

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

WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribal Council has received a briefing from the Tribal Housing Authority staff that it is overburdened by duties it performs in preparing burial sites for recently deceased Tribal Members and desires such duties to transfer back to the Community Service Department; and

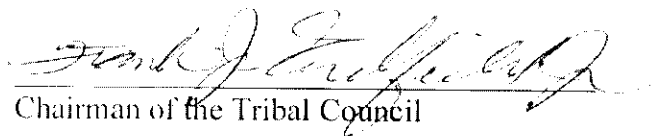
WHEREAS, the Tribal Council recognizes that the preparation of burial sites, often called Jackson Duty, has routinely been the responsibility of the Community Services Department; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council finds that the monetary resources of the Tribal Housing Authority are better spent addressing the housing needs within the Fort Apache Reservation rather than performing Jackson Duty.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs the Community Services Department to reassume all duties and obligations required for burial site preparation within the communities of the Fort Apache Reservation.

The foregoing resolution was on October 24, 2002 duly adopted by a vote of FOUR for and ZERO against and ONE abstention 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).

ACTING


Chairman of the Tribal Council


Secretary of the Tribal Council