

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

WHEREAS, the lack of sufficient recreational activities has been cited as a causative factor in high rates of juvenile delinquency, substance abuse, suicide, and other indices of family disintegration on the reservation; and

WHEREAS, the experience of the Whiteriver Athletic Department indicates that there is a significant reduction in deviancy among those youth that become involved in organized recreational activities; and

WHEREAS, there is a lack of adequate recreational opportunities on the reservation and the need for a Tribal Park and Recreation Center for families on the reservation is critical; and

WHEREAS, the Tribe has identified a park site and is in the process of acquiring several buildings from Indian Health Service to be remodeled and used as a recreation center; and

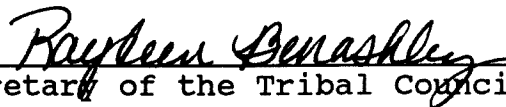
WHEREAS, the total cost of the Tribal Park and Recreation Center is anticipated to be approximately \$450,000 and the Tribe is contributing land and buildings valued at approximately \$38,000 and has received a grant which will provide staffing with an estimated value of \$75,000.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby commits \$50,000 as its contribution to the Community Development Block Grant Proposal; said funding for a Tribal contribution to the Tribal Park and Recreation Center being available from the Central Fund of the White Mountain Apache Tribe to be used for furnishings and equipment at the Recreation Center and other related project costs.

The foregoing resolution was on July 21, 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) (b) (f) (h) (i) (j) (k) 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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