

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

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe is advised that the Whiteriver Indian Hospital located within the exterior boundaries of the Fort Apache Indian Reservation presently provides services outside the White Mountain Apache Tribe's reservation boundaries to Native Americans residing in the following communities:

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| (a) Pinetop-Lakeside | (b) Show Low |
| (c) Snowflake | (d) Springerville |
| (e) Concho | (f) St. Johns |
| (g) Taylor | (h) Shumway |
| (i) Eagar | (j) Heber; and |

WHEREAS, presently the boundaries for the Whiteriver Service Unit do not include those communities and the Whiteriver Service Unit has come before the Tribal Council with requests for authorization from the Tribal Council to expand the service boundaries for the Whiteriver Service Unit Hospital to include service to the foregoing communities for Native Americans residing therein; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council concludes that authorization should be granted to the Whiteriver Service Unit to expand its boundaries as requested; and

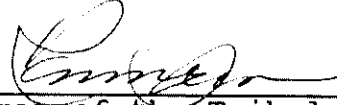
WHEREAS, the expanded boundaries may result in additional funding for the Whiteriver Service Unit as well as eligibility for an OB/GYN unit which would benefit members of the White Mountain Apache Tribe and other Native American citizens residing in the communities named herein.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes the Whiteriver Service Unit to expand its boundaries to include service to Native Americans in the following communities:

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| (a) Pinetop-Lakeside | (b) Show Low |
| (c) Snowflake | (d) Springerville |
| (e) Concho | (f) St. Johns |
| (g) Taylor | (h) Shumway |
| (i) Eagar | (j) Heber |

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council that it hereby requests the Indian Health Service to provide additional funding to the Whiteriver Service Unit to enable it to service these additional communities and for construction of an OB/GYN unit.

The foregoing resolution was on September 8, 1993, 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 (a) (h) (i) (t) (u) 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).

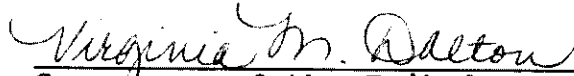


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