

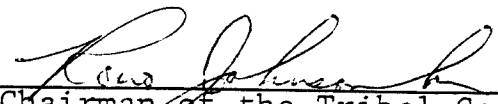
RESOLUTION OF THE
WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE OF THE
FORT APACHE INDIAN RESERVATION

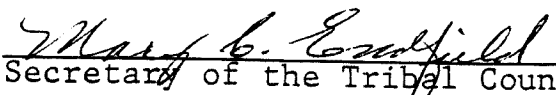
- WHEREAS, Council Member Judy Dehose, representing the Cibecue District, has proposed to the Tribal Council that permission be granted by the Tribal Council for the development of a trekking program to be introduced on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation, and
- WHEREAS, this trekking program is a program involving guided tours for groups of ten to fifteen persons who will travel on the reservation for three weeks at a time with a tribal-member guide and will engage in activities such as camping, hiking, horse back riding, fishing and visits to the Apache Tribal Culture Center, Kinishba Ruins and generally receive a tour of the Fort Apache Indian Reservation, and
- WHEREAS, this program is designed for those individuals who are physically fit for long terms of hiking and camping and is generally a no frills approach to wilderness exploration and travel, and
- WHEREAS, similar trekking programs exist throughout the United States, Europe and Asia all designed around similar guidelines which encourage small but well-guided groups to engage in hiking and other outdoor activities, and
- WHEREAS, it is anticipated that the season for this trekking program on the reservation will be from May to September and will not involve more than two groups of ten to fifteen persons per month on the reservation at one time, and
- WHEREAS, there may be funding available through Title VII to finance the initial funding for such a program, and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council is advised that Linda Tani, Director of the Tribal CETA Program is able to and is willing to write a proposal for Title VII funds for this purpose, said funds being earmarked for economic development including development of tourism programs on Indian reservations, and
- WHEREAS, the primary clientele for this program would come from Europe specifically Germany because of the interest that the German people have shown in such a program and the Fort Apache Indian Reservation.
- BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby requests that Linda Tank, Director of the CETA Program draft a proposal for Title VII funds in which to develop the trekking program on the reservation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council that it hereby grants permission for the initiation of the trekking program on the reservation so long as all applicable Game and Fish Ordinances and Sacred Tribal Areas are respected and so long as the trekking group is well-supervised by tribal members.

The foregoing resolution was on March 02, 1983 duly adopted by a vote of 8 for and 0 against and 1 abstention by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article V, Section 1 (j, h & g) 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).

ACTING


Chairman of the Tribal Council


Secretary of the Tribal Council

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