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

- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council wishes to obtain an accurate picture of the Tribe's complete financial health through a comprehensive Tribal audit; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribe operates a broad array of enterprises, programs, departments, and governmental agencies, as well as central Tribal offices and operations; and
- **WHEREAS**, the Tribe's 638 programs should be eligible for an audit by BIA and IHS auditors and accountants; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council intends to carry out selected special audits as needed, in conjunction with the Tribe's general yearly audit; and
- **WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council would like assistance from the BIA in completing such additional audits in addition to the 638 programs; and
- **WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council is willing to explore with the BIA any options that might be available for assisting the Tribe in its audit needs.
- **BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes the Tribal Chairman to conduct special audits as needed for Tribal departments and enterprises in conjunction with the Tribe's general yearly audit procedures, and that the Chairman may seek assistance from the BIA and the IHS for any such audits of 638 programs.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it requests any assistance which the BIA may offer to the Tribe for auditing the Tribe's departments, enterprises and programs, in addition to the 638 programs, including but not limited to any assistance which may be available through the Office of the Inspector General.

The foregoing resolution was on May 15, 1998 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), (b), (h), (i), (j), (k), (t), and (u) of the Constitution of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe 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

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Secretary of the Tribal Council