



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

(Directing Utility Authority to Provide New Sewer and Water Services to the Home of Henrietta George with the Assistance of the U.S. Indian Health Service)

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article IV, Section 1(a) of the Constitution of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, *inter alia*, the Tribal Council has the authority to represent the Tribe and act in all matters that concern the welfare of the Tribe; and

WHEREAS, Henrietta George did this day present a request to the Tribal Council for assistance with the sewer and water services to her home, located 207 West Willow; and

WHEREAS, Ms. George reports that sewer water backs up into her bathtub and presents unhealthy living conditions; and

WHEREAS, pipes leading to the home have corroded, preventing effective delivery of water; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Indian Health Service (I.H.S.) does have responsibility for maintaining proper waste water treatment and water delivery systems to communities on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation; and

WHEREAS, the Tribe's Utility Authority does have responsibility for delivery of water to households; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council finds that the Tribe's Utility Authority and the I.H.S. should together take whatever steps are necessary to immediately provide new sewer and water services to the home of Henrietta George; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council was informed that Ms. George's situation is not uncommon, and that other residents in other areas have similar problems; and

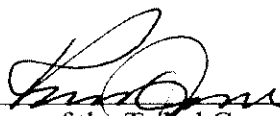
WHEREAS, the Tribal Council further finds that the I.H.S. should provide the Tribal Council with a community profile of all the water and sewer systems on the lands of the Fort Apache Indian Reservation.

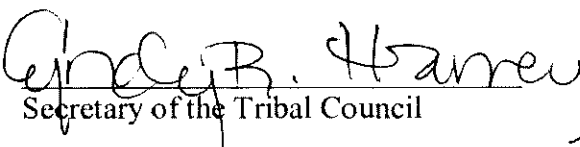
BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that:

1. The Tribe's Utility Authority is hereby directed to take all necessary steps to immediately provide new sewer and water services to the home of Henrietta George.
2. The U.S. Indian Health Service is hereby requested to work together with the Tribe's Utility Authority to ensure effective delivery of waste water treatment and water delivery to the home of Henrietta George.
3. The U.S. Indian Health Service is further requested to provide the Tribal Council with a community profile of all the water and sewer systems on the lands of the Fort Apache Indian Reservation at its next regularly scheduled meeting.

Resolution No. 03-2007-51

The foregoing resolution was on March 7, 2007, duly adopted by a vote of TEN for and ZERO against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to the authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (c), (s), (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


Secretary of the Tribal Council