

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

WHEREAS, the Office of Indian Affairs does not have sufficient gratuity funds to provide for both forest fire pre-suppression and suppression costs on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation, and

WHEREAS, the Forestry and Grazing Division of the Bureau of Indian Affairs has proposed that sufficient gratuity funds be allotted to the Fort Apache Reservation to pay for the employment of authorized lookouts and fireguards and to meet 50 per cent of fire suppression costs; and has further proposed that tribal funds be allotted to pay for the balance of fire suppression costs,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the above proposal is acceptable to the White Mountain Apache Tribe, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that tribal funds in the amount of \$25,000.00 be set aside for the purpose of paying for 50% of fire suppression costs during the fiscal year 1949; provided, that should there be a balance in this fund as of June 30, 1949, the said balance can be used for the purpose of paying fire suppression costs during the fiscal year 1950.

The foregoing resolution was on May 26, 1949 duly adopted by a vote of 7 for and 0 against, by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe pursuant to authority vested in it by Article VI, Section 1(e) of the Constitution and By-Laws of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe on August 15, 1950 pursuant to Section 18 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

Lester Oliver

Chairman of the Tribal Council

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Acting Secretary of the Tribal Council

Recommended by:

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