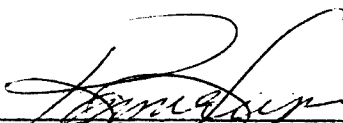


RESOLUTION OF THE
WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE OF THE
FORT APACHE INDIAN RESERVATION

- WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribal Council has repeatedly acknowledged a critical need for health care resource development, coordination, and planning (Resolution Nos. 74-179, 77-36, 77-45, 77-64, 77-208), and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Health Authority Indian Health Service contract stipulates that a comprehensive Tribal Health Plan will be completed and submitted to meet the terms of the contractual agreement, and
- WHEREAS, under the provisions of P.L. 94-437 (the Indian Health Care Improvement Act), the White Mountain Apache Tribe must complete a comprehensive Tribal Health Plan in order that tribal-specific health needs will be assured of future funding under this and other legislation, and
- WHEREAS, under the provisions of P.L. 93-641 (the National Health Planning and Resources Development Act), the White Mountain Apache Tribe must participate with various Health Systems Agencies to complete a comprehensive Tribal Health Plan to be used in ascertaining access to future Federal funding, and
- WHEREAS, because of all of the above, the White Mountain Apache Tribal Health Authority contracted in June of 1977 with Health Systems Associates of Phoenix for assistance in accomplishing this task, and with the cooperation of Tribal health program and other staff, a comprehensive Tribal Health Plan preliminary draft was completed in October of 1977, extensively revised, and printed on November 28, 1977, and
- WHEREAS, this revised draft of the Tribal Health Plan document has been approved by the Tribal Health Advisory Board (December 1, 1977), by the Tribal Health, Education and Welfare Committee (December 2, 1977), and by the Whiteriver Indian Health Service Unit (December 13, 1977).
- BE IT RESOLVED that the White Mountain Apache Tribal Council approve and endorse the preliminary draft of the Tribal Health Plan document as the official Tribal Health Plan of the White Mountain Apache Tribe.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this document be reviewed and revised, as necessary, by the Tribal health program staff, the Tribal Health Advisory Board, and the Tribal Health, Education and Welfare Committee, at least quarterly, and that these revisions be made a permanent part of the Tribal Health Plan work and implementation plan.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this document be reviewed and approved annually by the White Mountain Apache Tribal Council.

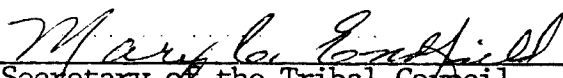
The foregoing resolution was on January 4, 1978 duly adopted by a vote of 7 for and 0 against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article V, Section 1 (i) of the Amended Constitution and By-Laws of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe June 27, 1958 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).


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