

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

- WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council finds the cardiovascular disease (CVD) linked to diabetes is a major concern for the White Mountain Apache People due to the fact that CVD is the number one cause of death for people that have diabetes; and
- WHEREAS,** the White Mountain Apache Tribe desires the assistance of Indian Health Service to enhance the capability of the Whiteriver Service Unit Indian Health Service along with various Tribal Health Departments to address and prevent cardiovascular disease; and
- WHEREAS,** the White Mountain Apache Tribe agrees to allow the Whiteriver Indian Health Service's Department of Diabetes Management to apply for and receive funding for the Cardiovascular demonstration project with the understanding that the potential amount of \$400,000.00 per year for four years will be granted to the Whiteriver Service Unit; and
- WHEREAS,** the funding will facilitate the hiring of essential personnel (Director/Coordinator, Data Manager, Physicians and pharmacist, and clerical staff), as well as to purchase essential equipment and supplies necessary; and
- WHEREAS,** the White Mountain Apache Tribe and Whiteriver Service Unit Indian Health Service is in general agreement that the proposed grant will provide much needed services and equipment that will benefit the people of the White Mountain Apache Tribe.
- WHEREAS,** it is in the best interest of the Tribe to support such efforts that will help prevent cardiovascular disease and complications of cardiovascular disease; and
- WHEREAS,** the White Mountain Apache Tribe Division of Health Programs is in support of working collaboratively with the Whiteriver Service Unit Indian Health Service in effort to prevent cardiovascular disease and its complications; and
- WHEREAS,** the White Mountain Apache Tribe understands the importance of outcomes of this demonstration project to future funding of the Special Diabetes Program Initiative; and

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**WHEREAS,** the White Mountain Apache Tribe approves that Whiteriver Indian Health Service complies with reporting results such as, National Diabetes Program Initiative SDPI / Indian Health Service Reports, regular briefings of the Tribal Leaders Diabetes Consultations, congressional testimony, and supporting documents, presentations to appropriate advocacy groups, other potential funding agencies, other SDPI grantees, I/T/U diabetes programs, and scientific presentation/publication; and

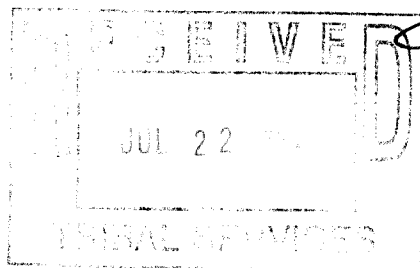
**WHEREAS,** the White Mountain Apache Tribe will review and give approval prior to dissemination of any information that is generated from this demonstration project; and


**WHEREAS,** the White Mountain Apache Tribe and Apache Diabetes Wellness Center expects the IHS Whiteriver Service Unit to implement a plan to assume responsibility of grant reporting as stipulated in the grant; and

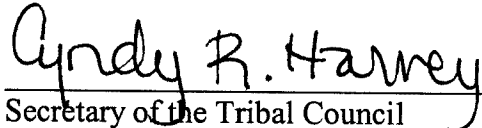
**WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council supports all efforts in applying for the Special Diabetes Program Initiative Competitive Grant Program (SDPI).

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby encourages Whiteriver Service Unit Indian Health Service to apply for the SDPI Competitive Grant Program demonstration project in order to prevent cardiovascular disease in White Mountain Apache Tribe.

The foregoing resolution was on July 6, 2004 duly adopted by the vote of SIX for and ZERO against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by article IV, Section 1 (a), (h), (i), (k), (s), (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).

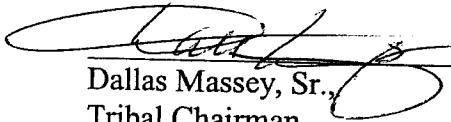


  
Chairman of the Tribal Council

  
Secretary of the Tribal Council

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Signatures of the members of the Tribal Council represent their approval of Tribal Council Resolution No. 07-2004-130.

  
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Tribal Chairman  
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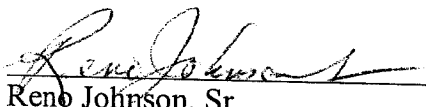
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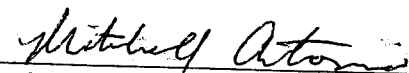
  
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Cyndy R. Harvey, Tribal Council Secretary  
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