



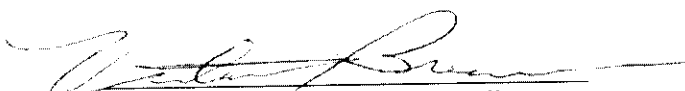
**RESOLUTION OF THE
WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE OF THE
FORT APACHE INDIAN RESERVATION**

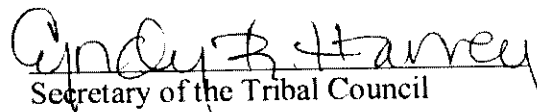
(Authorizing approval of two Johns Hopkins manuscripts for publication)

- WHEREAS,** members of the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe are duly elected representatives of the people and their respective districts; and among their many concerns are the health and well-being of its Tribal Members; and
- WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council supports carefully designed research projects to evaluate health problems which exist in the population and to develop appropriate interventions which seek to decrease or alleviate these problems; and
- WHEREAS,** Johns Hopkins is requesting permission to publish two manuscripts titled, "*Nutritional composition of commonly consumed traditional Apache foods in Arizona*" and "*Dietary intake and development of a food frequency questionnaire to evaluate a nutrition intervention to reduce risk of chronic disease in American Indian populations*" by Johns Hopkins personnel. Locally and culturally adapted instruments are needed to assess dietary intake in order to evaluate the impact of nutrition programs. One manuscript describes the process used to develop a food frequency questionnaire for assessing diet among the Apache, and the final format of that instrument. It also presents dietary intake results of 24 hour dietary recalls were used to develop this instrument and to focus the Apache Healthy Stores program. The second manuscript addresses efforts to prevent diet-related chronic disease such as heart disease and diabetes which requires detailed knowledge of the nutrient composition of the diet. Among Native North Americans, there are many traditional foods which do not exist in national nutrient composition databases, yet which are commonly eaten and are a substantial part of the diet. We gathered recipes from 13 such foods which will be used to assess the effectiveness of the Apache Healthy Stores program in improving diet. No personal identifiers are indicated or referenced and all information contained in the manuscript is submitted for the purpose of developing and evaluating healthy lifestyle intervention strategies among the Apache people.
- WHEREAS,** the manuscripts, if approved, will be submitted for publication in the journals "Public Health Nutrition" and "International Journal of Food Science and Nutrition."

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

The foregoing resolution was on February 7, 2007, 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), (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).


ACTING Chairman of the Tribal Council


Secretary of the Tribal Council