



Resolution No. 11-2005-305

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

**(Approving publication of manuscript from the Johns Hopkins University entitled, "Long-term Effect of PnCRM7 Vaccine on Nasopharyngeal Carriage")**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the Constitution of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, Article IV, Section 1(a), *inter alia*, the Tribal Council has the authority to represent the tribe and act in all matters that concern the welfare of the Tribe; and

**WHEREAS**, health and well-being of Tribal Members remains a major concern; and

**WHEREAS**, the Tribal Council supports carefully designed research projects to evaluate health problems which exist in the Tribe's population and to develop appropriate interventions which seek to decrease or alleviate these problems; and

**WHEREAS**, Johns Hopkins University has this day requested permission to publish a manuscript entitled, "*Long-term Effect of PnCRM7 Vaccine on Nasopharyngeal Carriage*", based upon research conducted within the exterior boundaries of the Fort Apache Indian Reservation; and

**WHEREAS**, the manuscript reports on the follow-up nasopharyngeal colonization study following the conjugate pneumococcal vaccine trial from protocols entitled, "A Double-Blinded, Controlled Study of the Efficacy, Immunogenicity, Safety and Tolerability, and Effectiveness of a Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine Containing Seven Serotypes (6B, 14, 19F, 23F, 18C, 4 and 9V) Compared to a Control Meningococcal C Vaccine in Navajo and Apache Indian Infants" (NNR-97-18) and "Effect of Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine on Nasopharyngeal Colonization among Adult Household Contacts of Vaccinated Children (NNR-01-85)."

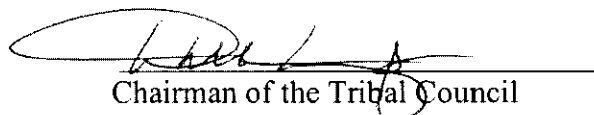
**WHEREAS**, the manuscript, if approved, will be submitted for publication in the periodical, *Clinical Infectious Diseases*, and

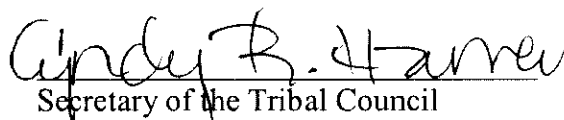
**WHEREAS**, the Tribal Council, after careful consideration and review, finds the publication of the study in the best interests of the Tribe.

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby approves that the manuscript be submitted for publication, and that upon publication Johns Hopkins University provide a copy thereof.

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The foregoing resolution was on November 9, 2005, duly adopted by a vote of SIX for and ZERO against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to the authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (b), (j), (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