

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

WHEREAS, Tribal member Chris Kitcheyan has come before the Tribal Council with a request for permission from the Council to distribute his thesis entitled "Population structure of Apache Trout in Flash and Squaw Creeks on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation, Arizona" to the University of Arizona faculty and U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service personnel who supported his thesis work; and

WHEREAS, the thesis, Section One, details the status of the Apache Trout within the Tribe's lands, and makes use of limited Tribal data; and

WHEREAS, the thesis and request have received review from the Tribal Legal Department and Hydrology Department staff who have determined that requested release of the thesis would not compromise any confidential or sensitive Tribal data; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council congratulates Mr. Kitcheyan on the impressive work he has completed in completing this undertaking in order to earn an advanced degree at the University of Arizona; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council concurs with the request submitted this date.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby grants permission to Chris Kitcheyan to distribute his thesis, "Population Structure of Apache Trout in Flash and Squaw Creek on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation, Arizona." to the University of Arizona Faculty and U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service personnel who supported and worked with Mr. Kitcheyan in the preparation of this thesis.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it offers its congratulations to Mr. Kitcheyan in his impressive work and that should he seek further and broader publication of this thesis concerning information pertaining to the Tribe's lands that he come back to the Tribal Council for subsequent approval at that time.

The foregoing resolution was on September 1, 1999 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), (f), (h), (t), and (u) of the Constitution of the Tribe, ratified by the

Resolution No. 09-99-207

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