

WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

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

Resolution No. 03-2014-31

(Authorizing the Office of Planning and Community Development to Apply for the FY2014 Coordinated Tribal Assistance Solicitation)

- 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, Bureau of Indian Affairs 638 contract funding for Justice Programs and Services are insufficient to meet the needs of the White Mountain Apache Tribe; and
- WHEREAS, a funding opportunity exists in the form of the Department of Justice's FY2014 Coordinated Tribal Assistance Solicitation ("CTAS") Grant Program that would enable the Tribe to supplement BIA 638 contract funding to develop and enhance justice programs and services for the members of the White Mountain Apache Tribe.
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council finds it in the best interest of the White Mountain Apache Tribe to authorize the White Mountain Apache Police Department and the Office of Planning and Community Development to submit a grant application to the Department of Justice.
- **BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes the Office of Planning and Community Development to prepare and submit an application to the Department of Justice for the CTAS Program on behalf of the Tribe's Justice Program and Services.
- **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, or any material facts concerning the issues presented are later found to be false, 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 MARCH 6, 2014 duly adopted by a vote of SEVEN for and ZERO against with ZERO abstentions by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to the authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (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

Mariddie J. Craig, Secretary

Date