

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

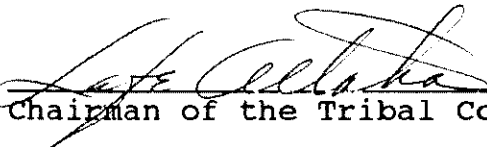
- WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe has met this date with the Bureau of Indian Affairs Office of Indian Education Programs, and has reviewed a Council Consultation Booklet verbally presented by a representative of Bureau of Indian Affairs Education Department; and
- WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council in previous resolutions 09-92-263, 02-91-63 and 11-91-331 recommended that BIA Facilities Management remain with the Office of Indian Programs (OIP) and that Facilities management not be transferred to the Office of Indian Education programs (OIEP); and
- WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council is well aware of the ongoing issue and dispute regarding the transfer of Facilities Management to the Office of Indian Education Programs and how it affects the three BIA schools on the reservation: John F. Kennedy School, Theodore Roosevelt School, and Cibecue Community School; and
- WHEREAS,** immediate corrective action is necessary to abate and identify all health and safety violations at all three BIA schools and the Tribal Council urges OIP and OIEP to reaffirm the existing memorandum of agreement between the two programs at the Fort Apache Agency which is attached and incorporated by reference to this resolution; and
- WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council is concerned that regardless of whether Facilities Managements is transferred to Indian Education Program or remains with OIP the Council utmost concern is that the three schools be maintained and be brought up to the required standards of health, safety and maintenance for benefit of school children attending those schools;
- WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council reaffirms its previous position that Facilities Management remain under OIP.
- BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that is hereby reaffirms prior council resolutions 09-92-263, 02-91-63 and 11-91-331 which urges that the BIA Facilities Management remain with the Office of Indian Programs and not be transferred to the Office of Indian Education Programs.

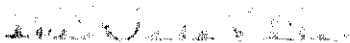
**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council that it requests the Bureau of Indian Affairs take immediate action to correct and abate all identified health and safety violations existing at John F. Kennedy School, Theodore Roosevelt School and Cibecue Community School.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council that it hereby requests that the Administrative Memorandum Of Agreement between the Office of Indian Programs and the Office of Indian Education Programs of the Fort Apache Agency, attached to this resolution and incorporated by reference herein, be reinstated; that OIP and OIEP share personnel, services, equipment and work together for the improvement of conditions at Theodore Roosevelt School, John F. Kennedy School and the Cibecue Community School so as to strengthen delivery of requisite services and to provide quality education services as mandated by the trust responsibility of the United States of America to the White Mountain Apache Tribe.

The foregoing resolution was on June 30, 1993, duly adopted by a vote of five 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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