


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

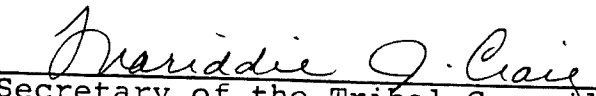
- WHEREAS, tribal members Everette and Vina Cassadore have advised the Tribal Council that for the past four (4) years they have managed the local Rent-A-Flik video rental store located in the Tribe's Whiteriver Commercial Center and the Cassadores' further advise the Tribal Council that an opportunity has arisen for them to purchase the business on favorable terms; and
- WHEREAS, the lease of the business site between the tribe and the current owner has expired and the business is operating at the site on a month-to-month basis and the Cassadores' have requested that a lease be drafted between themselves as owners of the business and the White Mountain Apache Tribe contingent upon the acquisition of the business by the Cassadores'; and
- WHEREAS, the purchase of the business is contingent upon the ability of the Cassadores' to acquire the necessary financing to purchase the business for cash, and pursuant to an economic analysis which has been completed concerning the business, the purchase by the Cassadores' is not only feasible but is also economically desirable and will provide a needed service to the local reservation communities; and
- WHEREAS, the Cassadores' are in the process of obtaining financing and desire an expression of Tribal Council support of their efforts to develop this existing business as a tribal member owned venture, and also wish to receive an expression of Council intent to enter into a long term lease of the business premises; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council is of the opinion that the ownership of local businesses by tribal members is to be encouraged and supported by the Tribe and the Tribal Council is of the opinion that the business venture proposed by Mr. and Mrs. Cassadore is in the best interest of the White Mountain Apache Tribe and will contribute to the overall development of the local economy.
- THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby urges the Bureau of Indian Affairs and the Small Business Administration and any other business development entities with whom the Cassadores' are negotiating to give every consideration to

approving a loan to Mr. and Mrs. Cassadore for the purchase and start up of the local Rent-A-Flik video rental business to be owned and operated under the name of "Apache Video"; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council that immediately upon the purchase of the business by Mr. and Mrs. Cassadore, the tribe will enter into a lease of the business site to Mr. and Mrs. Cassadore. The Chairman is authorized to negotiate and execute any agreements necessary to fulfill the intent of this resolution.

The foregoing resolution was on 04-28-88, duly adopted by a vote of TEN for and ZERO 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

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