



WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

A Sovereign Tribal Nation

(Requesting that the Bureau of Indian Affairs Renew the Tribe's Existing P.L. 93-638 Contracts)

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Article IV, Section 1(b) of the Constitution of the White Mountain Apache Tribe ("Tribe"), the Tribal Council ("Council") has the authority "To negotiate, make and perform contracts and agreements of every description, not inconsistent with Federal law or this constitution, with any person, association or corporation, with any municipality or an county, or with the State of Arizona or the United States..."; and

WHEREAS, The Tribe has managed the following programs listed pursuant to a P.L. 93-638 (25 U.S.C. §450 *et seq.*) contract with the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Interior:

Social Services	Agriculture	Safety of Dams
Hydrology-Water Resources	Early Warning System	Sensitive Species
Wildlife & Parks	Fisheries	Realty Services Program
Probate Services	EQS-Historic Preservation	Tribal Scholarships
Tribal Adult Education	Johnson O'Malley	Tribal Courts
Community Fire Protection	Job Placement & Training	Law Enforcement
Adult Detention Center	Housing Improvement	Child Find
Forest Management	Forestry Development (Thinning)	

; and

WHEREAS, The Council finds that requesting that the Bureau of Indian Affairs renew the P.L. 93-638 contract for the above-listed programs will help the Tribe be able to continue to provide necessary public services and is best interests of the Tribe and its members.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that:

1. The Secretary of the U.S. Department of Interior, by and through the Bureau of Indian Affairs, is hereby requested to contract the federal functions identified below, pursuant to the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act (P.L. 93-638, 25 U.S.C. §450, *et seq.*):

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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 deemed 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 Vice-Chairman, is hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

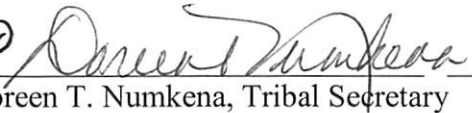
The foregoing resolution was on **JULY 1, 2020** duly adopted by a vote of **11** for, **0** against, and **0** abstention by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it under the enumerated powers listed in Article IV, Section 1 of the WMAT Constitution, 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

Date

7/9/2020



Doreen T. Numkena, Tribal Secretary

11-9-2020

Date

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