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

- WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribe, through its own Police Department, provides law enforcement services to the residents, visitors and resources of the Fort Apache Indian Reservation; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council recognizes that the current Chief of Police for its Police Department is merely serving in an acting capacity and that the appointment of a skilled and qualified Chief of Police is paramount to the continued operations of its Police Department, and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has considered worthy applicants and members of the Community for such appointment, and has concluded that the skills, certifications and qualifications best suited for this position are found in Ruben Kessay, a former chief of police for the White Mountain Apache Tribe Police Department.
- BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby appoints Ruben Kessay as the new Chief of Police for the White Mountain Apache Tribe.

The foregoing resolution was on JULY 14, 2004 duly adopted by a vote of FIVE for, and THREE against, and TWO abstentions by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (h), (i), (j), (s), (t), and (u) of the Constitution of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe September 30, 1993, and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on November 12, 1993, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

Chairman of the Tribal Council

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Secretary of the Tribal Council