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

- WHEREAS, representatives from The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, Mesa Arizona Citrus Height Stake, have come before the Tribal Council to discuss plans for conducting a Youth Conference on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation on July 26-28, 2001; and
- WHEREAS, the focus of the Youth Conference is to participate in outreach activities to benefit members of the Tribe, and more particularly children of the Tribe, and to help the youth of the LDS Church gain a greater understanding of the history and culture of the Apache people, and their way of life and the issues which they face; and
- WHEREAS, the Youth Conference will consist of a camp and outdoor recreation activities at Lower Log Camp, a carnival to be held at the Whiteriver Unified School District School Grounds, and the construction of bus shelters within the Reservation; and
- WHEREAS, the LDS officials advised that the Tribe has the appropriate facilities to host the Youth Conference; and
- WHEREAS, the Whiteriver Unified School District has consented to the use of its facilities to hold the carnival for the youth of the Tribe ages 3-12; and
- WHEREAS, there is a need for the construction of bus shelters on the Reservation to provide a place for children waiting to be picked up by school buses; and
- WHEREAS, Tribal enterprises have offered to provide building materials such as lumber and concrete to be used in the construction of the bus shelters; and
- WHEREAS, the Youth Conference group will provide the necessary tools, additional supplies, and the labor to construct the bus shelters; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council supports the proposal of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints and recommends that Council Member, Mariddie J. Craig, assist in coordinating efforts.
- **BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby approves, subject to Tribal law and customary permit conditions, the proposal of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe

recommends that Mariddie J. Craig assist in the coordinating efforts with the Tribal community which may arise to hold a Youth Conference consisting of the bus shelter construction, the carnival at the school grounds, and the camp activities at Lower Lodge Camp, all within the Fort Apache Indian Reservation.

- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that approval for the construction of bus shelters is subject to permission being obtained from the affected land holders and the Arizona Department of Transportation, as may be required.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes the Fort Apache Timber Company to provide at its expense all necessary lumber and that Public Works is authorized to provide at its expense all concrete supplies for the construction of the bus shelters on the Reservation.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Wildlife and Outdoor Recreation Department is authorized to issue permits to permit Lower Log Camp to be used subject to Tribal law as the base camp for the Youth Conference and related outdoor recreation activities.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it acknowledges and consents to work prior to the Youth Conference by representatives of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints to prepare for the camp and begin preliminary work needed for the construction of the bus shelters.

The foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a vote on February 15, 2001 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), (c), (h), (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).

ACTING Chairman of the Tribal Council