

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

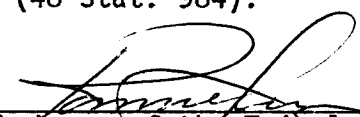
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe has entrusted responsibility for education of our Apache children in the Apache Tribal Education Department, and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Education Department is extremely concerned with the high drop-out rate and habitual truancy among our Apache school children, and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has enacted laws requiring school attendance by children between the ages of six (6) and eighteen (18) years, and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council desires that such tribal laws be enforced by persons authorized by the Tribe and throughout all schools within the boundaries of the Fort Apache Indian Reservation, and
- WHEREAS, such authorized tribal representative may appropriately be titled a "Child Guidance Officer" and be responsible for enforcing tribal truancy laws and for coordinating efforts of parents, school officials, reservation communities and tribal judicial and law enforcement officials in securing the attendance of school age Indian children in schools, in the best interests of such children and the tribe.
- BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe directs the Apache Tribal Education Department to employ a "Child Guidance Officer", and that such tribal officer shall be authorized, commissioned, and directed to enforce the compulsory school attendance laws of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, and to coordinate the efforts of parents, school officials, reservation communities, tribal judicial and law enforcement officials in securing the attendance of school age Indian children in schools in the best interests of such children and the Tribe.

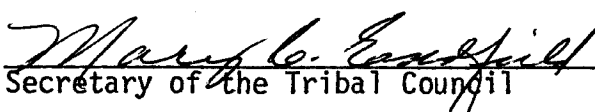
The foregoing resolution was on October 3, 1978 duly adopted by a vote of 8 for and 0 against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article V, Section 1 (i) of the Amended Constitution and By-Laws of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe June 27, 1958 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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