

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 of the Fort Apache Reservation in regular session this 1st day of August, 1947 that:

WHEREAS, in order to provide protection for the wildlife and game in the Maverick area on the Fort Apache Reservation, the Tribal Council does hereby establish the position of Game Warden to be assigned to the protection of fish and game in the Maverick Mountain area on the reservation, salary of the said position to be \$125.00 per month and the position shall be filled by a member of the tribe. The funds for the salary of this position are hereby authorized to be paid from Tribal funds on deposit at the Fort Apache Agency to the credit of the Tribe.

The foregoing resolution was duly adopted on August 1, 1947, by a unanimous vote by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article VI, Section 1 (d) 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/ Fred Lagselers  
Chairman of the Tribal Council

/S/ Mary C. Endfield  
Secretary of the Tribal Council

Recommended by:

(Sgd) R. D. Holts  
R. D. Holts, Superintendent

## EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT

Agreement made this 16th day of August, 1947, by and between the White Mountain Apache Tribe of the Fort Apache Agency, Arizona party of the first part and MARTIN Q. PINTZ, of Whiteriver, Arizona, party of the second part.

1. The terms of employment shall be from the date of entrance on duty of the said party of the second part and shall continue until terminated by either party by giving notice in writing at least 30 days prior to the effective date of termination or terminated pursuant to the provisions of Article 3 of this agreement.

2. The party of the second part, as an employee of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, agrees, as compensation for the services to be performed by said party under the terms and conditions of this contract, to accept a salary at the rate of Three thousand and twenty-one dollars, (\$3021.00) per year. The said party of the second part shall also be entitled to annual periodic pay increases under the same conditions and of equal amounts as Civil Service employees occupying positions of like grade and salary.

3. The said party of the second part, if satisfactorily performing the duties as set forth herein, shall be entitled each year to leave of absence so the work may permit and in accordance with current annual and sick leave laws and regulations for Government employees. Reports and requests concerning leave shall be consistent to that required of Civil Service employees.

4. The salary herein agreed to shall be paid to the party of the second part in twelve equal installments beginning at the end of the first month following the entrance on duty of said party of the second part.

5. The party of the second part shall perform the duties herein described under the direct supervision of the superintendent of the Fort Apache Indian Agency and shall be responsible for performing the following duties:

This employee is in full charge of the Law and Order Division of this reservation, comprising 1,670,000 acres of land and an Indian population of 3,300. He supervises and instructs Indian Police in making arrests, care of jail and handling of prisoners. He assists Indian Judges with cases and advises when necessary. Instructs subordinates in proper filing of cases, sees that records are properly maintained and assists with periodic reports on Law and Order. Prepares weekly reports for submission to Central and District Offices.

This employee is subject to call at any hour of the day or night and on this reservation most of the work seems to be in the evening or during the night. He also supervises police in cooperating with school authorities in apprehending AWOL school children.

He directs raids on liquor parties of the Indians, and suppresses disturbances at all times. Also suppressing liquor among white and colored residents on the reservation. He acts on his own initiative during most of his work. He must be fearless and strong physically, as the work is arduous and often requires long hours of continuous duty. He must have good judgment and thoroughly understand proper methods of law and order.

6. The party employed under this agreement shall be commissioned as Deputy Special Officer of the United States Indian Service and as such shall be vested with such authority as would be delegated to him if appointed under Civil Service regulations by the Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

7. The party of the second part will be expected to devote the time necessary to properly maintain law and order within the area under the jurisdiction of the Fort Apache Agency.

8. It is understood and agreed that the party of the first part may immediately terminate this agreement upon written notice to the party of the second part subject to the approval of the Superintendent or other officer in charge of the Fort Apache Indian Agency by reason of delinquency or mis-conduct of the party of the second part which in the opinion of the White Mountain Apache Tribe and the Superintendent or other officer in charge of the Fort Apache Indian Reservation warrants such action.

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FORT APACHE INDIAN RESERVATION  
(Party of the first part)

By: /S/ Fred Larzelere  
Chairman

ATTEST:

(Party of the second Part) Martin Q. Pintz

Secretary

APPROVED:

R. D. HOLTZ, Superintendent