



WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

A Sovereign Tribal Nation

(Approving Certification of General Election Results)

WHEREAS, Article VI of the Tribal Constitution of the White Mountain Apache Tribe requires regular elections to be held for Tribal Council; and

WHEREAS, The General Election was held by the White Mountain Apache Tribe on Wednesday, April 1, 2020, wherein Tribal Council candidates who were certified to the Tribal Council on February 6, 2020 submitted their names to a vote of the people for Council Offices in Districts I, II, III and IV; and

WHEREAS, The Tribal Election Commission has certified to the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the General Election is complete and has been carried out in accordance with provisions of the Tribal Constitution and the Election Code of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, and has certified that of the total of 2,712 ballots cast, the following number of votes were received by the individuals listed below whose names were on the ballot for the following offices:

DISTRICT I: (Cibecue/Oak Creek/Grasshopper)

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| 1. Tony Alsenay | <u>248</u> |
| 2. Arnold Beach, Sr. | <u>274</u> |

DISTRICT II: (Carrizo/Forestdale/Cedar Creek)

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| 1. Jerold Altaha | <u>68</u> |
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DISTRICT III: (East Fork/Turkey Creek/Seven Mile)

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| 1. Aubrey Aday, Sr. | <u>371</u> |
| 2. Ralph Thomas | <u>215</u> |

DISTRICT IV: (Canyon Day/Whiteriver/North Fork/Hon-Dah/McNary)

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| 1. Angeline Lee | <u>698</u> |
| 2. Kasey Velasquez | <u>838</u> |

and

WHEREAS, A true copy of the Election Commission Certification of Election Results is attached and incorporated by this reference; and

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WHEREAS, The Tribal Council concurs with the Certification of the General Election Results presented by the Tribal Election Commission and concludes that the Commission's certification should be affirmed and accepted by the Tribal Council.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that pursuant to Chapter 5 of the Tribal Election Code, the Certification of General Election Results submitted by the Tribal Election Commission for the Council Representatives for Districts I, II, III and IV is hereby accepted and the attached Certification of General Election Results is hereby incorporated into this resolution by reference.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Tribal Council positions which were the subject of this election shall be filled as follows:

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| <u>DISTRICT I:</u> | Arnold Beach, Sr. |
| <u>DISTRICT II:</u> | Jerold Altaha |
| <u>DISTRICT III:</u> | Aubrey Aday, Sr. |
| <u>DISTRICT IV:</u> | Kasey Velasquez |

The foregoing resolution was on **April 2, 2020** duly adopted by a vote of **ELEVEN** 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 4/2/2020
Date


Doreen T. Numkena, Tribal Secretary 4/2/2020
Date