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

- WHEREAS, in 1983, the Bureau of Indian Affairs transferred the sewer and water system serving the BIA/IHS Compound on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation (hereinafter System) to the White Mountain Apache Tribe; and
- WHEREAS, the System was outdated and troublesome at the time it was transferred from the BIA to the Tribe; and
- WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribe was not made aware of the existing and potential problems with the System at the time of the transfer; and
- WHEREAS, there have been continual problems with the System and the problems with the System have become unmanageable unless significant expenditures are made to rectify the defects; and
- WHEREAS, the transfer by the BIA to the Tribe of a defective and troublesome System in need of expensive repairs was entirely inappropriate and created an unnecessary and unmanageable burden on the Tribe.
- BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby reconveys and transfers the System back to the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

The foregoing resolution was on February 13, 1992, duly adopted by a vote of eight 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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