



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

**(Authorizing Implementation of Native Vision Program for Eligible Tribal Members)**

**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** Johns Hopkins, in partnership with the Tribe supports the self-sufficiency of Indian communities and promotes all that is healthy and positive in the lives of our Native Youth; and

**WHEREAS** the Native Vision After School Fitness and Life Skills Program (“Native Vision”) is an initiative by Johns Hopkins to improve physical fitness, optimize nutrition, increase connections to culture and community and overall physical wellness of tribal youth; and

**WHEREAS** Native Vision requests Tribal Council approval to offer a 28 week afterschool fitness and life skills promotion program and mini-camps in Cibecue and Whiteriver beginning in the Fall of 2009, serving youth between the ages of 9 and 12 years; and

**WHEREAS** Native Vision would further design an evaluation tool to measure fitness, nutritional knowledge, self-esteem and culture connectedness from beginning to end of the program; and

**WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council finds it in the best interest of the Tribe to allow Native Vision to implement its Program for the purpose of enriching the Tribal Member experience and helping to advance physical and mental wellness goals on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation.

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes the Native Vision Afterschool Fitness and Life Skills Program initiative to begin during the 2009 Fall Season for a total of 28 weeks to promote physical and mental wellness on the Reservation.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that in the event that this Resolution conflicts with a prior Resolution or Policy, this Resolution shall govern.

**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 October 8, 2009, duly adopted by a vote of SIX for and ZERO against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Art. IV, Section 1 (a), (b), (i), (k), (s), (t) and (u) of the Constitution, ratified 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).

*Margaret B. W. [Signature]* **ACTING**  
for Ronnie Lupte, Chairman of the Tribal Council  
*Cyndy R. Harvey [Signature]*  
Cyndy R. Harvey, Secretary of the Tribal Council