

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

WHEREAS, each year many members of the White Mountain Apache Tribe must be transported to medical facilities in Phoenix or elsewhere; and

WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribe's Health Authority, through its patient transportation program, has developed a competent, professional and capable program to provide such transportation services to many areas, such as to Pinetop, Show Low, St. Johns, Phoenix and Tucson, Arizona; and

WHEREAS, the proposed construction of the dialysis treatment center in Whiteriver will alleviate some of the need for those transportation services now provided by the PTP; and

WHEREAS, the Patient Transportation Program possesses the capital and human resources for providing medical transportation services to Phoenix and other locations under the AHCCCS program.

WHEREAS, the PTP successfully manages similar programs from which standards have been established pursuant to an ongoing contract under the auspices of P.L.93-638 and pursuant to an ongoing Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) with AHCCCS.

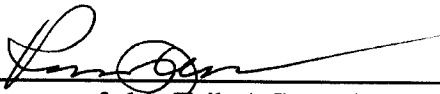
BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby delegates authority to the Tribal Chairman, or his agent, to enter into such appropriate agreements as are necessary to lead to Tribal Health Authority's being designated as sole provider of transportation for people traveling to and from the Fort Apache Indian Reservation for non-emergency transportation to Phoenix, Arizona and surrounding areas under the AHCCCS program.


The foregoing resolution was on June 01, 1994, duly adopted by a vote of ten 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), (s), (t) and (u) 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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FORT APACHE INDIAN AGENT
WHITERIVER, ARIZONA


Chairman of the Tribal Council


Secretary of the Tribal Council