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

- WHEREAS, Ms. Berlinda Bones, Director of the White Mountain Apache Housing Authority has appeared before the Tribal Council and advised that the current status of the Apache Housing Project No. 16-30 indicates that construction should begin approximately May, 1981 and that site selections for this project are currently underway, and
- WHEREAS, The Tribal Council recognizes the need for this additional housing as well as for the housing on the reservation to upgrade the living conditions of the tribal members as well as providing employment for tribal members during the construction of such housing, and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has also been informed by Ms. Bones and representatives of HUD that problems exists within the Housing Authority regarding collections on existing houses and that this problem has been discussed within the Tribal Council to help find methods to resolve the problem.
- BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe does respectfully request HUD to expedite the release of funds necessary to initiate and complete the current Project No. 16-30 and to also assist the Housing Authority in determining and expediting the housing program on the reservation necessary to allow the tribal members to enjoy the same standard of living as is found off the reservation.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that continued communications and cooperation between the Tribal Council and the Housing Authority be improved so as to assure that the financial commitments between the Housing Authority and HUD are met and that such problems as existing in collections are resolved to the satisfaction of the Tribe and the Housing Authority and HUD.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that construction of housing units on the reservation be continually reviewed so as to assure that maximum utilization of the White Mountain Apache Housing Development Enterprise, a prime employer of tribal members, is assured.

The foregoing resolution was on January 07, 1981 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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Chairman of the Pribal Council

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Secretary of the Tribal Council

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