

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

(Enacting the Proposed Amendment to the Law and Order Code, Establishment of the Office of Attorney General)

- WHEREAS, the Tribal Attorney evaluated the adequacy of the Tribe's present legal representation, and has proposed recommendations for improved methods for providing the Tribe with needed legal advice and representation; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Attorney proposes the creation of the Office of the Attorney General of the White Mountain Apache Tribe through Ordinance No. 222, amending the Law and Order Code, adding Chapter Five to the Judicial Code, Office of the Attorney General, as attached and incorporated by this reference; and
- WHEREAS, the Council has reviewed Ordinance No. 222 carefully, and considered its recommendations and the implications thereof in great detail; and
- WHEREAS, the Council finds the adoption of Ordinance No. 222 would greatly improve the legal representation available to the Tribe and its various offices and department, and that such recommendations should be adopted and implemented as proposed.

**THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED** by the White Mountain Apache Tribal Tribal Council, as follows:

- 1. The Tribal Attorney's proposal for the establishment of the Office of Attorney General is hereby accepted.
- 2. Ordinance No. 222 shall be posted for public comment in each District for ten days, as required by the Constitution of the White Mountain Apache Tribe.

The foregoing resolution was on <u>SEPTEMBER 14, 2005</u>, duly adopted by a vote of <u>FIVE</u> for and <u>ONE</u> against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to the authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (d), (q), (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).

ACTING

Chairman of the Tribal Cou

Secretary of the Tribal Council