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

- WHEREAS, the Tribal Land Restoration Code states that a portion of the Permanent Land Restoration Fund be set aside for Scholarships and Internships for upper-level Tribal Member College Students pursuing a degree in Natural Resources or a related field; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Land Restoration Board met on Friday, January 7, 2000, to review seven scholarship applications; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Land Restoration Board selected the following students for scholarship awards for the Spring semester of 2000: Doreen Gatewood (University of Arizona, Master's Program in Renewable Natural Resources), Colbert Burnette, (Northern Arizona University, Civil Engineering Program), Sisto Hernandez, (University of Arizona, Animal Science), Brando Pusher, (Northern Arizona University, Civil Engineering), Ann-Denise Taylor, (Arizona State University, Master's Program in Environmental Planning), Arnold Pailzote (University of Arizona, Rangeland Science and Management), and Jonathan Cody (Stanford University, Master's Program in Water Resources Engineering); and
- WHEREAS, scholarship selections were based on completeness of application by the deadline, merit, and priority was given to those students who possess a demonstrated commitment to caring for the Tribe's land and culture.
- BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby approves the Tribal Land Restoration Board's selection of the above scholarship recipients from the Land Restoration Fund for the Spring semester of 2000.

The foregoing resolution was on <u>January 14, 2000</u> duly adopted by a vote of <u>SEVEN</u> for and <u>ZERO</u> against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (b), (f), (g), (h), (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).

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