

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

## (Approving Attorney Contract with Paula King for the Position of Prosecutor for the White Mountain Apache Tribe)

- WHEREAS, the Tribal Attorney has recommended to the Tribal Council that Paula King be employed with the White Mountain Apache Tribe as Prosecutor; and
- WHEREAS, Bonnie Knight-Kayson has been Acting Prosecutor since Frank Freeman resigned; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Attorney has provided the Tribal Council with a copy of Ms. King's resume of education and work experience, and recommends her appointment; and
- WHEREAS, Ms. King has previously worked for Legal Services in Whiteriver, Arizona, and is knowledgeable of the Tribe's Court and laws; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council finds that Ms. King is well qualified to act as Prosecutor for the White Mountain Apache Tribe; and
- WHEREAS, the Prosecutor position was budgeted for \$75,000.00, and the salary requirements should be evaluated together with the Legal Department and the Budget and Finance Committee; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council further recommends that Ms. Bonnie Knight-Kayson be evaluated for promotion to Deputy Prosecutor, given her work and experience in the position of Acting Prosecutor.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that:
- 1. Ms. King is hereby hired as the Tribal Prosecutor for the White Mountain Apache Tribe, under the supervision of the Tribe's Legal Department, subject to certification of good standing by the Arizona Bar Association.
- 2. The Legal Department, together with the Budget and Finance Committee, are hereby directed to evaluate the salary requirements for the position of Prosecutor, and Bonnie Knight-Kayson for promotion to Deputy Prosecutor to a salary commensurate with her experience.
- 3. The Chairman, or in his absence the Vice-Chairwoman, is hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

The foregoing resolution was on October 12, 2006, duly adopted by a vote of EIGHT for and ONE 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), (d), (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