

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

WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribal Council has instituted a top-priority program of water-utilization in order to develop its economic resources while protecting its historic water rights; said program being endorsed by legal counsel, and

WHEREAS, engineering and feasibility studies of a proposed sprinkler irrigation project of up to 600 acres of alfalfa and other cattle feeds indicate that the use of water from the White River for this purpose will provide employment and great economic benefits for the Tribe and the cattle industry on the reservation, and

WHEREAS, the Economic Development Administration (EDA) has expressed a strong interest in funding the irrigation project in an amount up to \$450,000.

BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe hereby approves the use of White River water for a sprinkler irrigation project; and further authorizes a grant application to EDA and/or other funding agencies for the purpose of developing the sprinkler irrigation project.


BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Tribal Chairman is authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to carry out the purposes of this resolution.

The foregoing resolution was on June 06, 1979 duly adopted by a vote of Nine for and One against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article V, Section 1 (f) and (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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Chairman of the Tribal Council


Secretary of the Tribal Council