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

- WHEREAS, the forest resources of the Fort Apache Reservation are of primary economic importance to the White Mountain Apache Tribe, and
- WHEREAS, the allowable annual cut for the reservation, as determined in the timber management plan, depends upon achieving maximum net growth in the forest, and
- WHEREAS, the expenditure of funds for Forest Cultural Work is expected to yield an increase in merchantable timber that can be cut from the reservation forest, providing a continuous source of funds to the Tribe from otumpage receipts and to individual members of the Tribe from wages derived from the program, and
- WHEREAS, the funds expended in this program can be applied as Tribal contribution in the distribution of 10% administration deduction made from stumpage receipts.
- BE IT RESOLVED that 10% of net stumpage receipts to the Tribe over \$600,000.00 be budgeted annually for a Forest Cultural Program which will increase forest productivity and quality of the forest products.

The foregoing resolution was on December 6, 1967 duly adopted by a vote of 7 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).

Acting Chairman of the Tribal Council

Secretary of the Tribal Council

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