

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

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council is advised that the Bureau of Indian Affairs has recently purchased six (6) additional military surplus water tankers known as "water buffalos" which carry up to 500 gallons of potable water; and

WHEREAS, Tribal Council Member Randall Massey recommends to the Tribal Council that a request be made to the Bureau of Indian Affairs to release two (2) of the water tankers for tribal community uses at wakes, outdoor basketball, volleyball, softball and baseball tournaments, rodeos, sunrise dances and for tribal fair or wherever large crowds of people may congregate requiring a large supply of drinking water to avoid heat exhaustion and dehydration; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council concludes that there is a need for such a service which would be administered by the Tribal Community Service Office.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby request Superintendent Ben Nuvamsa of the Fort Apache Indian Agency to release two (2) military surplus water tankers to the White Mountain Apache Tribe for the purpose of using said water tankers for tribal community uses such as wakes, basketball, volleyball, softball and baseball tournaments, rodeos, sunrise dances and the tribal fair due to the scarcity of potable water available in the areas where the foregoing activities take place.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council that if the request is granted by the Superintendent, that the White Mountain Apache Community Service Office be responsible for administering and maintaining the water tankers and for assigning them to use at community activities.

The foregoing resolution was on May 07, 1992, duly adopted by a vote of six 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) (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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