

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

WHEREAS, drouth conditions have been serious on the White Mountain Tribal Herd winter range for the past five years, and

WHEREAS, a plan has been presented by the Manager to the Board of Directors for the development of Mud Springs and installation of a pipeline through Burnt Corral by Poker Gap toward the Double Circle Tank to provide livestock water and domestic water for Burnt Corral camp, which development would help alleviate the effects of the drouth conditions, and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directos have recommended an amendment to the White Mountain Tribal Herd budget to provide for said water development.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the White Mountain Tribal Herd budget for the year, 1961 be amended in the amount of \$15,000.00 to provide funds for the development of Mud Springs and the installation of approximately fifteen (15) miles of pipeline with a 2,500-gallon storage tank to be constructed at Burnt Corral and for the installation of drinkers as needed.

The foregoing resolution was on September 6, 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 (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, 1956, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

Approved: September 20, 1961

Arthur H. Hawley
Authority: Sec. E, 1 and 9, Plan of
Operation, approved December 19, 1957

Lester Oliver
Chairman of the Tribal Council

Mary G. Confield
Secretary of the Tribal Council

Received in Superintendent's Office

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(Date)

SEP 20 1961

Mr. F. M. Haverland

Area Director, Phoenix, Arizona

Dear Mr. Haverland:

The Tribal Herd's winter range has been short of water for the past several years. At the present time, tanks in the Poker Gap and Whirly Basin areas have caught a very limited amount of water. The Manager and the Board of Directors requested the development of Mud Springs located about five miles east of Burnt Corral Winter Camp. These springs are a source of permanent water and their plan is to install a pipeline through Burnt Corral, past Poker Gap and on to Double Circle tank. A storage tank will be installed at Burnt Corral Camp and will be a source of domestic water. During the winter months two to four men are stationed at Burnt Corral Camp to ride fences and to spread salt.

Resolution No. 61-93 resolves that the Tribal Council amend the 1961 Budget of the Tribal Herd in the amount of \$15,000 to provide funds for the development of Mud Springs and the installation of approximately fifteen miles of pipeline. I recommend that this project be approved as this area of the Tribal Herd range is in desperate need of a permanent water supply.

This resolution was enacted on September 6, 1961 by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe pursuant to authority vested in Article V, Section 1 (k) of the Tribe's Constitution. Under this authority the Tribe can appropriate tribal funds for tribal purposes and expend funds in accordance with an annual budget approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

I have approved this resolution pursuant to authority vested in Section E 1 and 9 of the Plan of Operation approved December 19, 1957.

Sincerely yours,

/S/ Albert M. Hawley

Superintendent