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

- WHEREAS, Tribal Member Billy Kane has come before the Tribal Council this date and has introduced to the Council, Dr. Jonathan Krakroff, who seeks permission from the Tribal Council to publish an article on Ketoacidoses which is a build up of acids in the blood stream and is a diabetes related condition; and
- WHEREAS, misinformation has been circulated that Native Americans who are diabetic become inflicted with the ketoacidoses condition because of prior alcohol drinking habits; and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Krakroff explains to the Council that the foregoing is not accurate and that Native Americans are getting the ketoacidoses condition from diabetes and that the treatments are very different; and
- WHEREAS, Dr. Krakroff further explains to the Council that if medical providers do not know about this condition, Tribal Members and other Native Americans may not receive correct treatment; and
- WHEREAS, the condition has been found to exist on the Mescalero Apache Reservation also, as well as within the White Mountain Apache Tribe; and
- WHEREAS, in order to advise medical practitioners and providers about this condition and its symptoms, Dr. Krakroff is seeking Council permission to write an article with another doctor from the Mescalero Reservation so that other doctors who treat diabetics will be informed about this condition, and further, that the article may lead other doctors at other Apache-Navajo Reservations to look for the same problem and treat it correctly and publication may lead to a greater understanding about diabetes in general among Apaches so that better and more effective treatment can be found; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council, after discussion with Dr. Krakroff, concludes that authorization should be granted to him to publish the article on the condition that the article be submitted to a reputable medical journal and, if accepted, may be published, but that Dr. Krakroff not receive any commercial royalties for publication of the article.

- BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby grants authorization to Dr. Jonathan Krakroff to submit an article on Ketoacidoses in Apaches to a reputable medical journal and that if the article is accepted, that authorization is granted to allow said article to be published in said journal, on the condition that Dr. Krakroff and other authors of the article not be paid royalties for said publication.
- **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council that another condition for the publication of the article is that the names of White Mountain Apaches, who may be the subject matter of the article, shall not be disclosed in the article or be made public in any way.

The foregoing resolution was on November 8, 1995 duly adopted by a vote of seven for and one against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (i), (q), (s), (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