

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

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe is the governing body of the White Mountain Apache Tribe; and

WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribe in conjunction with the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Office of Indian Education recognizes a need to establish a standing committee to assure uniform and equal services to all children identified on the reservation as handicapped. The committee will be responsible for assuring that all service agencies work together to provide the best services complimenting each other. The Tribal Council hereby sanctions the efforts of all agencies currently working to serve that function; and

WHEREAS, there is a need for an Interagency Committee to coordinate services provided to the handicapped individuals.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe establishes an "Interagency Committee for Apache Children with Special Needs" for the purpose of having all agencies work together to provide services to all Indian children on this reservation. The members of the Committee shall be Susan Oliver, IHS Representative; Susan Marohn, BIA/OIEP Representative; Barbara Nelson, Public School Representative; Yvonna Redsteer, Representative of the Department of Developmental Disability; Wesley Bonito, Representative of Tribal Education; Lafe Altaha, White Mountain Apache Tribal Council; Dave Ingram, Representative of Tribal Planning; Dr. JoAnne O'Connell, Representative of Northern Arizona University; Bobby Thompson, Representative of the BIA Education Operation; and Anne Willie-Susan, Representative of the Tribal Social Services.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the committee will make periodic reports to the Tribal Council as may be necessary to keep them informed.

The foregoing resolution was on July 14, 1989, duly adopted by a vote of SEVEN 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).

ACTING Alvin Hawthorn
Chairman of the Tribal Council

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Secretary of the Tribal Council

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