

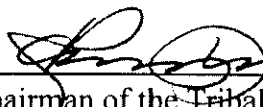
**RESOLUTION OF THE
WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE OF THE
FORT APACHE INDIAN RESERVATION**

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council is advised that the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Fort Apache Agency, may contract for vehicle maintenance off-Reservation, which could impact on the tribal economy and employment; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council determines that it would be in the best interest of tribal employment opportunities if the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Fort Apache Agency, retain vehicle maintenance contracts within the Fort Apache Indian Reservation rather than off-Reservation.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby requests that Fort Apache Agency Superintendent, Ben Nuvamsa, retain vehicle maintenance contracts for BIA fleet vehicles within the Reservation, for the enhancement of business and employment opportunities for tribal members and residents.

The foregoing resolution was on April 9, 1997 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 the White Mountain Apache Tribe Constitution, including Article IV, Section 1 (a), (c), (i), (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 the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).



Chairman of the Tribal Council



Secretary of the Tribal Council