountain Apache Tribe that establishing new industries and thereby creating employment for tribal members is of primary importance.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Canyon Creek No. 1 Logging Unit of 3,980 timbered acres with an estimated volume to be cut of 14,978,000 board feet be advertised for sale under the following conditions:

- a. That the advertised rates per M feet, B. M. shall not be less than \$8.00 for ponderosa and white pines; \$5.00 for Douglas fir and \$2.50 for white fir;
- b. That the minimum stumpage rates per M feet, B. M. shall in no event be reduced below \$6.50 for ponderosa and white pines; \$3.50 for Douglas fir and \$2.50 for white fir;
- c. That the advertising of this unit shall be paid from Tribal funds Account 62-66;
- d. That the contract attached hereto is approved subject to such changes as may be deemed necessary by the Area Director;
- e. That the Tribal Council requests that the timber be sold by sealed bids as set forth by the advertisement;
- f. That the Chairman and Secretary of the Council be authorized to execute the contract and any necessary extensions or modifications for and on behalf of the White Mountain Apache Tribe.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the net proceeds from the sale of timber on this unit be deposited to the credit of the White Mountain Apache Tribe.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Resolution 62-20 of March 7, 1962 be rescinded and the foregoing resolution be substituted in its place.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Phoenix Area Office and the Fort Apache Agency Forestry Personnel make an immediate survey based on the permanent cutting plan in the western block to establish a sawmill in the Cibecue District with the capacity of 6,500,000. to 10,000,000. board feet a year.

The foregoing Resolution was on May 16, 1962 duly adopted by a vote of 9 for and 0 against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article V, Section 1 (i) of the Amended Constitution and By-Laws of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe June 27, 1958 and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on May 29, 1958, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

*Lester Oliver*

Chairman of the Tribal Council

*Mary C. Esfield*

Secretary of the Tribal Council

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(Date)

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