

RESOLUTION OF THE
WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE OF THE
FORT APACHE INDIAN RESERVATION

WHEREAS, the Tribal Constitution of the White Mountain Apache Tribe calls for regular elections to be held for the election of council members; and

WHEREAS, there are four seat which will be up for election in April of 1988 and the tribal election law calls for a primary election to be held in order to determine the candidates whose names will appear on the general election ballot in April; and

WHEREAS, a primary election was held by the tribe on Wednesday, February 3, 1988, for District II, Carrizo, Forestdale and Cedar Creek, wherein three candidates submitted their names to a vote of the people in order to determine which two of the three will appear on the general election ballot in April; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Election Commission has certified to the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the primary election is complete and has been carried out in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 3 of the Government Code of the White Mountain Apache Tribe and has certified that of a total district vote of 382 votes, the following number of votes were received by the following individuals:

(1)	Lafe Altaha	190
(2)	Reagan Armstrong Sr.	124
(3)	Gertie Lupe	68

and have certified that the two candidates receiving the first highest and second highest votes have qualified to have their names appear on the General Election Ballot in April and those individuals are Lafe Altaha and Reagan Armstrong, Sr. and a copy of the Election Commission certification is attached hereto and incorporated herein; and

WHEREAS, the Election Commission further informs the Tribal Council that it was not necessary to have a primary election in Districts I, III, and IV due to the fact that only two candidates from each of the districts submitted nomination petitions for the election and therefore after having qualified pursuant to the nominated petition procedure are eligible to have their names appear on the ballot of the General Election in April; and

WHEREAS, the Election Commission informs the Tribal Council that the following individuals have qualified by submitting the required nominating petitions to the Tribal Council Secretary and are eligible as candidates in the 1988 General Election

DISTRICT I

(1) Marjorie Grimes (2) Ronnie Lupe

DISTRICT III

(1) Carlos Nosie (2) Matthew Nozie

DISTRICT IV

(1) Frank Johnny Endfield, Jr. (2) Herbert Tate

WHEREAS, the Tribal Election Commission has indicated that these individuals should be certified as candidates by the Tribal Council in the General Election; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council concurs with the certifications presented by the Tribal Election Commission and is of the opinion that certification should be affirmed and accepted by the Tribal Council.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the certification of election results submitted by the Tribal Election Commission for District II, Carrizo, Cedar Creek and Forestdale is hereby accepted and the attached certification of election results incorporated into this resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the candidates whose names will appear on the General Election Ballot for the 1988 General Election of the White Mountain Apache Tribe are as follows:

DISTRICT I; Cibecue

(1) Marjorie Grimes, (2) Ronnie Lupe

DISTRICT II; Carrizo, Forestdale and Cedar Creek

(1) Lafe Altaha, (2) Reagan Armstrong Sr.

DISTRICT III; Seven Mile, East Fork

(1) Matthew Nozie (2) Carlos Nosie

DISTRICT IV; Whiteriver, Canyon Day, North Fork

(1) Frank Johnny Endfield, Jr. (2) Herbert Tate

The foregoing resolution was on February 4, 1988, duly adopted by a vote of TEN for and ZERO against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article V, Section 1(a) of the Amended Constitution and Bylaws of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe June 27, 1958, and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on May 29, 1958, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

Alvin Hawkins
Chairman of the Tribal Council

Maridie J. Craig
Secretary of the Tribal Council

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**Fort Apache Indian Agency
White River, Arizona**

CERTIFICATION OF ELECTION RESULTS

The Election Commission of the White Mountain Apache Tribe hereby certifies to the Tribal Council that the 1988 Primary Election for the selection of Tribal Council candidates whose names will appear on the ballot for the April 6, 1988, General Election is complete and has been carried out in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 3 of the Government Code of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, and the election results are as follows:

DISTRICT II, Carrizo, Forestdale and Cedar Creek:

Votes Cast:

1. CARRIZO	58	TOTAL BALLOTS CAST IN DISTRICT II
2. CEDAR CREEK	300	
3. FORESTDALE	13	
4. ABSENTEE	11	
		<u>382</u>

CANDIDATES

TOTAL VOTES RECEIVED

1. Lafe Altaha	<u>190</u>
2. Reagan Armstrong, Sr.	<u>124</u>
3. Gertie Lupe	<u>68</u>

Based upon the Primary Election results, the Commission hereby certifies the following individuals as candidates in the General Election to be held on April 6, 1988:

LAFE ALTAHA

REAGAN ARMSTRONG, SR.

CERTIFIED this 3rd day of February, 1988.

Virgil Kessay
Virgil Kessay, Chairman
WMAT Election Commission

Mariddie J. Craig
Mariddie Craig, Secretary
WMAT Election Commission

Hedy Beatty
Hedy Beatty, Member
WMAT Election Commission

Myrna G. Hillyard
Myrna Hillyard, Member
WMAT Election Commission

Anthony Cooley
Anthony Cooley, Member
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Paul Kuehl
Paul Kuehl, Member

Scott Canty
Scott Canty, Legal Advisor

FINAL ABSTRACT FOR PRIMARY ELECTION

February 3, 1988

	Lafe Altaha	Reagan Armstrong, Sr.	Gertie C. Lupe	Total Votes Precinct
Forestdale Precinct	2	2	9	13
Carrizo Precinct	28	24	6	58
Cedar Creek Precinct	156	94	50	300
Absentee Voting	4	4	3	11
TOTAL	190	124	68	382

Total Eligible Voters	<u>906</u>
Total Votes Casts	<u>382</u>
Total Votes Rejected	<u>-0-</u>
Percentage Voting	<u>41.16%</u>