

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

WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribe's Geographic Information Systems (GIS) Coordinator is currently developing community maps of the Reservation, a system for this mapping, 911 addresses and numerous other projects involving the specific geography of the Reservation; and

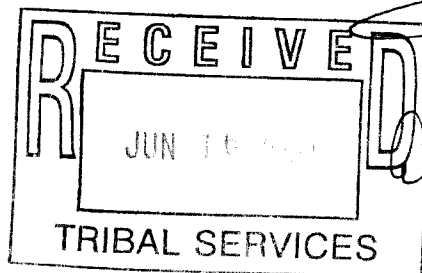
WHEREAS, the Tribal Geographic Systems Database has limited software and capability to accomplish such sophisticated projects which are essential in planning sustainably for the White Mountain Apache's growing population; and

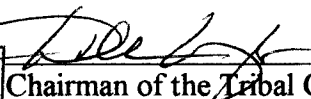
WHEREAS, the Environmental Systems Research Institute, which offers GIS training, software, classes, seminars and workshops for the purpose of further developing GIS techniques, databases and capabilities, is offering funding and technical assistance under its Conservation Program Resources in order for individuals, groups, programs and organizations to accomplish these tasks; and

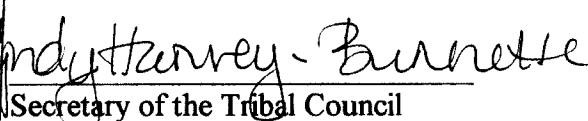
WHEREAS, the Tribal GIS Coordinator, the GIS Database and the tribe can benefit from the Conservation Program Resources Grant by the information it provides to acquire the GIS necessities for community and Reservation mapping.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby approves application to the Environmental Systems Research Institute under its Conservation Program Resources in order to further develop the capability of the Tribe's Geographic Information Systems Program and staff.

The foregoing resolution was on May 18, 2000, duly adopted by a vote of FOUR 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), (f), (h), (j), (s), (t) and (u) of the Constitution of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe on 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