

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

(Approval of Land Board meeting minutes for May 22, 2008)

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, Raymus Albert, Land Office Director, has come before the Tribal Council this date requesting approval of the Land Board meeting minutes for May 22, 2008; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council, after reviewing the Land Board meeting minutes, agrees that the Land Board meeting minutes for May 22, 2008 should be approved.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby approves the Land Board meeting minutes for May 22, 2008.

The foregoing resolution was on <u>July 22, 2008</u>, duly adopted by a vote of <u>EIGHT</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), (h), (i), (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

White Mountain Apache Tribe Tribal Land Office Land Board Meeting May 22, 2008 Minutes

Board Members Present: Pedro Johnson, Member; Rachel Endfield, Member: Bernice Caddo, Member: Emily Martine, Member: Elva Lomayaktewa, Secretary:

Board Members Absent: Justin Williams, Chairman:

Meeting opened in prayer by Emily Martine at 9:20 a.m.

Sign-in sheet:

- 1. Lydia K Dosela On behalf of her father George Ivins requesting for a farmland in White Springs Cibecue that is being relinquished to him by Mary Thompson. Relinquishment signed by Mary Thompson. Board approved the request.
- 2. **Darrell Gushoney** Brought documents on the landsite that was given to him by his grandfather Simmons Altaha. McDaniel showed him where the land is located and how it is not safe to build a house on it. The reason they got this land was for grazing for horses. The board suggested that they apply for another site to build on. They were also told from the Environmental Health that the land was not good to build a home on. They will wait for an assessment from the Environmental and for them to come back next meeting.
- 3. Byron McNeil Requesting for land in Carrizo Junction, by the Chevron Station. This is for communities of District 2, to have a booth to sell crafts. The booth will not need electricity or water. McDaniel stated that the area requested belongs to the Housing Authority, they had gotten the area to build homes on but instead built homes in Carrizo due to water shortage, so he told the board that it was okay for it to be used for this project. The area is only a acre or less. Board approved the request.
- 4. **Manuel Dazen Sr.**, Requesting for a farmland in Upper Cedar Creek, near where her mother's farmland. He stated that it is about 2 acres. Raymus stated that he needs an approval from the livestock association first, board put on hold until the paper is turned with approval.
- 5. Linda Truax Requesting for additional land site near her home in Cradleboard housing for parking area. Stated that she don't have a lot of land for parking when she has get-togethers at her resident. The board would like to get a clearance for arch site in the area then they will consider it. On hold.
- 6. Troy Tortice Requesting for the board to reconsider the land site in Seven Mile that was approved for Lela Mae Cosen, stated that the land belongs to his mother and her family. The board requested for Mr. Tortice and Ms. Cosen to attend the next meeting in June.
- 7. **Delta Suttle** Requesting for land in Turkey Creek to be put in her name. She is living in the house that is on the land and have been for the last 20+ years. Board
- 8. approve
- 9. Michael Truax Requesting for land in Hondah. Board approved the request.
- 10. **Annalita Zahgota** Requesting for land in Whiteriver, which is being relinquished to her by her brother Gerald Pinal. Board approved the request.

Landsite applications:

- 11. **Cindy Kaytoggy** Requesting for land in Whiteriver, Diamond Creek or Round top area, no openings in these area.
- 12. April Boni Requesting for land in Bear Canyon, not giving out land in that area.
- 13. **Ashley McCreery** Requesting for land in Seven Mile near her mothers resident, board approved the request.
- 14. **Richard Caddo Jr.,** Applying for farmland in Cibecue that was given to him by Grandfather Tom Caddo, board approved the request.
- 15. Mary Ellen Manuel Requesting for land in McNary, Board approved the request.
- 16. **Arlene Quintero** Requesting for land in Cedar Creek near the Apache Dawn homes. Board approved the request.
- 17. Wilberta George Requesting for land in Turkey Creek lot #6, Board approved the request.
- 18. **Tony Troy Williams** Requesting for additional land site in NW Whiteriver, lot already assigned, only 30 ft available, will let him know.
- 19. **Arlene Cosay** Requesting for land in Whiskey Flats that was given to her by her late Father. McDaniel stated that the land she is claiming is partly owned by another individual and will need to do research on it. On hold.
- 20. **Thomas Dale Pacheco Sr,** Requesting for land down at River Road, claims that he lived on this land for 15 years, but there is a will on this particular land for the children of the late Dora Kessay. Board denied the request until it is done through court.
- 21. **Joyce Kessy** Requesting for land in Canyon Day which belonged to her late mother Dorothy Antonio. Board requested for probate papers. On hold.
- 22. **Shelly Alsenay** Requesting for land that she is living on, Ms. Alsenay is an owner of a home that was given to her by resolution in April 2006. Resolution attached to application. Board approved the request.
- **23.** Christy Bead Requesting for land in Canyon Day (Bear Canyon Area). Application denied, no longer assigning land sites in the area.

Farmland Applications:

- 24. Hazel M. Caddo/ Richard Caddo Sr./ Beverly Townsend and Dollie Grant Requesting for their mother's farmland in Cibecue. Board requested for probate paper first. On hold.
- 25. William Hawkins Applying for farmland which is being relinquish to him by his Aunt Evelyn Barbosa. Board approved the request.

Relinquishments:

- 26. Evelyn Barbosa Relinquishing farmland in East Fork to William Hawkins, Board approved.
- 27. **Tom Caddo** Relinquishing farmland to his grandson Richard Caddo Jr., Board approved the request.
- 28. Gerald Pinal Relinquishing land site over to his sister, Annlita P. Zahgotah. Board approved the request.

Meeting adjourned at 1:15 P.M.