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

- WHEREAS, Tribal Council Resolution No. 04-87-135 prohibits the spending of funds by the Tribe for tribal programs without a fully executed contract; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has been advised that the following Tribal Programs under contract with the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Indian Health Services and the State of Arizona will expire on September 30, 1988: Social Services (all components), Law Enforcement, Judicial Services, Employment Assistance, Adult Education, Higher Education, JOM, Forest Thinning, H.I.P., Health Authority, C.H.R., E.M.S., Health Education, Rainbow Center, and Food Distribution; and
- WHEREAS, the contract proposals for all of the above referenced programs have been reviewed and signed by the Tribal Chairman, and submitted to the appropriate agencies pursuant to the prescribed time limits and guidelines; and
- WHEREAS, pending agency review and final funding approval of said contracts for FY 88/89 it is necessary that the Tribal Council authorize by resolution a continuation of the operations of these much needed programs based on anticipated recontracting and pursuant to the Programs respective 1987/88 annual budgets prorated at 1/12 for 60 days or until the contracts are individually approved.
- BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes all existing Tribal Programs referenced above and currently being operated under P.L. 93-638 contracts through the BIA and IHS and under programs administered by the State of Arizona to continue operations pursuant to the Programs respective 1987/88 budgets for a period of 60 days starting October 1 or until the programs' approved contract is received.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council that no program shall order or purchase any capital items during this period. Moreover, there is hereby imposed a freeze on all travel, except for essential business purposes, and on any raises for employees until approved contracts are received. Any exceptions shall be requested in writing and approved by the Tribal Chairman.

The foregoing resolution was on October 4, 1988, duly adopted by a vote of SEVEN 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(a&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

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