

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

(Approving the grant application and accepting the award (if granted) for the BIA Indian Highway Safety Program and authorizing the Chief of Police to manage the Program)

WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribe is concerned over the high rate of motor vehicle crashes reported and the increasing numbers of traffic fatalities involving tribal members with a large percentage of the fatalities stemming from alcohol usage as a cause; and

WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribe and the White Mountain Apache Police Department is interested in developing a Traffic Services Unit within the Police Department which will concentrate on more visible highway patrols, Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol detection and prevention, and otherwise a more visible patrol on the reservation highway systems; and

WHEREAS, the police department is interested in developing their records management system whereby periodic records analysis may be possible with the resulting analytical assessments made available to the Tribal Council, Bureau of Indian Affairs Roads Department, Indian Health Service on Injury Prevention studies, and to the Arizona Department of Transportation for highway safety analysis; and

WHEREAS, the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Indian Highway Safety program has indicated funding may be available to fund reimbursement costs to the White Mountain Apache Tribe for participation in the Indian Highway Safety project and fund two police officer positions to concentrate on highway patrols, roadside check-points, cover costs of fuel for police vehicles and pay some overtime costs for officers to assist in roadside check-points; and


WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Police Department has participated in the Indian Highway Safety project over the past year and wishes to continue with this project and seek additional funds for four police officer positions and some support costs, and therefore requests that the Tribal Council approve its grant application (for year 2006/2007) and award (if granted) to fund the above referenced costs on a reimbursement basis; and

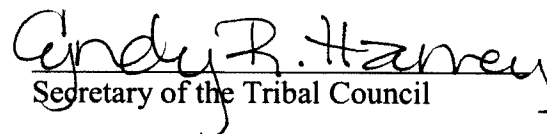
WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribal Council believes it is in the Tribe's best interest to participate in the Indian Highway Safety project

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby:

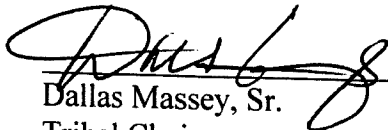
1. Approves the grant application for participation in the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Indian Highway Safety program to provide at least two and possibly up to four police officers, fuel and overtime costs on a cost reimbursement basis for the reduction of impaired motorists and to investigate traffic accidents.
2. Accepts the grant award for the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Indian Highway Safety program, in the event it is approved by the Bureau of Indian Affairs.
3. Authorizes expenditure of tribal funds for the purposes of cost reimbursement for this grant award (if approved by the Bureau of Indian Affairs), as available.
4. Authorizes the Tribal Chief of Police to manage the Indian Highway Safety project on behalf of the Tribe.
5. Authorizes the Tribal Chairman to sign all documents necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

The foregoing resolution was on April 26, 2006, duly adopted by a vote of 6 for and 0 against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to the authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (j), (s), (t) and (u) of the Constitution of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe on 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

Signatures of the members of the Tribal Council represent their approval of Tribal Resolution
No. 04-2006-132 . Dated this 26th day of April , 2006.



Dallas Massey, Sr.
Tribal Chairman

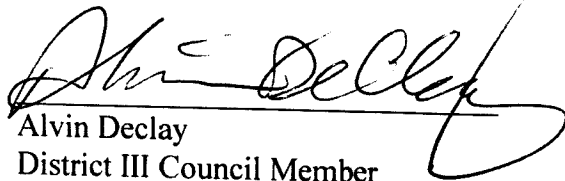
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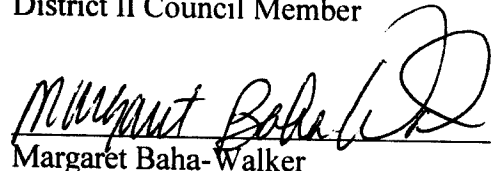
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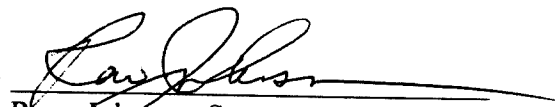
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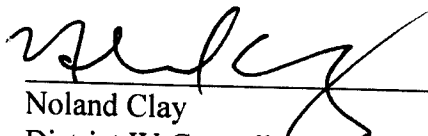

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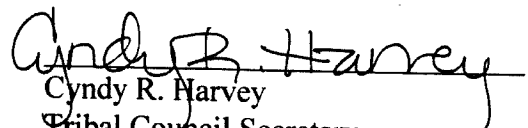

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