



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

**(Endorsing Mary Kim Titla, Democratic Candidate, U.S. Congressional District No. 1)**

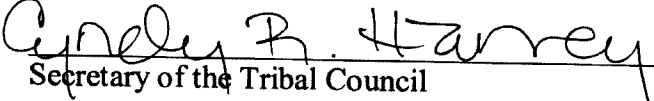
- WHEREAS,** pursuant to Article IV, Section 1(a) of the Constitution of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, *inter alia*, the Tribal Council has the authority to represent the Tribe and act in all matters that concern the welfare of the Tribe; and
- WHEREAS,** Mary Kim Titla did this day present her candidacy for U.S. Congressional District 1 before the Tribal Council; and
- WHEREAS,** Ms. Titla is a member of the San Carlos Apache Tribe, a former student of East Fork Lutheran School, a founder of Native Youth Magazine and a former report for Phoenix Channel 12 Television, and has a long history of advocating on behalf of Tribes in the State of Arizona and throughout the United States; and
- WHEREAS,** Ms. Titla recognizes the sovereignty of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, and further recognizes that the federal government has a trust responsibility to the Tribe, and to ensure the federal government fulfills this trust responsibility, Ms. Titla supports increased direct federal funding to the Tribe; and
- WHEREAS,** Ms. Titla has been a strong supporter of the White Mountain Apache Tribe and other Tribes as an advocate in the areas of gaming, education, social needs, economic development, youth and other areas, and pledges to consult with the Tribe on national issues involving or otherwise affecting Native Americans; and
- WHEREAS,** after careful consideration, the Tribal Council concurs and finds it to be in the best interests of the Tribe that the Tribe endorses Ms. Titla's candidacy.

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that:

1. The candidacy of Mary Kim Titla for District 1, U.S. House of Representatives is hereby endorsed by the White Mountain Apache Tribe.
2. 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 June 6, 2007 duly adopted by a vote of TEN 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), (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