



# WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

A Sovereign Tribal Nation

## (Authorizing Issuance of a Film Permit for an Outdoor Rafting Adventure on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation)

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**WHEREAS,** The Constitution of the White Mountain Apache Tribe ("Tribe") of the Fort Apache Indian Reservation provides, at Article IV, Section 1(a) that the Tribal Council ("Council") shall exercise the power, "To represent the Tribe and act in all matters that concern the welfare of the Tribe..."; and

**WHEREAS,** Carey Fiock of Road's End Films, Inc. is requesting authorization to film a rafting adventure on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation ("Reservation"); and

**WHEREAS,** The filming will take place March 12 and 13, 2021, and the filmmakers will adhere to COVID-19 related protocols and safety measures; and

**WHEREAS,** A White Mountain Apache Game Ranger will remain in the company of the filming crew at all times for the duration of the filming project; and

**WHEREAS,** The Council finds that authorizing a film permit will portray the Tribe, the Reservation, and the Salt River Canyon in a positive light, and is in the best interests of the Tribe and its members.

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that a film permit to Carey Fiock and Road's End Films, Inc. is hereby authorized subject to negotiation of necessary terms with the Tribe's Office of the Attorney General, and issuance by that Office.

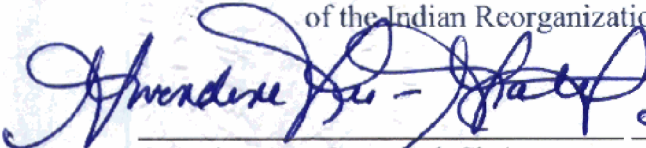
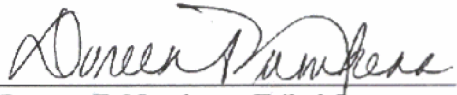
**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs that in the event this Resolution directly conflicts with the Tribal Constitution, Tribal Ordinances, or any material facts concerning the issues presented are later found to be false, this Resolution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

**Resolution No. 02-2021-16**

The foregoing resolution was on **FEBRUARY 10, 2021** duly adopted by a vote of **NINE** for, **ZERO** against, and **ONE** 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).

 2/18/21  2/18/2021

Gwendena Lee-Gatewood, Chairwoman

Date

Doreen T. Numkena, Tribal Secretary

Date