



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

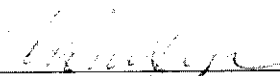
(Approval of Data Presentation at Annual Conferences)

- WHEREAS,** pursuant to Article IV, Section 1(a) and 1(s) 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,** members of the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe are duly elected representatives of the people of their respective districts, and among the many issues of concern to the Council are the health and well-being of its Tribal member; and
- WHEREAS,** members of the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe support carefully designed research projects which aim to raise the level of health of all residents of the Reservation; and
- WHEREAS,** White Mountain Apache Tribe/Johns Hopkins University (WMAT/JHU) Celebrating Life and Empowering Our Spirit studies are under the WMAT NARCH and SAMHSA programs; and
- WHEREAS,** Johns Hopkins is requesting permission to present data from these two studies at a variety of annual conferences over the next year (December 2008 to December 2009); and
- WHEREAS,** this will include APHA, SAMHSA GLS Tribal Grantee, NARCH/NIH Annual Meeting, AACAP, AAS, ABCT, HIS Research Conference, STIPDA, and any other conferences that we are invited to on dates to be determined; and
- WHEREAS,** all data presented will have no personal identifiers and from the above-mentioned studies with minor edits, and all information contained in these presentations will be submitted for the purpose of sharing the exciting outcomes of this research.

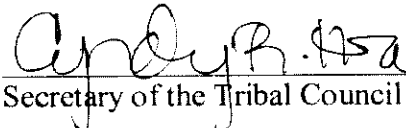
BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby approves data from the Celebrating Life and Empowering Our Spirits studies to be presented at the above-named conferences with consideration that there will be minor edits pertaining to each presentation.

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 **JANUARY 7, 2009** 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 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