

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

## (Authorizing Back Pay and Medical Retirement for Rufus Johnson)

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, Rufus Johnson was terminated from his position with the Community Health Representative (CHR) Office of the White Mountain Apache Tribe; and

WHEREAS, members of the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe have determined that the termination did not follow the Personnel Policies & Procedures adopted by the WMAT; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe have determined that it is in the best interest of the Tribe that Rufus Johnson be allowed medical retirement and quarterly retroactive payments from the date of termination.

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

- 1. Approves Mr. Rufus Johnson's medical retirement from his position with the Community Health Representative (CHR) Office of the White Mountain Apache Tribe.
- 2. Approves quarterly retroactive salary payments to Mr. Johnson, from the date of termination through the date of this resolution.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that in the event that this Resolution conflicts with a prior Resolution or Policy, this Resolution shall govern.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Chairman, or in his absence, the Vice Chairman, is hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

The foregoing resolution was on <u>JUNE 3, 2010</u> duly adopted by a vote of <u>SEVEN</u> for, <u>ZERO</u> against, and <u>THREE</u> abstentions by the 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).

Ronnie Lupe, Chairman of the Tribal Council

Mariddie J. Craig, Secretary of the Tribal Council