



Resolution No. 02-2006-29

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

(Approving Certification of the Primary Election Results)

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article VI, Section 8 of the Tribal Constitution, the Tribal Council adopted an Election Ordinance which mandates that a Primary Election be held on the first Wednesday of February during an election year, established by Article VI, Section 1 of the Tribal Constitution; and

WHEREAS, said Primary Election was held by the White Mountain Apache Tribe on Wednesday, February 1, 2006, wherein Tribal Council candidates submitted their names to a vote of the people for Chairman, Vice-Chairman and for Council Offices in Districts I, II, III and IV; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Election Commission has certified to the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Primary Election is complete and has been carried out in accordance with provisions of the Tribal Constitution and the Election Code of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, and has certified that of the total of 4,300 ballots cast, the following number of votes were received by the individuals listed below whose names were on the ballot for the following offices:

OFFICE OF TRIBAL CHAIRMAN

1. Mariddie J. Craig	<u>762</u>
2. Frank Johnny Endfield, Jr.	<u>454</u>
3. Reno Johnson, Sr.	<u>552</u>
4. Ronnie Lupe	<u>1,452</u>
5. Dallas Massey, Sr.	<u>1,053</u>

OFFICE OF VICE-CHAIRMAN

1. Margaret Baha-Walker	<u>996</u>
2. Orlando Carroll	<u>1,205</u>
3. Alvin DeClay, Sr.	<u>435</u>
4. Kay Lewis	<u>692</u>
5. Kasey Velasquez	<u>908</u>

DISTRICT I: (Cibecue/Oak Creek/Grasshopper)

- | | |
|------------------------|------------|
| 1. Arnold Beach, Sr. | <u>102</u> |
| 2. Evangeline Gatewood | <u>275</u> |
| 3. Jacob Henry | <u>224</u> |
| 4. Maggie Schaffer | <u>58</u> |

DISTRICT II: (Carrizo/Forestdale/Cedar Creek)

- | | |
|--------------------------|------------|
| 1. Victoria Brewer | <u>169</u> |
| 2. Gillespie Childs, Jr. | <u>201</u> |
| 3. Trudy Zospah | <u>134</u> |

DISTRICT III: (East Fork/Turkey Creek/Seven Mile)

- | | |
|-----------------------|------------|
| 1. Elesta Aday | <u>100</u> |
| 2. Patrick Cruz | <u>240</u> |
| 3. Kirk Massey, Sr. | <u>311</u> |
| 4. Rovene Nosie, Sr. | <u>257</u> |
| 5. Matthew Nozie, Sr. | <u>74</u> |

DISTRICT IV: (Canyon Day/Whiteriver/North Fork/Hon-Dah-McNary)

- | | |
|---------------------------|------------|
| 1. West Anderson, Sr. | <u>379</u> |
| 2. Noland Clay | <u>889</u> |
| 3. Wayne Colelay, Jr. | <u>774</u> |
| 4. Marjorie Grimes | <u>244</u> |
| 5. Nathaniel Joe Harvey | <u>574</u> |
| 6. Minor Kinney | <u>365</u> |
| 7. Gwendena Lee Real Bird | <u>389</u> |
| 8. Erwin Thompson | <u>485</u> |

and

WHEREAS, the Election Commission has certified that the candidates for Offices of Chairman, Vice-Chairman and for the Tribal Council in the General Election to be held April 5, 2006, are as follows:

OFFICE OF TRIBAL CHAIRMAN

Ronnie Lupe

Dallas Massey, Sr.

OFFICE OF VICE-CHAIRMAN

Margaret Baha-Walker

Orlando Carroll

DISTRICT I: (Cibecue/Oak Creek/Grasshopper)

Evangeline Gatewood

Jacob Henry

DISTRICT II: (Carrizo/Forestdale/Cedar Creek)

Victoria Brewer

Gillespie Childs, Jr.

DISTRICT III: (East Fork/Turkey Creek/Seven Mile)

Kirk Massey, Sr.

Rovene Nosie, Sr.

DISTRICT IV: (Canyon Day/Whiteriver/ North Fork/Hon-Dah-McNary)

Noland Clay, Wayne Colelay, Jr., Nathaniel Joe Harvey, Erwin Thompson

and

WHEREAS, a true copy of the Election Commission Certification of Election Results is attached and incorporated by this reference; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Election Commission has advised the Tribal Council that the candidates designated by the Commission as candidates for the 2006 Tribal Election have been certified and selected in conformity with the Tribal Election Code and should be certified by the Tribal Council as candidates for their respective offices in the April 5, 2006 Tribal General Election; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council concurs with the Certification of the Election Results presented by the Tribal Election Commission and concludes that the Commission's certification should be affirmed and accepted accordingly.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the certification of the primary election results submitted by the Tribal Election Commission for the Office of Tribal Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Council Representatives for Districts I, II, III and IV are hereby accepted and the attached Certification of Election Results are hereby incorporated by reference herein.

Resolution No. 02-2006-29

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the candidates for the April 5, 2006 Tribal General Election are as follows:

OFFICE OF THE CHAIRMAN:

Ronnie Lupe

Dallas Massey, Sr.

OFFICE OF THE VICE-CHAIRMAN:

Margaret Baha-Walker

Orlando Carroll

DISTRICT I:

Evangeline Gatewood

Jacob Henry

DISTRICT II:

Victoria Brewer

Gillespie Childs, Jr.

DISTRICT III:

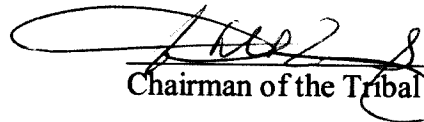
Kirk Massey, Sr.

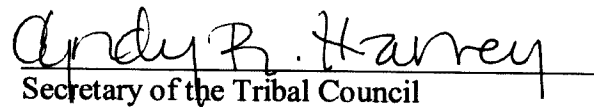
Rovene Nosie, Sr.

DISTRICT IV:

Noland Clay, Wayne Colelay, Jr., Nathaniel Joe Harvey and Erwin Thompson

The foregoing resolution was on February 2, 2006, duly adopted by a vote of NINE 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), (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



WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE
OFFICIAL PRIMARY ELECTION RETURNS
FEBRUARY 1, 2006

CHAIRMAN	Chessee	Coronado	Forefronts	Cedar Creek	East Fork	Seven Mile	Canyon Day	McNary	Witherby	Absentees	TOTAL	%
MARIDIE J. CRAIG	80	36	10	43	73	51	47	39	364	19	762	17.93%
FRANK JOHNNY ENDFIELD, JR.	52	9	3	27	32	79	23	6	206	17	454	10.62%
RENO JOHNSON, SR.	39	8	4	28	81	122	111	1	144	14	552	12.92%
RONNIE LUPE	386	54	10	133	192	102	82	45	414	24	1462	33.99%
DALLAS MASSEY, SR.	94	15	4	93	130	102	259	15	315	23	1053	24.64%
VICE-CHAIRMAN												
MARGARET BABA-WALKER	91	25	5	39	171	188	133	18	307	19	995	23.51%
ORLANDO CARROLL	233	41	9	131	157	73	82	55	401	23	1205	28.45%
ALVIN DECLAY, SR.	42	4	7	29	43	96	35	0	168	12	435	10.27%
KAY LEWIS	216	39	7	34	47	28	41	18	245	17	692	16.34%
KASEY VELASQUEZ	66	14	3	89	86	74	230	12	309	25	908	21.44%
DIST. I COUNCIL MEMBER												
ARNOLD BEACH, SR.	101									1	102	15.48%
EVANGELINE GATEWOOD	272									3	275	41.73%
JACOB HENRY	219									5	224	33.99%
MAGGIE SCHAFFER	57									1	58	8.80%
DIST. I COUNCIL MEMBER												
VICTORIA BREWER		55	7	101						6	169	33.53%
GILLESPIE CHILDS, JR.		29	15	148						9	201	39.88%
TRUDY ZOSPAP		41	9	73						11	134	26.59%
DIST. II COUNCIL MEMBER												
ELESTA ADAY		62				37				1	100	10.18%
PATRICK CRUZ		169				66				5	240	24.44%
KIRK MASSEY, SR.		181				155				5	311	31.67%
ROVERE NOSIE, SR.		105				150				2	257	25.17%
MATTHEW NOZIE, SR.		22				51				1	74	7.54%
DIST. IV COUNCIL MEMBER												
WEST ANDERSON, SR.		151						23	196	9	379	9.25%
HOLAND CLAY		300						22	549	18	889	21.59%
WAYNE COLELAY, JR.		133						29	595	16	774	18.86%
MARJORIE GRIMES		42						15	182	5	244	5.95%
NATHANIEL JOE HARVEY		81						25	453	14	574	14.00%
MINOR KINNEY		133						23	199	10	365	8.90%
GWENDENA LEE REAL BIRD		34						40	303	12	389	9.49%
ERWIN THOMPSON		136						25	312	12	485	11.53%

ELIGIBLE	ACTUAL	% VOTING
1367	674	49.31%
872	508	58.26%
1564	989	63.24%
4667	2129	45.62%
8470	4300	50.77%

CERTIFICATION

We, the undersigned members of the White Mountain Apache Tribal Election Commission, hereby certify the above to be a true and accurate abstract of the number of votes cast for the candidates shown herein for the Primary Election held on February 1, 2006. We further affirm that the aforementioned election was conducted in accordance with the rules and regulations of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, the Tribal Constitution and the Election Code.

Chairperson: Curtis Smith Member: Delton Endfield Member: Michael Lumber
 Member: Grady H. Hurrey Member: Gregory Cooley Member: [Signature]