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

- WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribe is coordinating resources available to it for response to the devastating consequences of the Rodeo-Chedeski fire and;
- WHEREAS, the Tribal representatives have been in consultation with representatives from the Federal Emergency Management Administration (FEMA) and have developed a draft agreement to coordinate services between the Federal government through FEMA and the Tribe and;
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has reviewed the draft agreement; and
- **WHEREAS**, the Tribal Council has advised that Collette Altaha has been designated as the primary liaison between the Tribe and FEMA.
- **BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes Tribal Chairman to execute the FEMA Tribal agreement to coordinate services between FEMA and the Tribe in response to the Rodeo-Chedeski fire.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby designates Collette Altaha to serve as the FEMA Coordinator for the Tribe to serve as the primary liaison between the tribe and FEMA for the work to be carried out under the FEMA Tribal agreement.

The foregoing resolution was on <u>JULY 11, 2002</u> duly adopted by a vote of <u>TEN</u> for and <u>ZERO</u> against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (b), (j) (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 Counci