

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

**WHEREAS**, Kinishba Ruin has been designated as a National Historic Landmark by the National Park Service; and

**WHEREAS**, Kinishba has been listed on the annual report to Congress for each of the past two years as a Priority 1 Threatened or Endangered National Landmark; and

**WHEREAS**, the White Mountain Apache as custodians for this pueblo ruin as it is in a highly visible location on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation of the White Mountain Apache Tribe desires to protect this resource ; and

**WHEREAS**, the expertise for evaluating the present condition from a stabilization and\or restoration point of view does not reside within the staff capability of the Tribe or the BIA Agency staff; and

**WHEREAS**, the need for a Master Plan for Preservation for Kinishba is acute due to the present unsafe conditions and the high probability of additional degradation from nature and from domestic and wild animals; and

**WHEREAS**, the inclusion of Kinishba as a tourist attraction as detailed in the Fort Apache Master Plan makes the preservation a high priority for the Tribe; and

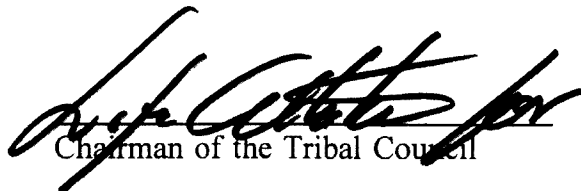
**WHEREAS**, the Arizona Department of Parks, State Historic Preservation Office, has announced the availability of grants for historic preservation purposes; and

**WHEREAS**, the work plan for the study required at Kinishba is estimated to be \$45,064; and

**WHEREAS**, the Tribe is required to provide 50% of the project cost in kind or in cash.

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that a grant application be prepared for SHPO funding for the development of a Master Plan for Stabilization and\or Restoration of the Kinishba site and that the required match be provided.

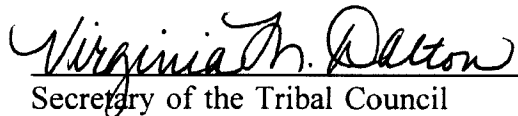
The foregoing resolution was on June 1, 1994 duly adopted by a vote of 10 for and 0 against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by the White Mountain Apache Tribe Constitution, including Article IV, Section 1 (a),(g),(h),(i),(j),(k),(t) & (u) of the Constitution of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe September 30, 1993, and approved by the Secretary of Interior on November 12, 1993, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

  
Chairman of the Tribal Council

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