

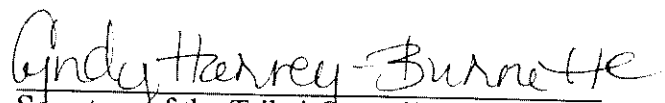
**RESOLUTION OF THE
WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE OF THE
FORT APACHE INDIAN RESERVATION**

- WHEREAS**, after the tenure of one of the most successful cattlemen in the Southwest, the late Wallace Altaha, Sr., aka R-14, who was a full-blooded White Mountain Apache; the Cedar Creek Livestock Association has been in the cattle business for over half of a century and is officially recognized by the White Mountain Apache Tribal Council and the U.S. Government; and
- WHEREAS**, the White Mountain Apache Tribal Council authorized the establishment of the Cedar Creek Livestock to pursue success in cattle business, and allocated acres of pasture lands corresponding to authorized carrying capacity of the Association; and
- WHEREAS**, the Cedar Creek Livestock Association consists of forty-five cattle owners who have brands and who are seriously involved to attain economic success; and
- WHEREAS**, the President of the Cedar Creek Livestock Association has advised the Tribal Council that in the past, the Cedar Creek Livestock Association members were never consulted on grazing and disbursements to non-association parties, and as a result have involuntarily sacrificed large and expensive grazing pasture lands, e.g., Horseshoe pasture (Game and Fish Department); Land-Fill (55 acres of grazing land); Apache Dawn Housing (52 acre development); Amos Wash Area EB (50 acres); and these reduction of pasture lands cause harmful disruption to sound rotation plans.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs the Cedar Creek Livestock Association to meet with the White Mountain Apache Tribal Land Board and that both the Land Board and the Association shall come to a resolution mutually acceptable resolution of this issue.

The foregoing resolution was on JULY 11, 2001 duly adopted by a vote of EIGHT 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), (f), (h), and (i) 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


Secretary of the Tribal Council