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

- WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribe is committed to quality health care for its tribal members, and
- WHEREAS, the tribe is prepared to take strong actions toward achieving such health care, as in the example of Resolution No. 77-36 dealing with the request for transfer of Whiteriver Indian Health Service Unit Personnel, and
- WHEREAS, the tribe is convinced that existing problems, in obtaining quality health care, could be resolved by the daily involvement of local tribal people in the routine operation of the Whiteriver Service Unit at the policy-making level.
- BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it requests from the Phoenix Area Indian Health Service Office that the White Mountain Apache Health Advisory Board be also designated as the 'Whiteriver Service Unit Advisory Board', with all the appropriate duties and responsibilities for the operation of the Whiteriver Indian Health Service Hospital and its related health care programs.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the White Mountain Apache Tribe seeks the active support of the Phoenix Area Indian Health Advisory Board in these efforts to improve health care on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation.

The foregoing resolution was on March 10, 1977 duly adopted by a vote of 10 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).

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Secretary of the Tribal Council

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