



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

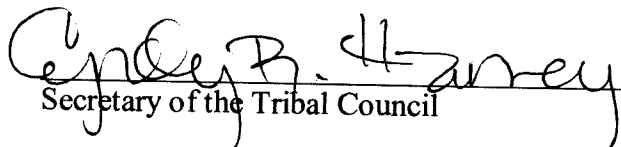
**(Authorizing Abstract by Johns Hopkins Entitled, "*Preventing Suicide Among American Indian Youth: Lessons from the Field*")**

- WHEREAS,** pursuant to Article IV, Section 1(a) of the Constitution of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, *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,** the health and well-being of Tribal Members is of paramount concern to the White Mountain Apache Tribe; 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 has this day requested permission to present work that is currently being conducted on the White Mountain Apache Reservation at the SPAN USA's 12<sup>th</sup> Annual National Suicide Prevention Awareness & Training Event to be held July 18-21, 2007 in Washington, D.C. by Johns Hopkins personnel; and
- WHEREAS,** the abstract submitted for presentation approval is entitled, "*Preventing Suicide Among American Indian Youth: Lessons from the Field*"; and
- WHEREAS,** no personal identifiers are indicated or referenced in the abstract, and all information contained in the abstract and presentation materials is submitted for the purpose of developing strategies designed to intervene and diminish the problems associated with suicide; and
- WHEREAS,** the presentation of this abstract, if approved, will be presented at the SPAN USA's 12<sup>th</sup> Annual National Suicide Prevention Awareness & Training Event to be held July 18-21, 2007 in Washington, D.C.; and
- WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council finds that the proposed abstract to be in the best interests of the prevention of suicide on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation, and should accordingly be published.
- BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the abstract described herein is approved for the purposes identified.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Chairman, or in his absence, the Vice Chairwoman, is hereby authorized to execute any and all document necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

**Resolution No. 06-2007-209**

The foregoing resolution was on June 5, 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).

  
Chairman of the Tribal Council

  
Secretary of the Tribal Council