



# WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

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

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## **Resolution No. 01-2013-16**

### **( Direct Scholarship Review Committee to Reconsider Alyandra Aday's Application )**

**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,** on this day, Alyandra Aday did appear before the Tribal Council to request any funding available to her that could support her in her pursuit of higher education; and

**WHEREAS,** after exhausting all avenues, including visiting the Education Department, Land Restoration, and other agencies, Ms. Aday hereby requests Tribal consideration of her special circumstances and further requests financial aid in the amount of approximately \$1,500.00 to pay for the costs associated with her prior enrollment. Until Ms. Aday pays her tuition in full, she is not eligible to enroll for the upcoming term.

**WHEREAS,** the Education Department, in conjunction with the Hon-Dah Casino, has access to funding for higher education, however, because students enrolled in summer sessions are prohibited from receiving such funding, Ms. Aday is unable to receive aid; and

**WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council is unable to provide funding directly on behalf of the Tribe, however, due to the circumstances and the Tribal Council's strong support of Tribal member education, the Tribal Council finds that a one-time exception to the policy prohibiting Ms. Aday from receiving aid is in order and therefore directs the Scholarship Review Committee to make an exception for Alyandra Aday.


**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs the Scholarship Review Committee at Hon-Dah Casino to make an exception to the policies for Alyandra Aday in order to support her pursuit of higher education. Ms. Aday shall present full documentation to support her request and must provide a copy of the outstanding bill that is prohibiting her from enrolling for the upcoming term.

**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.

**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.

The foregoing resolution was on **JANUARY 2, 2013** duly adopted by a vote of **SIX** 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), (b), (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).

  
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Ronnie Lupe, Chairman

1-4-13  
Date

  
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Mariddie J. Craig, Secretary

01/04/2013  
Date