

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

## (Supporting Job Corps Civilian Conservation Center)

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, southern Gila County has recently experienced an economic decline due to employee layoffs at local copper mines and other local businesses; and

WHEREAS, local government agencies, the Southern Gila County Economic Development Corporation, and others are working together to explore opportunities to improve the economy of southern Gila County; and

WHEREAS, there is an opportunity to build a new Job Corps Civilian Conservation Center in southern Gila County on the Tonto National Forest; and

WHEREAS, the economy of southern Gila County will be enhanced drastically by the many jobs and business opportunities created by the creation of a Job Corps Civilian Conservation Center.

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby supports any efforts to bring a Job Corps Civilian Conservation Center on the Tonto National Forest in southern Gila County.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Chairman, or in his absence, the Vice Chairwoman, is hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

The foregoing resolution was on May 15, 2009, duly adopted by a vote of NINE 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), (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