

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

WHEREAS, the Whiteriver School District has expended considerable effort in the development and design of a school gymnasium that will provide adequate seating for our growing tribal population, and,

WHEREAS, the proposed facility would be an important community asset that would elevate the morale of our youth, enhance the prestige off our community, and provide an excellent gymnasium for athletic and other school events, and,

WHEREAS, the construction bids for the gymnasium have exceeded the projected funding available to the School District for the construction of the facility, i.e. the low bid exceeded available funding by approximately \$1.0 million dollars, and,

WHEREAS, the Whiteriver School District has indicated a willingness to utilize the facility to accommodate other tribally sponsored events and included the concept of the gymnasium being a community facility in the design process, and,

WHEREAS, the construction of the school gymnasium is an important addition to our community and that without additional funding the facility will not be constructed.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby approves the appropriation of \$1.0 million dollars to be used in conjunction with approximately \$5.0 million dollars of Whiteriver School District funding for the construction of the proposed gymnasium which will be used for school district and tribally sponsored activities,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Tribal Council Resolution 01-95-013 and attachments thereto pertaining to the tax exempt loan of \$6.0 million dollars from the First Interstate Bank for specific capital improvement projects is amended and incorporated by reference here in to include an additional \$1.0 million dollars in the loan amount for the construction of the Whiteriver School District gymnasium: all other provisions thereof to remain in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council that the Tribal Chairman in conjunction with the Whiteriver School District Superintendent will develop an Intergovernmental Agreement regarding the policies and procedures for usage of the gymnasium for tribal and community activities that is mutually agreeable to both parties.

Resolution No. 03-95-084

The foregoing resolution was on March 1, 1995, 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).



Chairman of the Tribal Council



Secretary of the Tribal Council

