



WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

*A Sovereign Nation Exercising Self-Governance
Over the Fort Apache Indian Reservation*

Resolution No. 06-2012-81

(Approving Non-Member Hunting Regulations 2012-2013)

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe ("Tribe") is entrusted by the Tribe's Constitution to act in all matters that concern the welfare of the Tribe, to manage all economic affairs and enterprises of the Tribe, and to regulate subordinate organizations for economic and other purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Tribe's Game & Fish Department did this day come before the Tribal Council to request approval of the Non-Member Hunting Regulations for 2012-2013, as attached and incorporated by this reference; and

WHEREAS, Game & Fish staff advised the Tribal Council that the hunting seasons, bag limits and regulations are based on sound biological principles, surveys and methods; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has reviewed the recommended regulations and concurs that these will provide sustainable management of Tribal wildlife resources; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council finds that the Non-Member Hunting Regulations for 2012-2013 are in the best interests of the natural resources within the Fort Apache Indian Reservation and the Tribe.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Non-Member Hunting Regulations for 2012-2013, as attached and incorporated by this reference, are hereby approved.

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs that in the event that this Resolution conflicts with a prior Resolution or Policy, this Resolution shall supersede and govern over the conflicting subject matter.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs that in the event this Resolution directly conflicts with the Tribal Constitution, Tribal Ordinances or Federal Laws, this Resolution shall be declared null and void and have no legal effect. This Resolution shall not be subject to Judicial Interpretation, only the Tribal Attorney, with the assistance of the Tribal Council Secretary, may opine on Tribal Council intent and the meaning of the language as used herein.

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

signatory authority to an Acting Chairman, the Vice-Chairman may sign provided that the Tribal Secretary and a Tribal Attorney attest to the veracity of the subject matter of this Resolution.

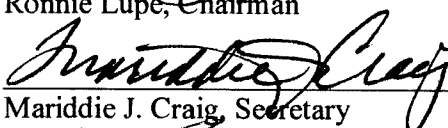
The foregoing resolution was on JUNE 6, 2012 duly adopted by a vote of EIGHT for and ZERO against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to the authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (f), (h), (i), (s), (t) and (u) of the Tribal Constitution, ratified by the 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

6-8-12

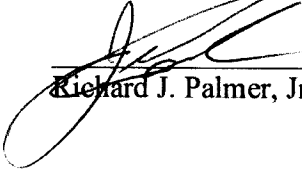
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Mariddie J. Craig, Secretary

06/07/2012

Date



Richard J. Palmer, Jr., Attorney

6/11/12

Date

**White Mountain Apache Tribe
Wildlife & Outdoor Recreation Division
2012-2013 Non-Member Hunting Regulations
Proposed Changes Summary Sheet**

<u>Game</u>	<u>Season Dates</u>	<u>Bag</u>	<u>Permit Cost</u>	<u>Application Fee # Permits</u>	<u>Change From Last Year</u>	
Elk						
Trophy Auction (67 days)	Aug. 1 - Oct. 6, 2012	1 Bull		None	2	Same
Maverick Trophy Bull	Sept. 15 - Oct. 6, 2012	1 Bull	\$18,000.00	None	33 packages	Same
Sunrise Trophy Bull	Sept. 12 - Oct. 2, 2012	1 Bull	\$18,000.00	None	16 packages	-14
West End Trophy Bull	Sept. 10 - Oct. 2, 2012	1 Bull	\$18,000.00	None	24 packages	Same
Management Bull	Aug. 1 - Oct. 12, 2012	1 Bull	\$5,000.00	None	30	Same
Cull Bull	Aug. 1 - Oct. 6, 2012	Unlimited	\$500.00	None	20	Same
West End General Archery	Oct. 10 - Oct. 25, 2012	1 Cow/Calf/Spike	\$375.00	\$5.00	70	Same
East End Archery Raghorn CLOSED						
West End Archery Raghorn	Oct. 10 - Oct. 25, 2012	1 Bull (<4x4)	\$500.00	\$5.00	0	-40
Youth Raghorn-Rifle	Nov. 3 - Nov. 11, 2012	1 Bull (<4x4)	\$400.00	\$5.00	40	Same
West End Depredation	Nov. 10 - Nov. 25, 2012	1 Cow/Calf/Spike	\$325.00	\$5.00	20	Same
N.M Spouse - General	Nov. 3 - Nov. 18, 2012	1 Cow/Calf/Spike	\$200.00	\$5.00	75	Same
Late West End Affiliate	Dec. 15 - Dec. 30, 2012	1 Cow/Calf/Spike	\$250.00	\$5.00	25	Same
					75	Same
Other Big Game						
Pronghorn Antelope	Any 3 consecutive days Between: Aug. 1 - Oct. 6, 2012 May 1 - Dec. 31, 2013 Jan. 12 - Feb. 10, 2013	1 Buck w/o ear tag and/or ID collar 1 full-curl Ram 1 Javelina	\$4,000.00 \$40,000.00 \$100.00	None \$5.00	2 1 25	Same Same Same
Bighorn Sheep	Apr. 13 - Apr. 16, 2013 Apr. 18 - Apr. 21, 2013	2 Gobblers 2 Gobblers	\$1,650.00 \$1,650.00	None None	30 packages 30 packages	Same Same
Spring Gobbler						
Elk Season -						
Turkey Combo	CLOSED					-100
Predators						
Black Bear	Apr. 1 - Aug. 30, 2013 Oct. 10 - Nov. 30, 2013	1 Bear/tag 2 Bears/calendar year	\$300.00	\$25.00	200	Same
Mountain Lion	Jan. 1 - Dec. 31, 2013	1 Lion/tag 2 Lions/calendar year	\$300.00	\$25.00	100	Same

Mtn. Lion & Coyote	Oct. 10 - Dec. 30, 2012	1 Lion and unlimited	None	305	Same
Self-guided Elk Combo		Coyotes			
Bobcat	Nov. 1 '12 - Mar. 31 '13	1 Bobcat	\$5.00	25	Same
Coyote	Nov. 5 '12 - Feb. 5 '13	Unlimited	\$5.00	30	Same
	May 5 - June 30, 2013				
Fox	Nov. 5 '12 - Feb. 5 '13	5 Season/Permit			
	May 5 - June 30, 2013				
Small Game					
Tree Squirrels	Oct. 20 - Nov. 18, 2012	10/Day	\$50.00 Annual/\$10.00 Daily	Unlimited	Same
Cottontail	Oct. 20, '11 - Jan. 13 '13	10/Day	\$50.00 Annual/\$10.00 Daily	Unlimited	Same
Quail	Oct. 13 - Dec. 31, 2012	8/Day	\$50.00 Annual/\$10.00 Daily	Unlimited	Same
Doves/Pigeons	According to Federal Regulations		Regulations available August 2008		
Waterfowl	According to Federal Regulations		Regulations available August 2008		