

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

(Approval for Northern Arizona University to Conduct a Survey Regarding Tourism)

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article IV, Section 1(a) and 1(s) 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 Office of Tourism has requested for approval to collaborate with the Arizona Office of Tourism (AOT) and Northern Arizona University (NAU) to conduct the Regional Tourism Survey of Visitors to the White Mountain Apache Tribal Lands; and

WHEREAS, the survey data and collection will be conducted for one week, each month, beginning November 2010 until September 2011; and

WHEREAS, the Office of Tourism will play an essential part in the survey collection and the White Mountain Apache Tribe will be provided with a final report at the conclusion of the survey study; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council finds it in the best interest of the White Mountain Apache Tribe to support the Office of Tourism by authorizing the program to collaborate with the AOT and NAU.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby approves for the Office of Tourism to collaborate with the Arizona Office of Tourism (AOT) and Northern Arizona University (NAU) to conduct the Regional Tourism Survey of Visitors to the White Mountain Apache Tribal Lands.

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>OCTOBER 6, 2010</u> duly adopted by a vote of <u>NINE</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), (b), (g), (h), (i), (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).

Ronnie Lupe, Chairman of the Tribal Council

Mariddie J. Craig, Secretary of the Tribal Council