



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

**(Authorizing Housing Assistance for Gwendolyn Cheney)**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Article IV, Section 1(a) of the Constitution of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, *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**, Gwendolyn Cheney did this day come before the Tribal Council to request housing assistance; and

**WHEREAS**, while Ms. Cheney applied for housing over a year ago, she seeks priority consideration given certain personal circumstances; and

**WHEREAS**, Ms. Cheney also informed the Tribal Council about her knowledge of child abuse occurring at a group home in Chandler and in Snowflake; and

**WHEREAS**, after consideration, the Tribal Council finds that the Housing Authority and CDC should place Ms. Cheney for priority housing given the circumstances of her case.

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Housing Authority and CDC are hereby requested to place Gwendolyn Cheney as a priority for housing.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that:

1. The Tribe's Child Protective Services is hereby directed to investigate Ms. Cheney's allegations and secure Ms. Cheney's children for their protection.
2. CPS is further directed to report to the Tribal Council on the policies and procedures for placements and the use of group homes at its next regularly scheduled meeting.
3. The Tribal Attorney is hereby directed to evaluate CPS policies and procedures.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Chairman, or in his absence, the Vice Chairwoman, is hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

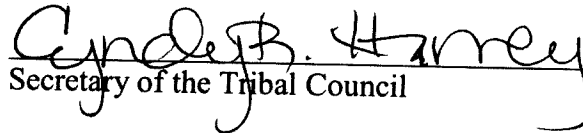
The foregoing resolution was on APRIL 26, 2007 duly adopted by a vote of NINE for and ZERO against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to the authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (b), (s), (t), and (u) of the Constitution of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe

**Resolution No. 04 -2007-149**

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