

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

WHEREAS, the Department of Justice, through a Grant to Encourage Arrest, has provided funding for a Domestic Violence Judge; and

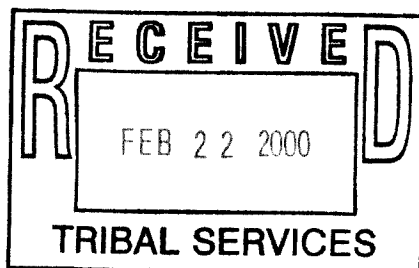
WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 2.9 of the Judicial Code of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, the Tribal Council has the responsibility of appointing Tribal Court Judges based upon nominations; and

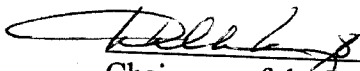
WHEREAS, Tribal member Joanna Hinton has been nominated for the judiciary and meets all the qualifications set forth in the Judicial Code to serve as a Tribal Court Judge; and

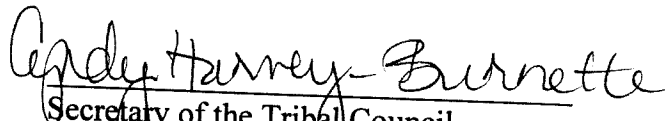
WHEREAS, the Tribal Council concurs that Joanna Hinton has the background, wisdom and compassion to effectively serve as Tribal Court Judge and should be appointed as Domestic Violence Judge of the Tribal Court.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council that Joanna Hinton is hereby appointed Domestic Violence Judge of the White Mountain Apache Tribal Court.

The foregoing resolution was on ~~January~~ ^{February} 10, 2000, duly adopted by a vote of SEVEN for, ZERO against, and ONE abstention by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (q), (t) and (u) of the Constitution of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe September 30, 1993, and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on November 12, 1993, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).




Chairman of the Tribal Council


Secretary of the Tribal Council