

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

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council is concerned about the number of unsolved homicides on the Reservation dating back to the 1980's and the emotional impact upon the victims' survivors; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council is committed to assisting the BIA, FBI and Tribal Police Investigators to solve these unsolved homicides; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council concludes that posting a \$10,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of persons responsible for the homicides may be helpful in bringing the wrongdoers to justice; and

WHEREAS, the names of the homicide are respectfully listed as follows:

- 1) Jimmy Altaha
- 2) Priscilla Colelay
- 3) Alexander Browning
- 4) Sebrina Josay
- 5) Darryll Starr
- 6) Elmer Rustin

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby appropriates \$10,000 in tribal funds to be paid to anyone who can provide information that leads to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the deaths of : Jimmy Altaha, Priscilla Colelay, Alexander Browning, Sebrina Josay, Darryll Starr, and Elmer Rustin.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council that persons with such information should contact the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Criminal Investigation Department, c/o Robert Sombero, telephone number 520-338-5373.

Resolution No. 05-97-108

The foregoing resolution was on May 14, 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 Article IV, Section 1 (a), (i), (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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LEGAL DEPARTMENT
PROSECUTION UNIT
WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

Cheryl Martin
Tribal Prosecutor

CONFIDENTIAL MEMORANDUM

March 27, 1996

TO: Robert Brauchli
Tribal Attorney

FROM: Cheryl Martin *CM*
Tribal Prosecutor

RE: Unsolved Homicides

After talking to BIA and Tribal Investigators the following is a list of the unsolved homicides that are remembered:

- 1) Jimmy Altaha
- 2) Priscilla Colelay
- 3) Alexander Browning ('96)
- 4) Sebrina Josay ('93)
- 5) Darryll Starr ('85)
- 6) Elmer Rustin ('80's)