

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

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police, Andrew Kane, of the Whiteriver Police Department has come before the Tribal Council with the request that the Council authorize the preliminary steps to be taken to become a participating employer in the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System on behalf of the full-time paid police officers of Whiteriver Police Department; and

WHEREAS, the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System has been created by the State of Arizona in order to provide a uniform, consistent and equitable state-wide program for public safety personnel who are regularly assigned to hazardous duty; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the terms of the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System, it is optional for certain Indian Tribes to include within the system its full-time paid police officers; and

WHEREAS, it may be in the best interest of the White Mountain Apache Tribe to include all full-time paid police officers who are regularly assigned to hazardous duty under the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System Act as set forth in Arizona Revised Statutes, Title 38, Chapter 5 Article 4.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes the Tribal Chairman and the Chief of Police, Andrew Kane, to request a preliminary actuarial survey to determine the estimated cost of participation, the benefits to be derived and such other information as may be deemed appropriate and that the cost of such survey shall be paid out of the budget of the Whiteriver Police Department.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council that the Chief of Police is hereby authorized to provide and turn over the actuarial study and that the Chairman and the Chief of Police are authorized to take whatever steps are necessary to carry out the intent of this Resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Tribal Council shall file a copy of this Resolution with the Fund Manager of the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System.

The foregoing resolution was on February 10, 1994, 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 IV, Section 1 (a), (b), (h), (i) and (k) of the Constitution of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe September 30, 1993, and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on November 12, 1993, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

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