

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

**WHEREAS,** pursuant to Resolution 12-99-313 the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe asserted the Tribe's sovereign right to assign names to places within the Tribe's trust lands and to identify names for places within the Tribe's ancestral lands; and

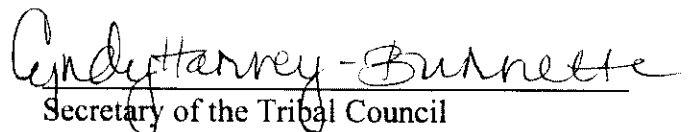
**WHEREAS,** as an element of the Western Apache Place Names Project funded by the National Park Service and administered by the Tribe's Heritage Program for the benefit of current and future generations of Arizona's Ndee, the Apache names of 21 individual rapids on the Salt River have been identified and documented (see Attachment A).

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs the transmittal of Attachment A to the appropriate representatives of the United States Board of Geographical Place Names, Tonto National Forest, and Arizona State Board on Geographic and Historic Place Names as an assertion of the most appropriate names for the Salt River Rapids.

The foregoing resolution was on June 6, 2002 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), (b), (g), (h), (i), (j), (k), (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).

ACTING

  
Chairman of the Tribal Council

  
Secretary of the Tribal Council

## Names for 21 Salt River Rapids

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| 1. Cliff Hanger Rapid       | Dzil Nteel              |
| 2. The Sleeper Rapid        | Sái Yagain              |
| 3. Corkscrew Rapid          | Tú Sidog Ednliín        |
| 4. Quartzite Rapid          | Nanolzheegi Nahitán     |
| 5. The Maze Rapid           | Túlbai Enlijj           |
| 6. Lower Corral Rapid       | Tl' ohk'aa' Dadi'án     |
| 7. Upper Corral Rapid       | Tl' ohk'aa' Chidi'án    |
| 8. Black Rock               | Igaye Ts'osé Be'isti    |
| 9. Eye of the Needle Rapid  | Hoshgai Yahíts'os       |
| 10. Granite Rapid           | Tú zhj' Diz'aah         |
| 11. White Rock Rapid        | Tabaa T'iis Sikaad      |
| 12. Rat Trap Rapid          | Tse Hale Ts'osé         |
| 13. Little boat eater rapid | Tú Dotúl'izh té Silaa   |
| 14. Ledges Rapid            | Tse Ke'izhchin          |
| 15. Three-way Rapid         | Itsá Bigowa             |
| 16. Exhibition Rapid        | Tú Ndo'                 |
| 17. Overboard Rapid         | Dzil Tú Bidaa Lednlijj' |
| 18. Reforma Rapid           | Tú Chigozdo' Dizlijj'   |
| 19. Maytag Chute            | Túdiik'olé              |
| 20. Bump and Grind Rapid    | Dzil Chin'aa            |
| 21. Baptism Rapid           | Na' ditin               |