

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

WHEREAS, the General Livestock Board passed a resolution October 22, 1968 noting a severe problem in the livestock industry caused by excessive loss of cattle from predators, and

WHEREAS, Tribal Council has been requested by the Livestock Board to take appropriate action in regards to these predators, and

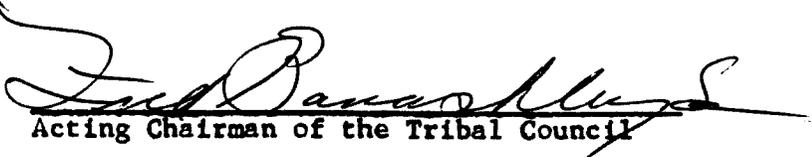
WHEREAS, it has been reported that all livestock associations are experiencing losses in a much more frequent rate than in the past, especially kills made by bear, and

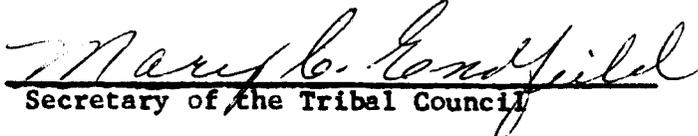
WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Tribal Council that corrective action must be taken immediately to avoid further livestock and subsequent income losses to cattle owners.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the U. S. Bureau Sport Fisheries and Wildlife is hereby requested to take immediate and appropriate action to reduce the predator population on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation to minimize cattle losses.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the U. S. Bureau Sport Fisheries and Wildlife personnel are to use their abilities and expertise to properly control all predators at a balanced level without having to trap only upon reported livestock kills.

The foregoing resolution was on November 6, 1968 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 V, Section 1 (f) 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).


Acting Chairman of the Tribal Council


Secretary of the Tribal Council

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