

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

**WHEREAS,** the White Mountain Apache Tribal Council has heard the concern of inadequate pay from various employees of logging contractors operating within the Fort Apache Indian Reservation, and

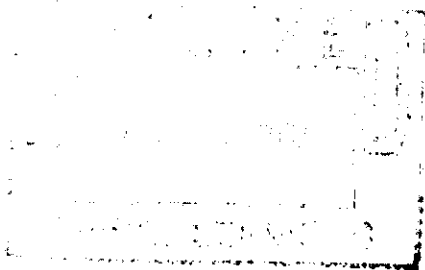
**WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council desires fair and competitive wage rates, as required in the White Mountain Apache Tribe Labor Code, for the employees of contractors it permits to operate within the Fort Apache Indian Reservation; and


**WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council, in acknowledging that the Fort Apache Timber Company contract expenses hinge in part on the labor costs of the contractor and therefore desires that the grieved loggers and cutters meet with their respective employers and the Fort Apache Timber Company management to resolve the concerns expressed this day.

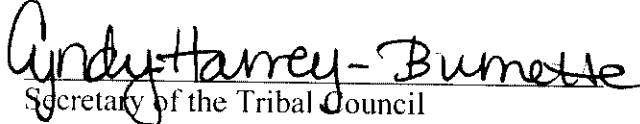
**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs the Fort Apache Timber Company and the logger/cutter employees present this day to conduct a joint meeting with the appropriate logging contractors operating within the Fort Apache Indian Reservation to evaluate the wage rates for logging employees and arrive at a fair wage amenable to all parties.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs FATCO and the loggers and cutters appearing to day to report back to the Council the result of the meeting as directed herein.

The foregoing resolution was on December 20, 2002 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), (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