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

- WHEREAS, Richard L. Gray, Director of Children's Services for the White Mountain Apache Tribal Guidance Center has requested approval from the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe for a Wilderness/Discovery Program for Apache youths who have experienced problems in school and at home, and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has been advised by Mr. Gray that the Wilderness/Discovery Program is helpful toward resolving the problems of Apache youths and in enhancing their self-image and pride in their culture, and
- WHEREAS, Mr. Richard Gray has made a further personal request that he be permitted to use his evaluation of the Wilderness/Discovery Program to complete the requirements for his Ph.D. degree, and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council, after considerable discussion of the request due to its past unpleasant experience with non-tribal members who have utilized tribal people and resources to fulfill their graduate work requirements.
- BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that Mr. Richard L. Gray's request for approval of the Wilderness/Discovery Program is hereby granted.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that his personal request that he be permitted to use his evaluation of the Wilderness/Discovery Program to complete the requirements for his Ph.D. degree is hereby denied for the reasons stated to him at the time of his request at the regularly scheduled Council meeting.

The foregoing resolution was on April 7, 1981 duly adopted by a vote of 9 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 Tribal Council

Secretary of the Tribal Council

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