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

WHEREAS.

the White Mountain Apache Tribe is in the process of developing an interactive data base to serve the needs of all tribal agencies providing services to low income tribal families and children; and

WHEREAS.

the Tribe's Healthy Nations program call for development of a interactive system whereby children who are the victims of abuse can be identified and treatment provided; and

WHEREAS.

the Department of Justice has announced an opportunity for tribes to apply for funding to create a multi-disciplinary team based on a given facility to handle child abuse cases which is attached to this resolution and incorporated by reference herein; and

WHEREAS.

the Tribe has in place such a team and the new juvenile detention facility will provide the needed space and facilities for the program.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the planning department is hereby authorized and directed to submit a grant application of the Child Advocacy Center and that the existing tribal resources be focused and used as a match for the proposal.

The foregoing resolution was on November 04, 1996, duly adopted by a vote of seven 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), (i), (j) and (k) 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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Secretary of the Tribal Council

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