

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

**WHEREAS,** Domestic Violence Awareness Month is observed throughout the United States and the State of Arizona and the lands of the White Mountain Apache Tribe during the month of October, each year; and

**WHEREAS,** the purpose of Domestic Violence Awareness Month is to educate communities and raise awareness about domestic violence and the programs available to address domestic violence; and

**WHEREAS,** domestic violence is transmitted from one generation to the next; and

**WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe wishes to recognize and support the efforts made by community groups and individuals in understanding and eliminating domestic violence; and

**WHEREAS,** educating Tribal members about domestic violence and its effects will contribute to family harmony and well-being.


**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby proclaims the month of October of each year as Domestic Violence Awareness Month.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the first full week of October shall be designated for scheduled events, including the annual domestic violence conference.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council that it hereby encourages Tribal members and other concerned community members to support and participate in scheduled events during the month of October, 1999, in the hopes of alleviating incidences of domestic violence.

The foregoing resolution was on September 21, 1999 duly adopted by a vote of nine 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), (i), (j), (k), (m), (q), (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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Chairman of the Tribal Council

  
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Secretary of the Tribal Council