



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

**(Approval of Land Board meeting minutes for December 20, 2007)**

**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,** Raymus Albert, Land Office Director, has come before the Tribal Council this date requesting approval of the Land Board meeting minutes for December 20, 2007; and

**WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council, after reviewing the Land Board meeting minutes, agrees that the Land Board meeting minutes for December 20, 2007 should be approved.

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby approves the Land Board meeting minutes for December 20, 2007.

The foregoing resolution was on January 11, 2008, duly adopted by a vote of EIGHT 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), (h), (i), (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).

  
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Chairman of the Tribal Council

  
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Secretary of the Tribal Council

**WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE**  
**LAND OFFICE**  
**LAND BOARD MEETING**  
**December 20, 2007**  
**Minutes**

Land Board Members Present;

Justin Williams, President: Pedro Johnson, Member: Rachel Endfield, Member: Emily Martine,  
Member: Bernice Caddo, Member: Elva Lomayaktewa, Secretary:

No one absent:

1. **Isaiah Clawson** – Requesting for land in Whiteriver near the cemetery, Board approved the request.
2. **Miles Davis** – Requesting to relinquish his land in Canyon Day and wanting a land near Bear Canyon. Board suggested that he relinquish to his brother. Board approved application for land near Bear Canyon. Mr. Miles will talk to his brother and will return to the next meeting with papers.
3. **Rosenda Hudson** - Requesting for land in Cibecue across from the sawmill, she was approved to get a mobile trailer home instead of HIP house. McDaniel found a lot for her, board approved the application.
4. **Tiffany Lupe** – Requesting for lot #10 in Hondah, Board approved the request.
5. **Daryl Metts** – Requesting for land in Hondah near Regina Henry, Board approved the request.
6. **Eloise Walker** – Requesting for land in Canyon Day across the Assembly of God Church that her mother is relinquishing to her. The board would like for McDaniel to check into this area before approving. On Hold.
7. **Kelvin Nosie** – Applying for land in Seven Mile, which is being relinquished to him by his mother Cheryl Comanche. Board approved the request.
8. **Melinda Altaha** – Requesting for land in Whiteriver, near the cemetery, and also relinquishing land in Canyon Day back to Tribe. Board approved the request.
9. **Kessay Family/Doreen Pacheco** – Requesting to update their farmland application. Ms. Pacheco's late mother Ms. Kessay left a Last Will and Testament for this farmland to be shared equally among her children. Board approved the request.
10. **Evan Paxson Sr.**, - Updating farmland application for Canyon Day District, and requesting to put his children on the application with him. Board approved the request.
11. **Kevin Roehrig** – Applying for land in Turkey Creek, that is being relinquish to him by his mother Nancy Nash. Board approved both request.
12. **Marlinda Clendon** – Applying for land in East Fork that is relinquished to her by Orita Billy, which was Josephine Gass's land (deceased). Board approved the request.
13. **Nellie Cosay** – Applying for land in Whiteriver near the School District Bus Barn. Board approved the request.
14. **Cynthia Palmer** – Applying for land in Round Top that is being relinquished to her by Rosita Bullock. Board approved both request.
15. **Lester Tonay Jr.**, - Applying for land, but don't have the sketch of area down, Board denied request.

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16. **Louellen Cosay** – Applying for land in Canyon Day on Northside. Board approved the request.
17. **Daniel Gordon** – Applying for land in Whiteriver near mothers resident, His mother Rosie Gordon is relinquishing land to him but the requested acres is not available. The board suggested that a letter be written to Ms.Gordon.

**Meeting adjourned at 11:50 A.M.**

**Land and Farmland approved:**

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| 1. <b>Isaiah Clawson</b>     | <b>Whiteriver</b>          |
| 2. <b>Miles Davis</b>        | <b>Canyon Day</b>          |
| 3. <b>Rosenda Hudson</b>     | <b>Cibecue</b>             |
| 4. <b>Tiffany N. Lupe</b>    | <b>Hondah</b>              |
| 5. <b>Daryl Metts</b>        | <b>Hondah</b>              |
| 6. <b>Kelvin Nosie</b>       | <b>Seven Mile</b>          |
| 7. <b>Melinda J. Ataha</b>   | <b>Whiteriver</b>          |
| 8. <b>Kessay Family</b>      | <b>Farmland</b>            |
| 9. <b>Evan Paxson/family</b> | <b>Farmland/Canyon Day</b> |
| 10. <b>Kevin Roehrig</b>     | <b>Turkey Creek</b>        |
| 11. <b>Marlinda Clendon</b>  | <b>East Fork</b>           |
| 12. <b>Nellie Cosay</b>      | <b>Whiteriver</b>          |
| 13. <b>Cynthia Palmer</b>    | <b>Round Top</b>           |
| 14. <b>Louellen Cosay</b>    | <b>Canyon Day</b>          |

**Application on hold/denied:**

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| 1. <b>Daniel Gordon</b> | <b>Whiteriver</b> |
| 2. <b>Eloise Walker</b> | <b>Canyon Day</b> |
| 3. <b>Lester Tonay</b>  | <b>Cibecue</b>    |

**Relinquishments approved:**

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| 1. <b>Cheryl Comanche</b> | <b>Kelvin Nosie</b>     | <b>Seven Mile</b>   |
| 2. <b>Nancy Nash</b>      | <b>Kevin Roehrig</b>    | <b>Turkey Creek</b> |
| 3. <b>Orita Billy</b>     | <b>Marlinda Clendon</b> | <b>East Fork</b>    |
| 4. <b>Rostia Bullock</b>  | <b>Cynthia Palmer</b>   | <b>Round Top</b>    |
| 5. <b>Melinda Ataha</b>   | <b>Tribe</b>            | <b>Canyon Day</b>   |