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

- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council desires to ensure that the education facilities for its children located within the Fort Apache Indian Reservation are adequate; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council is aware the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) is accepting funding requests for new school construction and rehabilitation for the 2001 fiscal year; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council believes that all of the BIA schools within the Fort Apache Indian Reservation should receive construction funding, as the facilities are inadequate in both size and quality to serve the ever growing population of school children within the Reservation; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council desires that the school boards of Theodore Roosevelt School, John F. Kennedy School, and Cibecue Community School compile and submit to the BIA applications for new school construction and rehabilitation funding for the 2001 fiscal year, provided that the funding for the Theodore Roosevelt School shall be earmarked for rehabilitation rather than new school construction and that such rehabilitation work shall be in compliance with the Tribe's Master Plan for Fort Apache and in compliance with federal and tribal historic preservation covenants, laws, and regulations.
- BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe it hereby authorizes and directs the school boards for Theodore Roosevelt School, John F. Kennedy School and Cibecue Community School to compile and submit to the Bureau of Indian Affairs applications for new school construction funding for their respective schools for the 2001, provided that the application on behalf of Theodore Roosevelt School shall be for the school rehabilitation of the existing building and such work to be done in compliance with the Tribe's Master Development Plan and tribal and federal historic preservation covenants, laws, and regulations.

The foregoing resolution was on October 22, 2001, duly adopted by a vote of SIX 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), (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 Tribal Council

Secretary of the Tribal Council