

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

WHEREAS, Councilmember Herbert Tate has advised the Tribal Council that there exists a potential safety hazard at FATCO arising out of the fact that some employees of FATCO engage in the practice of consuming alcoholic beverages during their lunch breaks, and are otherwise engaging in unsafe and potentially hazardous activities during working hours; and

WHEREAS, it has been suggested that there may be a need to promulgate safety standards directed specifically at these practices and aimed at alleviating or eliminating these practices in the interest of protecting the lives, health, and safety of the employees at FATCO; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council is of the opinion that it is in the best interest of the tribe and its members that FATCO's existing safety manual be evaluated and if necessary, new guidelines be promulgated which address the safety problems created by FATCO employees who consume alcoholic beverages during their lunch breaks, as well as those who knowingly or unknowingly engage in potentially hazardous activities.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that FATCO management is hereby directed to evaluate its safety manual and to promulgate, if necessary, more stringent safety regulations in the interest of protecting the lives, safety, and health of tribal members employed at FATCO, and in eliminating the practice of certain FATCO employees of engaging in the consumption of alcoholic beverages during their lunch breaks, and in eliminating other activities which contribute to potential safety hazards at FATCO.

The foregoing resolution was on August 7, 1987, duly adopted by a vote of ELEVEN for and ZERO 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).

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