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

- WHEREAS, Tribal Health Authority's Patient Transportation Program began providing transportation services since June 1993; and
- WHEREAS, the Patient Transportation Program does not operate from a fixed budget, but operates from funds obtained by billing AHCCS for services rendered; and
- WHEREAS, due to the uncertainty of the budget, the drivers salary was initially established at five (5) dollars per hour; and
- WHEREAS, this salary is low compared to other companies providing the same service; and
- WHEREAS, based on projected earnings as well as earnings accrued from June, 1993 the Patient Transportation Program is financially stable and request approval to adjust the salary for the drivers.
- **BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Patient Transportation Driver hourly rate be increased to six (6) dollars per hours effective the date of this resolution.

The foregoing resolution was on <u>August 04</u>, 1994, duly adopted by a vote of <u>eight</u> for and <u>zero</u> against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (i), (t) and (u) of the Constitution of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe September 30, 1993, and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on November 12, 1993, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

Chairman of the Tribal Council

Secretary of the Tribal Council