

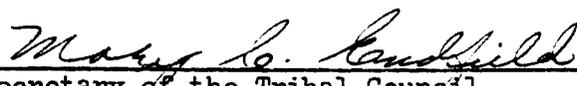
RESOLUTION OF THE
WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE OF THE
FORT APACHE INDIAN RESERVATION

- WHEREAS, W. R. Thomas of Phoenix, Arizona has applied to the White Mountain Apache Tribe for a contract to cut aspen and cottenwood timber for sawmilling, and
- WHEREAS, there is a substantial supply of these species available, and
- WHEREAS, in order to cut said timber the said W. R. Thomas will have to construct a sawmill, and
- WHEREAS, the two most feasible locations are at Whiteriver, Arizona within the area formerly occupied by the Lenhart mill and also a new location in the Cibecue area.
- BE IT RESOLVED that W. R. Thomas be authorized to construct a mill at the old Lenhart site near Whiteriver, Arizona and at a location in Cibecue, Arizona.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED prior to constructing the mill that a specified area be designated and approved in both the Whiteriver area and the Cibecue area by the Land Committee.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all fences and cattleguards are to be installed and maintained where needed and that all types of materials, specifications and locations of said fences and cattleguards must be approved by the Superintendent of the Fort Apache Indian Agency prior to construction.

The foregoing resolution was on June 15, 1961 duly adopted by a vote of 9 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 (i) 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).



Chairman of the Tribal Council



Secretary of the Tribal Council

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Mr. F. M. Haverland

Director, Phoenix Area Office

Dear Mr. Haverland:

Resolution No. 61-50 was adopted by the Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe at a regular meeting June 15, 1961, pursuant to Article V, Section 1 (1) of the Tribe's constitution. This resolution is not subject to the review and approval of the Secretary of the Interior.

This resolution approves two sawmill sites for the processing of aspen and cottonwood. The Whiteriver Sawmill site will be located 3 miles north of the town of Whiteriver. This site was used by Mr. Lenhart when timber was harvested from the Gold Gulch Timber Sale Unit and is now vacant. The second mill site will be decided at a later date and must be approved by the Council Land Committee.

The resolution further resolves that all fences and cattleguards are to be installed and maintained by the contractor. The cattleguards to be installed will have to meet specifications as set forth and approved by the Superintendent of the Fort Apache Indian Agency.

Sincerely yours,

7S/ Albert M. Hawley

Superintendent

Enclosure

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