

WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

A Sovereign Tribal Nation

(Approval of Authority to Apply for the Office for Victims of Crime FY 2018
Tribal Victim Services Set-Aside Program)

- WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribal Justice System is responsible for upholding the rule of law, which includes the promotion of justice and healing for all victims of crime; and
- WHEREAS, there exists a critical need for the White Mountain Apache Tribal Justice System to enhance its capacity to assist crime victims and to improve services for victims of crime; and
- WHEREAS, a funding opportunity is available in the amount of \$720,000 through the Office for Victims of Crime FY 2018 Tribal Victim Services Set-Aside Program; and
- WHEREAS, these funds will support activities which will enable the White Mountain Apache Tribal Justice System to increase its capacity to assist crime victims and to improve services for victims of crime.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes the Tribal Court to apply for funds available through the Office for Victims of Crime FY 2018 Tribal Victim Services Set-Aside Program to fund activities that will promote justice and healing for all victims of crime.

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 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 <u>AUGUST 01, 2018</u> duly adopted by a vote of <u>TEN</u> for, <u>ZERO</u> against, and <u>ZERO</u> 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

Date

Doreen T. Numkena, Tribal Secretary

Date