

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

WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribe and the Tribal Council have exhibited a continuing commitment to the White Mountain Apache youth; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council recognizes that a large number of our Apache youths ages 16-25 are neither in school nor working; and

WHEREAS, it is also recognized that many of these young people lack a high school degree and many of the education basics they need to have a productive future; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council recognizes that reservation lands have many environmental and conservation needs which cannot be met with existing programs and resources; and

WHEREAS, the Council recognizes a critical unmet need beyond needs in the area of youth recreational, literacy, drug counselling and service programs; and

WHEREAS, the new federal Commission on National and Community Service has made available to the White Mountain Apache Tribe the opportunity to apply for a grant in competition with states and other Indian Tribes to establish a Conservation/Youth Service Corps providing a living allowance together with education and training resources for Apache youth ages 16-25 for work on environmental conservation, housing rehabilitation, and youth service projects.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes the submission of a grant application to the Commission on National and Community Service in the amount of approximately One Million dollars for the operation of a White Mountain Apache Conservation/Youth Service Corps for a period of three years beginning July, 1992.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council that the Chairman is authorized to negotiate the content and terms of such a grant should the application be accepted.

The foregoing resolution was on March 18, 1992, 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 (a) (b) (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)

Frank J. Giffel Jr.
Chairman of the Tribal Council

Virginia M. Dalton
Secretary of the Tribal Council

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