

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

WHEREAS, the Law and Order Code of the White Mountain Apache Tribe provides for the process of jury selection in Tribal Court, and

WHEREAS, Section 18.6 therein requires the Tribal Council to prepare a list of all adult members of the White Mountain Apache Tribe who shall be eligible to serve as jurors.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the following criteria for jury duty in the Tribal Council be and are hereby established:

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Every person shall be eligible for jury service who has been a resident of the Fort Apache Indian Reservation for at least one (1) year prior to being summoned as a juror, who is over eighteen (18) years of age, and who is of good moral character; PROVIDED that no person holding the position of Tribal Judge, Tribal Police or a member of the Tribal Council shall be eligible.

EXEMPTIONS:

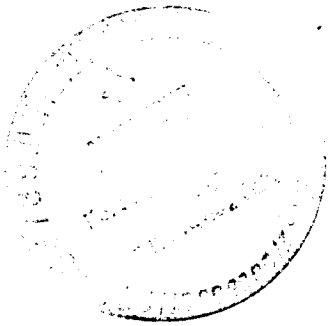
The following persons shall be exempt from jury service when they claim an exemption:

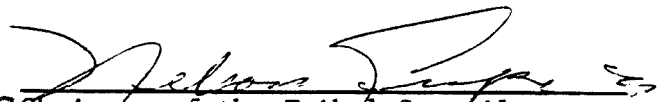
1. Any person whose absence from his regular place of employment, in the judgment of the Court, tend naturally and adversely, to affect the public safety, health, welfare or interest of the Tribe.
2. Any person upon who service as a juror would, in the judgment of the Court, impose an undue hardship on such person, for such reasons as: inability to understand either the English or the Apache language in a case where such language will be predominantly used, physical disability to attend court; or any other reason which the Court finds is sufficient to exempt such person from jury duty.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Tribal Secretary shall be responsible for the compilation of a list of names of such persons as are eligible for jury duty and shall submit same to the Clerk of the Tribal Court. The Tribal Secretary shall thereafter update the jury list annually during the month of January.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that each person summoned to serve as a juror shall be compensated at the rate of \$12.00 per day and \$0.08 per mile for use of personal vehicle.

The foregoing resolution was on November 6, 1975 duly adopted by a vote of 8 for and 0 against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article V, Section 1 (i) of the Amended Constitution and By-Laws of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe June 27, 1958 and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on May 29, 1958, 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