

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

WHEREAS, The Tribal Council has received reports that four (4) houses in the area known as "Ready To Go" adjacent to the Whiteriver Cemetery are being used for parties and other related drinking activities; and

WHEREAS, Physical inspection of the houses reveals that windows are broken, trash has accumulated and there is widespread evidence of drinking activities; and

WHEREAS, The housing units are no longer occupied as dwelling units and the persons for whom the units were constructed are believed to be deceased and the present uses of the housing units represent a misappropriation of property and trespass; and

WHEREAS, It is in the best interest of the White Mountain Apache Tribe to declare the housing units unfit for human habitation and ready for demolition in order to protect the surrounding occupied housing area; and

WHEREAS, If such declaration is made, the Tribe may order the properties demolished to remove a potential health threat and hazard to the community; and

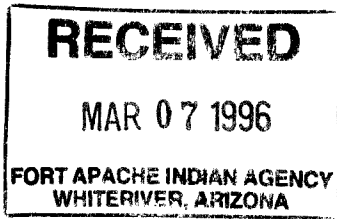
WHEREAS, The Tribal Council concludes that the four (4) houses must first be inspected by the Tribal Safety Director to determine who owns the house, if anyone, and then to issue a report that if the house is unclaimed and unsafe to issue an order of condemnation and demolition without further Tribal Council action.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs the Tribal Safety Director to inspect the four (4) housing units in the Ready To Go area, to determine their ownership, if any, and if unclaimed and unsafe to issue an order of condemnation and demolition without further Tribal Council action.

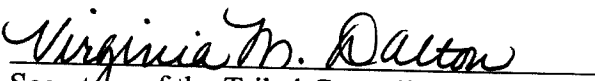
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council that in the event the Public Safety Director has made the above determinations, the Public Works Department is hereby instructed to demolish said structures and remove the debris without further Tribal Council action.

Resolution No. 02-96-029

The Foregoing resolution was on February 14, 1996, duly adopted by a vote of ten 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 (a), (h), (i), (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 Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).




Chairman of the Tribal Council


Secretary of the Tribal Council