



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

(Approving Grant Proposal and Conduct Study)

- WHEREAS,** the health and well-being of the White Mountain Apache Tribal Members is of paramount concern to both the White Mountain Apache Tribe and the Division of Health Programs; and
- WHEREAS,** the Division of Health and Johns Hopkins are working in Collaboration to improve the health and welfare of teen mothers and their parenting skills; and
- WHEREAS,** the Division of Health in collaboration with John Hopkins is requesting permission to submit a grant proposal to the Arizona state Health Department for the Material and Child Health Home Visiting Program; and
- WHEREAS,** the grant is a four year funding cycle and will provide \$450,000.00 of funding each year for the services that will be provided to the teen mothers; and
- WHEREAS,** Johns Hopkins current Cradling our Future program which is the Family Spirit Curriculum will be provided to the teen mothers; and
- WHEREAS,** the curriculum will be a research study to provide that the Family Spirit Curriculum is evidence-based and could be implemented in other Native Communities; and
- WHEREAS,** the Division of Health will sub-contract Johns Hopkins, whose current staff will coordinate the study objectives; and
- WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council finds it in the best interest of the Tribe to approve the grant proposal to conduct the Family Spirit Home Visiting Curriculum Study.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby approves the Division of Health and Johns Hopkins to submit the grant proposal and conduct the Family Spirit Home Visiting Curriculum Study to provide services to Apache teen mothers and evaluate the effectiveness of the curriculum.

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.

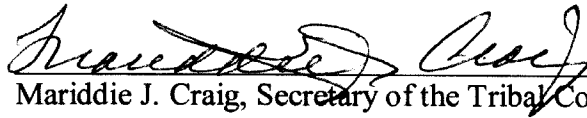
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Chairman, or in his absence, the Vice Chairman, is hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

Resolution No. 06-2011-114

The foregoing resolution was on **JUNE 1, 2011** duly adopted by a vote of **NINE** for and **ZERO** against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to the 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 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