



WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

A Sovereign Tribal Nation

(Placing the WMA Queen Pageant under the Office of the Chairwoman and the WMA Princess Pageant under the Office of the Vice-Chairman.)

WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Queen (“Queen”) and the White Mountain Apache Princess (“Princess”) are recognized as the official ambassadors of the White Mountain Apache Tribe; and

WHEREAS, over recent years, the Queen and Princess titleholders, along with their committees, have had the responsibility of organizing their respective pageants at the end of their year-long reign; and

WHEREAS, Chairwoman Lee-Gatewood and Vice-Chairman Kasey recognize the hardship of organizing the Tribal-wide pageants on the titleholders and their families; and therefore, they seek to ease that burden and provide much needed resources and assistance by sponsoring the Queen and Princess Pageants; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council finds it in the best interest of the Tribe’s official Queen and Princess ambassadors that the responsibility of the pageants be placed under the direction of the Offices of the Chairwoman and Vice-Chairman respectively.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby places the White Mountain Apache Queen Pageant under the Office of the Chairwoman and the White Mountain Apache Princess Pageant under the Office of the Vice-Chairman henceforth, beginning with the 2019 Queen and Princess pageants.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby acknowledges that the financial sponsorship of the Queen and Princess pageants, including but not limited to fees for awards and rentals, will be carried out through the fundraising and solicitation of donation efforts of the Offices of the Chairwoman and Vice-Chairman respectively, and not through the Tribal budget.

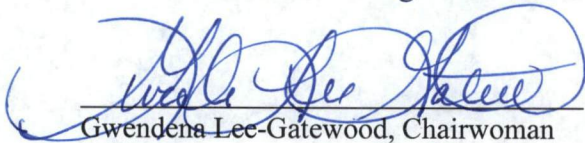
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs that in the event this Resolution directly conflicts with the Tribal Constitution, Tribal Ordinances, or any material facts concerning the issues presented are later found to be false, this Resolution 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.

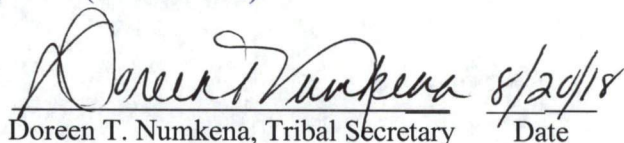
Resolution No. 07-2018-148

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Chairwoman, or in her 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 **JULY 11, 2018** duly adopted by a vote of **NINE** for, **ZERO** against, and **ZERO** 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).


Gwendena Lee-Gatewood, Chairwoman

8/20/18
Date


Doreen T. Numkena, Tribal Secretary

8/20/18
Date