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

- WHEREAS, Land Office secretary, Elesta Woodbury, came before the Tribal Council requesting approval of the Land Board meeting minutes of April 24, 1998; and
- **WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council has reviewed the Land Board meeting minutes and is in agreement that the minutes should be approved.
- **BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby approves the Land Board meeting minutes of April 24, 1998 as presented.

The foregoing resolution was on <u>May 15, 1998</u> duly adopted by a vote of <u>ten</u> for and <u>zero</u> against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article IV, Section I (a), (e), (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 Trikal Council

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Secretary of the Tribal Council

# Minutes Land Board Meeting

The regularly scheduled monthly Land Board Meeting was held on April 24, 1998, in the Tribal Council Chambers, with the members present Lynn Cody, Lula A. Ivins, Esther T. Lupe, and Rimson Ethelbah.

Meeting opened at 9:20 a.m.

- 1. Faith Beatty Johnson requesting for addition and land assignment in Hondah Homesite, Faith advise the Board Members, the homesite is a 25 year lease and requesting for land assignment. McDaniel advise behind the smoke shop are leased area and on the Powerline area are land assigned by Land Office. Raymus advise that the Tribal Council had approved for 200 X 200 increase to the Hondah Homesites, but there is a problem to it, the houses are close together, some homesites can be increased to 200 X 200, but some homesites cannot be increased due to small areas. Faith advise if she could convert the leased homesite to land assignment, and to get the addition. Board Members approved the application.
- Angela Cheney and Floyd Cheney Floyd requesting for 2. homesite above Rainbow City, Board Members advise Floyd, that his mother Angela was assigned about 30 acres next to H. Brewer at Post Office Canyon, was approved by livestock. Floyd's parents had requested that land for their family. Floyd advise the Board Members that he did not want to reside out there, but to reside close in the residential area, Raymus advise to relinquish portion of the 30 acre back to W.M.A.T., only if his mother agrees to it, but Angela does not agree to it. Floyd advise the Board Members that he will not to do anything with the land assigned to his parents, with housing or anything else, requesting for the homesite above Rainbow City, since he grew up around that area. Lynn advised Floyd that water and sewer should be checked out first if its suitable for homesite. Floyd advise there are houses around the area requested for so there shouldn't be any problem with water and sewer. Members advise they will approve the application.
- 3. Sylivia Bones relinquish homesite in Jurrasic park area back to W.M.A.T., and requesting for homesite in Fort Apache area which was relinquished by Margaret Bones, a portion of her homesite. Application approved.
- 4. George Pailzote requesting for farmland in Limestone to be assigned to him by family approval, was signed by family members, Raymus advised George to come into the office on

Tuesday to go out in fields to check out the location.

- 5. Travis Thomas requesting for area west of Rainbow City, Board advised McDaniel if it was an open area, McDaniel advise it was open, application approved.
- 6. Jennifer L. Keeswood requesting for addition to her homesite in North Whiteriver next to I.H.S., McDaniel advise the Board, area requesting for is in the wash, Jennifer advise its for the use of livestock, application approved.
- Mirian Quintero requesting for land assignment and addition in Whiteriver town next to the street light to put up brick wall, since her house is right next to the highway, house sold to her by Billy Kahn Sr. Board advise will check with Slim Quay since his concession stand is on the area requested for and if Slim is going to do any improvement on the stand. Will return on next meeting, also to notify Slim Quay.
- 8. Kasey Velasquez requesting for homesite in North Fork area, open area next to J. Kasey. Application approved.
- Gloria returning Barker William's application, he had relinquished the homesite to his daughter Ann Burnette, but since he is applying for H.I.P. house, Ann Burnette was to relinquish the homesite back, but no relinquishment form on file, Board advise Gloria to get the relinquishment form signed by Ann.
- Jonathan Baylish President for Rainbow City community advise 10. the Board members not to assigned any more homesites in Rainbow city area, due to too many break ins, and to refer any applicants to him.

The following homesite applications approved:

1. Fredrick Cosay

Faith Beatty Johnson

Floyd Cheney 3.

Michael Bones

Travis Thomas

Jennifer Keeswood 6.

Kasey Velasquez

Marco Dosela

Georgia Harvey 9.

10. Billy Kahn Jr.

11. Mary Lou Benally

12. Carley Cosay Sr.

13. Vadonna Lupe

Jurrasic Park area

addition/Hondah homesite

Rainbow City

Fort Apache

Rainbow City

addition/N. Whiteriver

North Fork

Whiteriver N. of P.D.

Rainbow City .

S. of Cradleboard

Hondah homesite

Canyon Day

Chinatown

14. Christopher Beatty Diamond Creek

The following relinquishment forms approved:

2. 3. 4. 5.	Michael Bones Sr. W.M.A.T. Georgia Harvey Marco Dosela W.M.A.T. Gary Thompson	by: by: by: by:	Margaret Bones Michael Bones Sr. Brenda Harvey Lee Misty Ethelbah Billy Kahn Jr. Cecil Ivins Sr.	Fort Apache Jurassic P. Rainbow city Whiteriver N. W/R Cibecue
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### The following Farmland applications approved:

Flora White & Curtis Bourke
 Ruth Goklish
 Renewal/Turkey creek
 Cedar Creek Big Canyon

## The following homesite applications denied or tabled:

1. Pearl Cheney Family has land assignment for them already in Post Office Canyon area.

2. Marian Quintero Hold until next Meeting.

3. Erma Adley Check with Housing Authority
4. Arnold Lupe Sr. To relinquish present homesite

5. Seretta Brooks To recheck

6. Lavida Hartfield Hold/Surveyor to check out homesite

7. Brenda Lee Need to select homesite

#### The following relinquishment forms denied:

1. Seretta Brooks Relinquishment form no signature

2. Hagan Norman to: Esther Larzelere Hold

The following Farmland application denied:

1: Esther Larzelere Hold