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

- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has appointed Odette Fuller as Fort Apache Historic District Coordinator with responsibilities that include the oversight of the restoration of General Crooks' cabin and the development of additional Fort Apache attractions and services; and
- WHEREAS, Ms. Fuller has distributed to the Tribal Council a map of the Fort Apache Historic Park and Kinishba ruins area indicating what land she is requesting that the Tribal Council set aside for the Fort Apache Historic Park and for the Kinishba ruins historical site; and
- WHEREAS, she further explains to the Tribal Council that the tribe has endorsed expenditures of up to \$22,500 in matching funds for use in the preparation of a plan to effect the long term preservation of Kinishba Ruins National Historic Landmark (Kinishba); and
- WHEREAS, Kinishba attracts an estimated 1,000 to 1,500 carloads of visitors each year; and
- WHEREAS, Kinishba promises to play an important role as a satellite attraction for visitors to the Fort Apache Historic Park; and
- WHEREAS, tourist visitation is expected to increase as a consequence of studies and activities designed to preserve and interpret Kinishba for the enjoyment and use of future generations; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council, after some discussion, concludes that Raymus Albert, of the Tribal Land Department, should be directed to survey the Kinishba ruins and the Fort Apache Historic Park areas to determine a legal description of the areas recommended by Ms. Fuller to be set aside for the preservation of those two historical sites; and
- WHEREAS, Odette Fuller is directed to meet with Raymus Albert for that purpose.
- BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs Raymus Albert of the Tribal Land Department to meet with Ms. Odette Fuller, Fort Apache Historic District Coordinator, and conduct a survey of the Fort Apache Historic Park and Kinishba ruins areas to determine the legal description of lands surrounding these two historical sites that Ms. Fuller recommends be set aside for the sites.

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The foregoing resolution was on <u>September 8. 1994</u> duly adopted by a vote of <u>nine</u> for and <u>zero</u> 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), (f), (g), (h), (i), (j), (k), (m), (s), (t) and (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

Secretary of the Tribal Council