



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

(Remembrance for slain victims and prayers of support for recovery of critically wounded Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords, for the recovery of other critically injured persons, and for the families of victims of the Tucson shooting tragedy)

WHEREAS, on Saturday, January 8, 2011, an unspeakable and senseless tragedy unfolded in Tucson, Arizona when a gunman took the lives of six innocent people and critically wounded a score more, including Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords and members of her staff and other persons; and

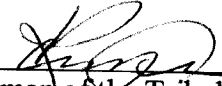
WHEREAS, the prayers of the White Mountain Apache people go out to the slain victims Phyllis Schneck, Dorothy Morris, U.S. District Judge John M. Roll, Gabe Zimmerman, Dorwan Stoddard, and Christina-Taylor Green, and to all those who were wounded by the assailant, and to their families, friends, loved ones, and colleagues; and

WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribe prays for the recovery of all those who were critically injured by the gunman and prays for the total and complete recovery of Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords, a brave, compassionate and understanding member of Congress who is a friend of the White Mountain Apache Tribe; and

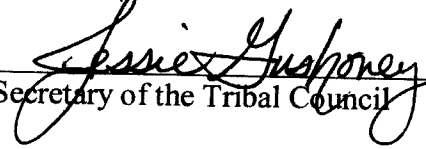
WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache people believe that the light of life and goodness within each of the slain victims and those who were critically injured will continue to light the way for their families and all of us and their acts of goodness and heroism will not be forgotten.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the voice and prayers of the White Mountain Apache people go out to the slain victims and their families, their loved ones, friends and colleagues for peace of mind, for recovery of Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords and others who were critically wounded, and for the blessings and guidance of our Creator in these difficult times.

The foregoing resolution was on **JANUARY 10, 2011** duly adopted by a vote of **NINE** for and **ZERO** against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1(a), (i), (s), (t), and (u) of the Constitution of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe September 30, 1993, and approved by the Secretary of 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

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