

**SetResFileAttrs**

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#include &lt;Resources.h&gt;

**Resource Manager**

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void      SetResFileAttrs(rfRefNum, rfAttrs );
short     rfRefNum ;      reference number of an open resource file
short     rfAttrs ;       desired new attributes for the file
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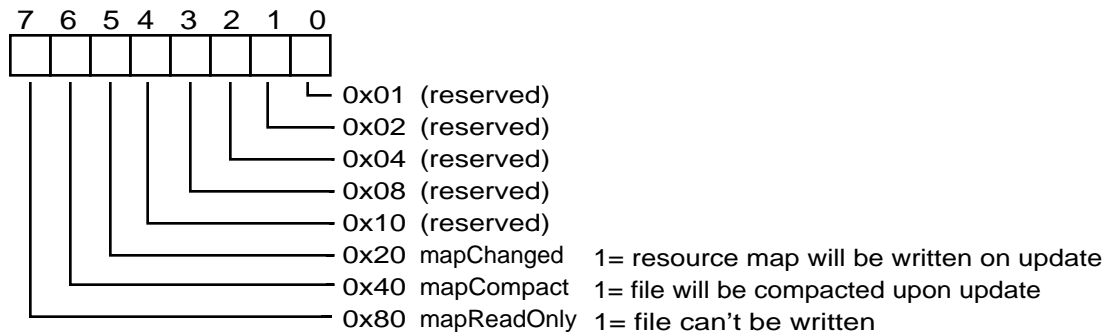
**SetResFileAttrs** sets resource file attributes. It specifies whether a resource file is marked as read-only, has changed, or needs compacting. This is needed rarely, since file attributes are modified automatically by the **Resource Manager**.

*rfRefNum* identifies the resource file whose attributes you wish to modify. It is a value obtained from **OpenResFile**, **HomeResFile**, **CurResFile** or **OpenRFPerm**. A value of 0 refers to the system resource file.

*rfAttrs* identifies the desired attributes you wish to apply to the resource file. See below..

**Returns:** none (use **ResError** to check for success/failure)

Notes: Resource file attributes are defined as follows:



See **GetResFileAttrs** for related information.

In the 64K ROMs, it was necessary to set **mapCompact** manually if you wanted to recover the file space that had been occupied by a resource after it was shortened. Since this was fixed, there was little reason to modify resource file attributes.