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

- WHEREAS, the main lobby of the Executive Office Building lacks any decorations and is a very sterile environment to serve as the main gathering point for visitors to the building; and
- WHEREAS, as the seat of Tribal Government for the White Mountain Apache Tribe, the Executive Office Building main lobby should provide an atmosphere that is reflective of the Apache culture and inspire respect for the Tribe; and
- WHEREAS, Chairman Lupe has been negotiating with Johnnie Cooley, a tribal member and accomplished artist, for the execution of a mural depicting tribal culture, traditions and history; and
- WHEREAS, Johnnie Cooley has agreed to produce drawings for approval and subsequently to paint a mural measuring approximately 93' long by 9' high based on those drawings for a total cost of \$15,000; and
- WHEREAS, there are no funds remaining in the Executive Office Building account for the mural.
- **BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council that it hereby authorizes the expenditure of \$15,000 for the design and painting of a mural depicting White Mountain Apache culture, traditions and history in the main lobby of the Executive Office Building.
- **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council that Chairman Ronnie Lupe is authorized to enter into a professional services agreement with Johnnie Cooley for the design and execution of the mural for the price authorized.

The foregoing resolution was on August 22, 1997, 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), (b), (g), (k), (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).

Chairman of the Tribal Council

Secretary of the Tribal Council