

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

- WHEREAS,** the Phoenix Area Safety of Dams Program is designed to protect from dam failure both dams and people located on lands belonging to the White Mountain Apache Tribe; and
- WHEREAS,** the Congress has included \$100,000 of appropriated funds for the Phoenix Area Safety of Dams Program; and
- WHEREAS,** Phoenix Area has proposed to use most of this money to collect field data and to perform engineering evaluations of the 27 Fort Apache dams on the attached list; and
- WHEREAS,** this would allow Phoenix Area to confirm the hazard classifications of those dams and to determine the need for any repairs or modifications required to bring them up to Federal safety standards; and
- WHEREAS,** this information would then be used by the Fort Apache Agency to schedule dam maintenance and repairs, and would be provided to the White Mountain Apache Tribe to be used as a basis for future funding requests for major safety modifications.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Phoenix Area is authorized to assign a survey crew to the Fort Apache Reservation for the months of June, July and August, 1992, and have access to all the dams on the attached list for the purpose of inspecting and evaluating the hazards and identifying problems which, if left uncorrected, could lead to dam failure.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council that the White Mountain Apache Tribe will appoint a Tribal Representative to serve as the Tribal Safety of Dams Coordinator and liaison to the Phoenix Area on all matters concerning dam safety on the Fort Apache Reservation. The Tribal Safety of Dams Coordinator would participate in dam inspections, engineering decisions concerning dam safety, and in Bureau and Department-wide safety of dams meetings and training seminars.

The foregoing resolution was on June 05, 1992, duly adopted by a vote of eight 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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FORT APACHE INDIAN RESERVATION - LOW HAZARD DAMS

<u>NAME OF DAM</u>	<u>PRIMARY USE</u>
A-1 Dam	Fishing/Recreation
Apache Pond No. 1	Stock
Apache Pond No. 2	Stock
Bog Tank	Stock/Recreation
Bootleg	Stock/Recreation
Christmas Tree	Fishing/Recreation
Cooley	Fishing/Recreation
Cyclone	Fishing/Recreation
Davis	Fishing/Recreation
Drift Fence	Fishing/Recreation
Earl Park	Fishing/Recreation
Georges Basin	Stock/Recreation
Hop Canyon Tank	Stock
Horseshoe Cienega	Fishing/Recreation
Hurricane Lake	Stock/Recreation
Lower Junction Tank	Stock
Nash Creek	Stock/Recreation
Pacheta	Stock/Recreation
Reservation	Fishing/Recreation
Seven Mile Tank	Stock
Shush Be Tou	Stock
Shush Be Zahze	Fishing/Recreation
Sunrise	Fishing/Recreation
Tonto Lake	Stock/Recreation
Turkey Track Flat	Stock/Recreation
Wild Steer	Stock
Willow	Stock