



Resolution No. 11-2005-303

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

(Approving publication of manuscript from the Johns Hopkins University entitled, "Home Visiting Intervention for American Indian Adolescent Mothers: A Pilot Randomized Trial")

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Constitution of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, Article IV, Section 1(a), inter alia, the Tribal Council has the authority to represent the tribe and act in all matters that concern the welfare of the Tribe; and

WHEREAS, health, and well-being of Tribal Members remains a major concern; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council supports carefully designed research projects to evaluate health problems which exist within the Tribe's population and to develop appropriate interventions which seek to decrease or alleviate these problems; and

WHEREAS, Johns Hopkins this day presented a request for permission to publish a manuscript entitled, "*Home Visiting Intervention for American Indian Adolescent Mothers: A Pilot Randomized Trial*"; and

WHEREAS, the manuscript is based on data collected as part of "The Family Spirit Study", which was conducted on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation between July 2001 and March 2003; and

WHEREAS, the manuscript, if approved, will be submitted for publication in the periodical, *Archives of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine*; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council finds, after careful review and consideration, finds that the publication of the study to be in the best interests of the Tribe.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby approves that the manuscript be submitted for publication.

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The foregoing resolution was on November 9, 2005, duly adopted by a vote of SIX 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), (j), (k), (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



Secretary of the Tribal Council