

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

- WHEREAS,** the preservation and protection of the cultural resources of the White Mountain Apache Tribe is recognized as an important Tribal activity by the Tribal Council; and
- WHEREAS,** the Native American Graves Protection Repatriation Act (NAGPRA) provides the Tribe an opportunity to have cultural items of spiritual significance returned to the Tribe; and
- WHEREAS,** the Cultural Advisory Committee has been established by the Tribal Council to assist the Tribe in this important activity; and
- WHEREAS,** the cultural protection activities generated by NAGPRA will be increasing and will require the Tribal Council to make important decisions regarding the return of sacred articles; and
- WHEREAS,** it would be advantageous to have a Tribal Council member on the Cultural Advisory Committee in order to facilitate such decisions; and
- WHEREAS,** Tribal Council member Guy Massey, Jr. has demonstrated his interest in the protection of cultural resources by attending a number of meetings on these issues.


BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby appoints Guy Massey, Jr. as a Tribal Council representative to the Cultural Advisory Committee.

Resolution No. 03-96-061

The foregoing resolution was on March 13, 1996, duly adopted by a vote of eight for and zero against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by the White Mountain Apache Tribal Constitution, including Article IV, Sections 1 (a), (f), (g), (h), (l), (s), (t) and (u) of the Constitution of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe on 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).

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Chairman of the Tribal Council


Secretary of the Tribal Council