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

- WHEREAS, Utah, Colorado, Arizona, New Mexico-Rural Systemic Initiative (UCAN-RSI) is a four state alliance of six coalitions including BIA, contract, grant schools, private and public schools serving reservations in the four state area; and
- WHEREAS, the Arizona Tribal Coalition of the UCAN-RSI focuses on science, mathematics, and technology for the tribes of the Inter-tribal Council of Arizona; and
- WHEREAS, the UCAN-RSI coalitions have developed a common vision of academic excellence in mathematics, science, and technology for all students; and
- WHEREAS, the UCAN-RSI coalitions are committed to identifying and focusing resources on the improvement of science, mathematics and technology education; and
- WHEREAS, UCAN-RSI Communities willpromote capacity building opportunities through education by integrating spirituality, science, mathematics, and technology within the context of the many unique cultural traditions of American Indian, Hispanic, and other rural communities, thereby, empowering students to become makers of their own destiny.
- BEIT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby supports the UCAN-RSI in its efforts to improve science, mathematics, and technology education for all White Mountain Apache students.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby establishes a formal relationship amongst the Tribe, the UCAN-RSI and the Arizona Tribal Coalition.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it supports its Department of Education, the UCAN-RSI and the Arizona Tribal Coalition's efforts to establish and implement a common vision of academic excellence and success for White Mountain Apache students through community capacity building opportunities.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby focus' its resources and those of UCAN-RSI on identified community needs.

The foregoing resolution was on February 02, 1995, duly adopted by a vote of nine for and zero against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (i) 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-

FORT APACHE INDIAN AGENCY WHITERIVER, ARIZONA

Secretary of the Tribal Council