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

- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe has been requested by Mr. Jimmy Hastings that it endorse the formation of the "Apache National Rodeo Cowboy Association"; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council finds that the re-organization of the "Apache National Rodeo Cowboy Association" would be in the best interest of the White Mountain Apache Tribe and would enhance the opportunity for national competition by White Mountain Apache Tribe tribal members; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council finds that the formation of the "Apache National Rodeo Cowboy Association" on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation is necessary for the recognition and opportunity to compete for tribal members;
- BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby recognizes and endorses the creation and organization of the APACHE NATIONAL RODEO COWBOY ASSOCIATION on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation;
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Tribal Council hereby approves the Awards Night to be held December 31, 1981, at the Memorial Hall and to be sponsored by the APACHE NATIONAL RODEO COWBOY ASSOCIATION;

The foregoing resolution was on <u>February 4, 1981</u>, duly adopted by a vote of <u>nine for and zero against</u> 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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Chairman of the