



# WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

A Sovereign Tribal Nation

## ( Approval to Provide Assistance for Burial Expenses )

**WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council has been advised that Nelson Lupe III, grandson of Tribal Chairman, Ronnie Lupe, passed away and that funeral arrangements are pending; and

**WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council extends its sincere sympathy to the Lupe family; and

**WHEREAS,** in recognition of Tribal Chairman Lupe's public service to the White Mountain Apache Tribe, the Tribal Council finds that the Tribe should assume certain expenses over and above those normally provided through the burial services account.

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes the Tribal Treasurer to pay for the funeral expense for the decedent, Nelson Lupe III, through the already budgeted burial expense account in the amount of \$1,500.00, payable to Edlina Thompson.

**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 any material facts concerning the issues presented are later found to be false, this Resolution shall be deemed null and void and have no legal effect.

**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 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.

The foregoing resolution was on APRIL 23, 2018 duly adopted by a vote of SIX for, ZERO against, and ONE abstentions by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it under the enumerated powers listed in Article IV, Section 1 of the WMAT Constitution, so ratified on September 30, 1993, and federally recognized pursuant to Section 16 of the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

  
Ronnie Lupe, Tribal Chairman

4-23-2018  
Date

  
Doreen T. Numkena, Tribal Secretary

4-23-2018  
Date