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

- WHEREAS, the residents of the Cradleboard Hill Subdivision have filed a petition with the Tribal Council requesting authorization for the Bureau of Indian Affairs to construct a fuel break around the subdivision as a protection against forest fires; and
- WHEREAS, previously, the Tribal Council had granted approval for the Bureau of Indian Affairs to construct a fuel break on the condition that it not be any closer than 300 feet to a resident's home and that any exception to that general rule would require the consent of the individual homeowner; and
- WHEREAS, the petition and the homeowners advise the Tribal Council that some of the homeowners wish to have a fuel break closer to their home and the Tribal Council having no objection to that choice.
- BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes the Bureau of Indian Affairs to construct a fuel break around the Cradleboard Hill Subdivision in accordance with the individual wishes of the residents of the subdivision.

The foregoing resolution was on <u>June 5, 1991</u>, duly adopted by a vote of <u>ten</u> for and <u>zero</u> 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).

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