

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

WHEREAS, the Cattle Associations organized, owned and operated by individual tribal members are an important part of the cattle industry of the White Mountain Apache Tribe and contribute to the local economy and livelihood of many individual tribal members; and

WHEREAS, the Cattle Associations have reported to the Tribal Council that the severe drought conditions which have existed on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation for the past three (3) years have adversely impacted the herds and operations of the cattle associations and have resulted in a condition where the cattle are unable to find sufficient feed and water on the open ranges of the Fort Apache Indian Reservation and the Cattle Associations have found it necessary to supplement their feeding operations with grains and other cattle feed purchased from off the reservation; and

WHEREAS, the Cattle Associations have advised the Tribal Council that there are programs available through the Bureau of Indian Affairs and the United States Department of Agriculture for emergency feed supplies to be utilized during times of drought emergency; and

WHEREAS, the Cattle Associations have requested the assistance of the Tribe in applying to these emergency feeding programs; and

WHEREAS, Tribal Council is of the opinion that every possible assistance should be rendered to the Cattle Associations and that the Tribal Planners Office of the White Mountain Apache Tribe should immediately act to assist the Cattle Associations in filing applications for emergency feed assistance with the Bureau of Indian Affairs and the United States Department of Agriculture.

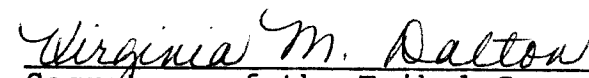
THEREFORE BE IT RESOVLED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs the Tribal Planners Office to immediately take every possible action to assist the Cattle Associations in filing applications with the Bureau of Indian Affairs and the United States Department of Agriculture for participation by the Cattle Associations in the emergency cattle feeding programs.

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BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Tribal Chairman is authorized to do everything necessary to assist the Cattle Associations in alleviating the drought induced problems recited herein and to do all things necessary to carry out the intent and purposes of this resolution.

The foregoing resolution was on March 29, 1990, 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 (s) 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

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Secretary of the Tribal Council

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