


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

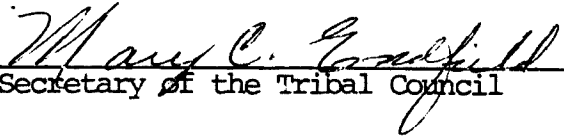
WHEREAS, Phillip Stago, Jr., General Manager of the White Mountain Apache Recreation Enterprise, has presented for approval by the Tribal Council, proposed Hunting Regulations for non-members of the Tribe for the 1985/86 Hunting and Fishing Season, and

WHEREAS, after a thorough review of the proposed regulations, the Tribal Council concurs with Mr. Stago's recommendations as attached hereto.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby approves non-member Hunting and Fishing Regulations for 1985/86 in the form attached hereto.

The foregoing resolution was on September 11, 1985 duly adopted by a vote of 6 for and 0 by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article V, Section 1 (f,h,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

  
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Secretary of the Tribal Council

WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE  
NON-MEMBER HUNTING REGULATIONS 1985-86

1. DEER

A. WHITETAIL DEER  
SEASON DATES:

NO SEASON FOR NON-MEMBERS

B. MULEDEER  
SEASON DATES:

NO SEASON FOR NON-MEMBERS

2. TURKEY

A. FALL TURKEY SEASON  
SEASON DATES:

NO SEASON FOR NON-MEMBERS

3. ELK

A. TROPHY ELK HUNT  
SEASON DATES:

EAST END 1ST HUNT:  
EAST END 2ND HUNT:  
WEST END EXPERIMENTAL  
HUNT

Sept. 21 thru 27, 1985  
Sept. 30 thru Oct. 6, 1985  
Oct. 9 thru 15, 1985

BAG LIMIT:  
LEGAL ELK:  
NUMBER OF PERMITS:

One (1) per tag per year  
Bull only  
45 (40 permits for the east end  
and 5 permits for the experimental  
west end hunt)

LEGAL TAKING DEVICE:

Any legal firearm or bow and arrow  
as described in 10.

PERMIT COST:

\$7000.00 each

B. SPECIAL RAFFLE HUNT

SEASON DATES:  
BAG LIMIT:  
LEGAL ELK:  
NUMBER OF PERMITS:  
LEGAL TAKING DEVICE:

Sept. 13 thru 17, 1985  
One (1) per tag per year  
Bull only  
5 permits  
Any legal firearm or bow and arrow  
as described in 10.

PERMIT COST:

\$20.00 Donation per raffle ticket  
or 6 for \$100.00

DEADLINE FOR TICKETS:

August 18, 1985

4. BEAR

A. FALL BEAR HUNT

SEASON DATES:  
BAG LIMIT:

Sept. 1 thru Dec. 31, 1985  
One (1) Bear per tag, Two (2)  
Bears per calendar year

LEGAL BEAR:  
NUMBER OF PERMITS:

Any Bear  
Unlimited

LEGAL TAKING DEVICE: Any legal firearm or bow and arrow  
as described in 10.  
PERMIT COST: \$100.00 per permit

B. SPRING BEAR HUNT

SEASON DATES: Jan. 1 thru May 31, 1986  
BAG LIMIT: One (1) Bear per tag, Two (2)  
Bears per calendar year  
LEGAL BEAR: Any Bear  
NUMBER OF PERMITS: Unlimited  
LEGAL TAKING DEVICE: Any legal firearm or bow and arrow  
as described in 10.  
PERMIT COST: \$100.00 per permit

\*SPECIAL REGULATIONS: (1) BAITING BEARS PROHIBITED.  
(2) ALL HUNTERS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED  
BY A REGISTERED RESERVATION  
GUIDE.

5. LION

SEASON DATES: Year Long  
BAG LIMIT: One (1) Lion per tag holder per  
year  
LEGAL LION: Any Lion  
NUMBER OF PERMITS: Unlimited  
LEGAL TAKING DEVICE: Any legal firearm or bow and arrow  
as described in 10.  
PERMIT COST: \$200.00

\*SPECIAL REGULATION: ALL HUNTERS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED  
BY A REGISTERED RESERVATION GUIDE

6. ANTELOPE

SEASON DATES: To Be Determined  
BAG LIMIT: One (1) Antelope per tag holder  
LEGAL ANTELOPE: Buck only  
NUMBER OF PERMITS: To Be Determined  
LEGAL TAKING DEVICE: Any legal firearm or bow and arrow  
as described in 10.  
PERMIT COST: \$3500.00

7. JAVELINA

SEASON DATES: January 18 thru February 9, 1986  
BAG LIMIT: One (1) Javelina per tag holder  
per year  
LEGAL JAVELINA: Any Javelina  
NUMBER OF PERMITS: 70 \*  
LEGAL TAKING DEVICE: Any legal firearm or bow and arrow  
as described in 10.

PERMIT COST: \$50.00

\* Permits will be issued on a first come first serve basis.

8. BIGHORN SHEEP  
NO SEASON

9. SMALL GAME

PERMIT COST \$50.00 per year or \$5.00 per day

A. COTTONTAIL RABBITS

SEASON DATES: Oct. 19, 1985 thru Feb. 23, 1986  
BAG LIMIT: Ten (10) per day  
LEGAL TAKING DEVICE: Bow and arrow, shotguns, or rimfire weapons only.

B. TREE SQUIRRELS

SEASON DATES: October 26 thru November 24, 1985  
BAG LIMIT: Five (5) per day  
LEGAL TAKING DEVICE: Bow and arrow, shotguns, or rimfire weapons only.

C. QUAIL

SEASON DATES: Oct. 26, 1985 thru Feb. 9, 1986  
BAG LIMIT: Fifteen (15) quail per day  
LEGAL TAKING DEVICE: Bow and arrow or shotgun only.  
LEGAL QUAIL: Gambel, scaled, and mearns quail

D. BLUE GROUSE

SEASON DATES: October 26 thru November 24, 1985  
BAG LIMIT: Three (3) grouse per day  
LEGAL TAKING DEVICE: Bow and arrow or shotgun only.

E. MIGRATORY BIRDS

SEASON DATES: TO BE ANNOUNCED

F. PREDATORY AND FUR-BEARING ANIMALS

SEASON DATES: NO SEASON FOR NON-MEMBERS

G. BOBCATS

SEASON DATES: NO SEASON FOR NON-MEMBERS

H. OTHER MAMMALS AND BIRDS

SEASON DATES: NO SEASON FOR NON-MEMBERS

## 10. TIME AND METHODS OF LEGALLY TAKING GAME

A. Big game may be legally taken with the following weapons:

- 1) Centerfire rifles, muzzleloading rifles, and all other rifles using black powder or Pyrodex.
- 2) Centerfire handguns and handguns using black powder or Pyrodex.
- 3) Shotguns shooting slugs.
- 4) Bows having a standard pull of forty or more pounds, using arrows with metal broadheads no less than 7/8 inch width cutting edges.
- 5) In addition, Turkey and Javelina may be taken with 22 rimfire magnum rifles and 5mm rimfire rifles. Turkey may also be taken with shotguns shooting shot.

B. Small game (EXCEPT MIGRATORY BIRDS, BLUE GROUSE AND QUAIL) may be legally taken with any firearm, bow and arrow, pneumatic weapon, or sling shot not prohibited in Section F.

C. Predatory and fur-bearing animals may be legally taken with any firearm, bow and arrow, or trap not prohibited in Section F.

D. Migratory birds and upland game birds may be taken only with shotguns shooting shot or bow and arrow not prohibited in Section F.

E. Other mammals and birds may be legally taken during the season by any means not prohibited in Section F except for foothold traps.

F. The following devices and ammunition are prohibited for the taking of ANY wildlife on the Reservation and may not be possessed in the field while hunting:

- 1). Fully automatic firearms, including firearms capable of selective automatic fire.
- 2). Tracer ammunition and full metal jacketed bullets other than those designed for hunting.
- 3). Shotguns larger than 10 gauge; or shotguns capable of holding more than two shells in the magazine, unless plugged with a one-piece filler, incapable of removal without disassembling the gun.

- 4). Semi-automatic centerfire rifles with a magazine capacity of more than five shells.
- 5). Contrivences designed to silence, muffle, or minimize the report of a firearm.
- 6). Poisoned arrows, or arrows with explosive tips.
- 7). Crossbows and other bows having devices attached to hold the bow in a drawn position are prohibited.
- 8). The use of artificial light to spotlight wild animals or birds is illegal.

#### G. TIME PERIODS FOR THE TAKING OF GAME

- 1). Big game, wild mammals, and birds may be taken only during daylight hours (sunrise to sunset).
- 2). Nongame mammals, predatory, and fur-bearing animals may be taken by trap day or night.
- 3). Migratory game birds may be taken only at such times as authorized by the Tribal Council in the Migratory Game Bird Regulations.

#### H. TAGGING OF BIG GAME

- 1). All hunters shall have in their possession a valid tribal hunting tag prior to going into the field to hunt. NO EXCEPTIONS. Anyone found hunting without a valid tag will be cited.
- 2). Tags will be properly affixed to the game species immediately after the kill.

### 11. SPECIAL REGULATIONS

- A. While the Trophy Elk Hunt is in progress (SEPTEMBER 7 THRU OCTOBER 20, 1985), all hunt units except units 7 and 10 are closed to all hunting.
- B. These regulations shall apply to all non-members (Anyone who is not a registered member of the White Mountain Apache Tribe.
- C. Tags for big game hunting must be obtained from the White Mountain Apache Game & Fish Office in Whiteriver prior to going into the field.

D. Tags for Small Game hunting may be purchased from any Reservation permit dealer.

E. Anyone hunting Blue Grouse on the White Mountain Apache Indian Reservation must have a special Tribal Grouse Permit in their possession along with a valid Tribal Small Game Hunting Permit. The Grouse permit is available at any Reservation permit dealer at no cost.

F. Anyone hunting Bandtail Pigeon on the White Mountain Apache Indian Reservation must have a special Tribal Bandtail Permit in their possession along with a valid Tribal Small Game Hunting Permit. The Bandtail permit is available at any Reservation permit dealer at no cost.

F. Anyone hunting Migratory Birds on the White Mountain Apache Indian Reservation must have a special Tribal Migratory Bird Permit in their possession along with a valid Tribal Small Game Hunting Permit and a Federal Duck Stamp. The Migratory Bird permit is available at any Reservation permit dealer at no cost.