

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

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has received numerous complaints from tribal members in regards to the ongoing erosion problem which is destroying tribal farmlands and access roads to those farmlands' and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council concludes that the Bureau of Indian Affairs Land Operations Division has the responsibility to preserve tribal farmlands and to take necessary measures to prevent erosion and channeling of tribal streambeds as part of the trust responsibility of United States Government to the White Mountain Apache Tribe; and

WHEREAS, the Bureau of Indian Affairs appropriates money to its Land Operation Division for such purposes but to date, said monies have not been sufficient to effectively combat farmland erosion.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby requests that the Bureau of Indian Affairs prepare a budget which emphasizes the reclamation and preservation of tribal farmlands and the control of erosion on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation.

The foregoing resolution was on February 5, 1986, 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 Bylaws 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)

  
Chairman of the Tribal Council

  
Secretary of the Tribal Council