

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

WHEREAS, tribal member Paul Declay, Sr. advises the Tribal Council that he made application to the Land Board in 1978 for a homesite assignment in the North Fork Area which was agreed to by the Livestock Association; and

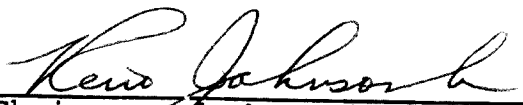
WHEREAS, Mr. Declay further advises that said application was approved by the Tribal Council and Land Board in 1979 and his family has continuously occupied said land since Tribal Council approval; and

WHEREAS, he also advises the Council that he has recently received a letter from the Tribal Land Board denying his application contrary to prior Land Board and Tribal Council approval; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council after some discussion concludes that the Council approval granted in 1979 to Mr. Declay remains valid and that the Council should reconfirm the homesite assignment to clarify any confusion resulting from the notice that Mr. Declay recently received from the Land Board.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby reaffirms the homesite land assignment granted to Mr. Paul Declay, Sr., in 1979 and to the extent necessary hereby overrules the recent denial issued by the Land Board in respect to this homesite.

The foregoing resolution was on June 11, 1986, duly adopted by a vote of 10 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 Bylaws 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