

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

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe has reviewed Article V, Powers of the Council, of the Amended Constitution and By-Laws of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council finds that Section (1) (q) therein particularly requires immediate review and amendment for clarity of the powers therein specified; and


WHEREAS, the Secretary of the Interior has the authority and power to call an election for the purpose of amending the Tribe's constitution.

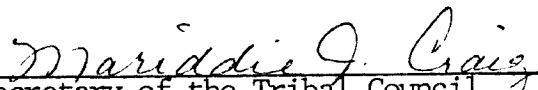
BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe hereby requests that the Secretary of Interior, Department of Interior call an election for the purpose of amending the Tribe's constitution.

BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe hereby requests that the Secretary of Interior, Department of Interior call an election for the purpose of amending Article V Section (1) (q) of the Tribe's Constitution as follows:

- (q) To enact ordinances and regulations establishing and governing the Tribal Judicial System and Law Enforcement Agencies on the Reservation; and to enact laws, both civil and criminal, including, but not limited to laws governing law and order within the jurisdiction of the Tribe; regulating domestic relations of tribal members; providing for appointment of guardians for minors and mental incompetents; regulating the inheritance of property within the jurisdiction of the Tribe; and providing for the removal or exclusion from the reservation of any non-member of the Tribe, in the interests of the health, safety or welfare of the people on the reservation.

The foregoing resolution was on January 5, 1977, duly adopted by a vote of 9 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).


Chairman of the Tribal Council


Secretary of the Tribal Council