

Resolution No. 09-87-299

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

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has previously been advised by the Tribal Prosecutor that the Tribe had been awarded a grant pursuant to the Justice Assistance Act of 1984, Block Grant Program which is administered by the Arizona Department of Public Safety; and

WHEREAS, the grant award to the Tribe is in the amount of \$16,000 to fund a Victim-witness Program that enables citizens and police to undertake initiatives to prevent and control neighborhood crime; and

WHEREAS, by previous resolutions, numbers 86-86 and 86-120, the Tribal Council approved receipt of said monies with the understanding that said funds would be utilized in the Victim-Witness Program, as established by the grant.

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council is advised by the Tribal Prosecutor that pursuant to discussions with the Department of Public Safety, said funds cannot be used to supplant existing tribal expenditures, but must be used to enhance the Tribal Court program; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council recognizing the need for a Victim-Witness Program, concludes that it would be in the best interest of the people of the White Mountain Apache Tribe and for the administration of justice on the reservation that the Tribe accept the grant so as to continue the program established by the granted funding.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby accepts and approves the Justice Assistance Act of 1984, Block Grant Award from the Arizona Department of Public Safety in the amount of \$16,000 according to the Contract No. 87-319.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council that said funds shall be utilized to continue the position created by the initial grant and that the Tribal Chairman, and in his absence, the Vice-Chairman, as well as any other necessary Tribal Officer is hereby authorized to sign any and all necessary contracts in order to carry out the purpose of this resolution.

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The foregoing resolution was on September 17, 1987, duly adopted by a vote of ten 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 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

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