



WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

A Sovereign Tribal Nation

(Authorizing Burial of Non-Tribal Member Jasper Bead on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation)

WHEREAS, The Tribal Council has been advised that Jasper Bead, a member of the San Carlos Apache Tribe who was married for over 40 years to White Mountain Apache Tribal Member Latashya (Garland) Bead, has passed away; and

WHEREAS, The family requests authorization for Mr. Bead to be buried at Manzanita Cemetery in Eastfork on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation (“Reservation”); and

WHEREAS, Although Mr. Bead was not a member of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, he resided on the Reservation for several decades and has Tribal member children and grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, The Tribal Council finds that the request provided herein is consistent with the culture and tradition of White Mountain Apache Tribe who extends their sympathy to the family.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby grants permission to the family to arrange the burial of Jasper Bead at the Manzanita Cemetery in Eastfork.

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 **NOVEMBER 23, 2020** duly adopted by a vote of **TEN** 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

12/1/2020

Date

Doreen T. Numkena, Tribal Secretary

12-1-2020

Date