

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

WHEREAS, on August 6, 1956 the Tribal Council passed Resolution No. 56-39 agreeing to pay one-third of the cost for the construction of a water and sewerage system for the Whiteriver community, and

WHEREAS, the Tribe's cost would be approximately sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000), and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has been assured by the Bureau of Indian Affairs that if the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) is appropriated and spent for said water system that the Indian people in the Whiteriver, fairgrounds and North Fork communities shall be furnished domestic water free of charge.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe reaffirms Resolution No. 56-39 subject; however, to the condition that the Bureau of Indian Affairs furnish domestic water to the Indians served by said water system free of charge.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if the Bureau of Indian Affairs decide to dispose of the above mentioned water system that the Bureau be urged to grant the White Mountain Apache Tribe the first option to acquire same.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the maximum sum the tribe shall be obligated to pay shall not exceed sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) on deposit with the Treasurer of the United States be appropriated.

The foregoing resolution was on July 1, 1959 duly adopted by a vote of 8 for and 0 against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article V, Section 1 (b), (f), (i) and (k) of the Amended Constitution and By-Laws of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe June 27, 1958 and approved by the Secretary of the Interior, on May 29, 1958, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

APPROVAL RECOMMENDED

~~Approved:~~ JUL 7 1959

Lester Oliver
Chairman of the Tribal Council

(SIGNED) L. F. BERGER

Acting Superintendent

May L. Erickson
Secretary of the Tribal Council