

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

## (Approving Emergency Appropriation for Financial Assistance to Ronald & Annalita Bonito)

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, Ronald and Annalita Bonito did this day request emergency financial assistance for airfare to Emmitsburg, Maryland to attend the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in memory of Randall Bonito, Jr.; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Bonito requires \$800.00 for which an appropriation is required from the Tribe's General Fund due to the depletion of the Tribal Contributions Account; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council finds that the assistance requested is reasonable and in the best interest of the family and the Tribe; and

WHEREAS, given the urgency of the Bonito's request, the Tribal Council further finds that the request for emergency assistance requires consideration outside of the Tribal Council's regularly scheduled meeting; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council further finds that: (1) this Resolution may be voted upon by signature of a member of the Tribal Council where a signature indicates a vote for this Resolution, (2) the Tribal Council Secretary should attempt to obtain signatures for members of the Tribal Council personally, (3) no signature would mean that the respective Tribal Council member is against this Resolution, (4) the Tribal Council Secretary should wait no longer than a reasonable period of time to obtain a vote by signature or by no signature and so indicate that this Resolution was presented to the respective member of the Tribal Council for a vote.

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

- 1. An appropriation of \$800.00 is hereby approved and said amount shall be deposited by the Treasurer into the Tribal Contributions Account and all budgets shall be adjusted accordingly.
- 2. A financial assistance expenditure from the Tribal Contributions Account is hereby authorized for Ronald and Annalita Bonito for the purposes described herein, subject to proof of expenditures in the form of receipts which shall be submitted by the recipient of said funds to the Tribe's Accounting Department.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that given the urgency of the request described herein, this Resolution may be voted upon as follows: (a) by signature of a member of the Tribal Council, including the Chairman of the Tribal Council and the Vice-Chairwoman of the Tribal Council, where a signature indicates a vote for this Resolution, (b) the Tribal Council Secretary shall attempt to obtain signatures for members of the Tribal Council personally, (c) no signature shall mean that the respective Tribal Council member is against this Resolution, (d) the Tribal Council Secretary should wait no longer than a reasonable period of time to obtain a vote by signature or by no signature, and so indicate that this Resolution was presented to the respective member of the Tribal Council for a vote.

**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.

The foregoing resolution was on <u>September 25, 2007</u>, duly adopted by a vote of <u>SIX</u> for and <u>ZERO</u> against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to the authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (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 Counci

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Signatures of the members of the Tribal Cour	ncil represent their app	
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Margaret Baha-Walker Vice Chairwoman	Date Signed	
Arnold Beach, Sr.	Date Signed	TCS Initials
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Evangeline Gatewood District I Council Member	Date Signed	TCS Initials
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District II Council Member	9/26/07	TCS Initials
Victoria Brewer District II Council Member	Date Signed	<del>_</del>
Alvin DeClay, Sr. District III Council Member	Date Signed	TCS Initials
Kirk Massey, Sr.	9/25/07 Date Signed	TCS Initials
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Noland Clay District IV Council Member	9/25/07 Date Signed	TCS Initials
Wayne Colelay, Jr. District IV Council Member	Sept. 25,07 Date Signed	TCS Initials
Reno Johnson, Sr. District IV Council Member	9-25-07 Date Signed	TCS Initials
ATTEST:		
Cyndy R. Harvey, Tribal Council Secretary	9.26.07 Date Signed	<del></del>



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Mr. & Mrs. Ronald Bonito P. O. Box 2750 Whiteriver, AZ 85941

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Bonito:

On behalf of the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation, I am pleased to invite you to the 26th National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Weekend, which will be held October 5-7, in Emmitsburg, Maryland.

You are cordially invited to attend a Returning Survivors reception to be held in your honor on Thursday, October 4, in Frederick, MD, at the hotel where you will be staying. Also attending will be Foundation staff and fire service leaders who will join in paying tribute to America's bravest. The reception will begin at 6:00 p.m. and will be informal so you will have a chance to visit with each other and relax. We hope that you can join us as we begin the Memorial Weekend with a tribute to you and the sacrifice of your loved one. Please let us know if you will attend by returning the enclosed Weekend Activity form.

During the Memorial Weekend, you will have opportunities to participate in all of the activities, reconnect with people you met in previous years, and reach out to families attending the Weekend for the first time. We invite you to attend the Friday night Welcome Reception in Frederick, the Saturday Candlelight Service, and the Memorial Service on Sunday. On Family Day, Saturday, October 6, we will offer small group sessions for new and returning survivors. If you wish to assist with the Memorial Weekend activities, please complete the Volunteer Registration form.

The Foundation cannot pay travel or lodging costs for returning families to attend. You will also need to provide your own transportation between the airport and hotel. The Foundation will provide bus transportation from the hotel to the Memorial Weekend activities, and meals on Friday evening and during Saturday and Sunday activities. We have reserved a block of rooms for our returning families.

All room reservations must be made through the Foundation. Please complete the enclosed room reservation form and return it to us.

If you wish to use the Foundation's designated travel company to book flights, call Infinity Global Travel at 877-448-5151 and mention the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Weekend to get low rates and great service.

Please complete the enclosed forms and return them to us as soon as possible. If you have questions, please contact us at (301) 447-1365 or by c-mail at firehero@firehero.org or check our Web site: <a href="www.firehero.org">www.firehero.org</a>. We hope you can join us in October.

Sincerely,

Chief Ronald J. Siarnicki

Enclosures

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