

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

Be it resolved by the Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe in regular session this date September 8, 1941 that:

WHEREAS, an epidemic of Encephalomyelitis, commonly known as "sleeping sickness" or "brain fever" of horses is threatening this section of the State as evidenced by the death of one horse at Fort Apache and two at Smith Park and of several at Lakeside, and

WHEREAS, it would be disastrous to the cattle industry on this reservation if this disease should take a death toll of the horses in our remudas, and

WHEREAS, our State and Federal veterinarians recommend that the horses in our remudas, estimated at 800 head, be vaccinated this fall and again next spring at a cost of approximately \$1.00 per head for each vaccination, a total of \$1,600, which in the opinion of the Council should be paid from tribal funds, and

WHEREAS, the calves in our tribal herds should be vaccinated this fall to protect them against blackleg and pink eye at an estimated cost of \$400,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council recommends and approves the expenditure of \$2,000 from Individual Indian Money, White Mountain Apache Tribal Fund for the purchase of biological products needed in the control of these diseases.

The foregoing resolution was on September 8, 1941 duly adopted by a vote of 10 for and 0 against, by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article VI, Section 1 (d) and (e) of the Constitution and By-laws of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe on August 15, 1938 and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on August 26, 1938 pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

/S/ Purcell Kane  
Chairman of the Tribal Council

/S/ Secretary of the Tribal Council

Approval recommended:  
September 8, 1941

/S/ Wm. Donner  
Superintendent