



Resolution No. 08-2005-213

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

**(Approving services of Mr. Jonathan Benton as recommended by the STD
Awareness Coalition)**

WHEREAS, the Sexually Transmitted Disease (STD) continues to be a very serious health problem on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation; and

WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache STD Awareness Coalition was created earlier this year with the primary objective to study, discuss and reduce/eliminate the STD health problems on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation; and

WHEREAS, the STD Awareness Coalition has been conducting monthly meetings to carry through this important responsibility; and

WHEREAS, the STD Awareness Coalition has been discussing the various prevention, education and awareness information and activities, especially for those people who will be attending the 80th Annual White Mountain Apache Tribal Fair & Rodeo in Whiteriver, Arizona; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Jonathan Benton, a Family Planner with the Gila River Health Care Corporation, will be requested to set up his specialized mobile unit at the WMAT Fairgrounds during the Tribal Fair & Rodeo; and

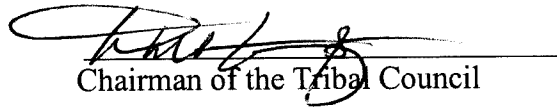
WHEREAS, Mr. Benton will provide testing and counseling services in a private and confidential manner and such services will be strictly on a voluntary basis; and

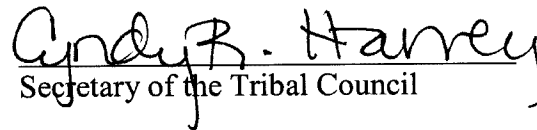
WHEREAS, the Tribal Council finds that the services of Mr. Benton are in the best interests of the White Mountain Apache Tribe.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the proposed services of STD testing and counseling services may be provided by Mr. Benton at the 80th Annual White Mountain Apache Tribal Fair & Rodeo in Whiteriver, Arizona.

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The foregoing resolution was on August 3, 2005, duly adopted by a vote of SEVEN for and ZERO against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to the authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (b), (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


Secretary of the Tribal Council