

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

WHEREAS, tribal member Mercilene Amarok has requested approval from the Tribal Council that she be eligible to receive land claim settlement as she has produced sufficient evidence through the Superintendent of the Fort Apache Agency in verifying her enrollment in the White Mountain Apache Tribe at the age of one year; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council agrees that Ms. Amarok is eligible to receive distribution from land claim settlement but there is confusion because two paternities have been established, one in San Carlos where the father is deceased and another paternity has been established in Whiteriver through the Tribal Court; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council concludes that land claim monies should be distributed after clarification of paternity.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes the distribution of land claim monies to Ms. Mercilene Amarok in accordance with settlement guidelines after the issue of paternity has been clarified, and correct paternity has been established.

The foregoing resolution was on June 23, 1993, 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 (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)


Chairman of the Tribal Council


Secretary of the Tribal Council

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