



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

(Approval to grant tribal relinquishment request of Cassie Preston)

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, pursuant to the Enrollment Code and the Tribal Constitution, the Tribal Enrollment Committee is designated to ensure that all requirements are met by each applicant who wishes to relinquish their tribal membership with the White Mountain Apache Tribe; and

WHEREAS, Tribal Member, Cassie Preston, has requested that her tribal membership with the White Mountain Apache Tribe be relinquished so that she may become eligible for enrollment with the San Carlos Apache Tribe; and

WHEREAS, the Relinquishment of Tribal Head Rights form has been completed and signed by Cassie Preston in the presence of a Notary Public on November 19, 2009 (see attached); and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Enrollment Committee reviewed and approved this relinquishment request at a duly called meeting; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council concurs with the recommendation of the Tribal Enrollment Committee that the relinquishment from tribal membership be approved for Cassie Preston.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby grants the tribal relinquishment request of Cassie Preston, along with any and all privileges accorded to members of the White Mountain Apache Tribe such as, but not limited to, hunting, fishing, and recreational privileges upon the Fort Apache Indian Reservation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs the Office of Vital Records to remove Cassie Preston from the membership rolls of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, subject to proof of enrollment by the San Carlos Apache Tribe within thirty (30) days of the date of this resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council that in the event that the San Carlos Apache Tribe does not provide proof of enrollment of Cassie Preston to the Office of Vital Records, this resolution shall be null and void and force or effect.

Resolution No. 06-2010-159

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 Chairman, is hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

The foregoing resolution was on JUNE 7, 2010 duly adopted by a vote of NINE for and ONE against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to the authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (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

RELINQUISHMENT OF TRIBAL HEAD RIGHTS
WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE
FORT APACHE INDIAN RESERVATION

I, Cassie Preston, an enrolled member of the WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE, do hereby of my own free will, as an adult over the age of 18 years, voluntarily and with full knowledge of making this decision, request the TRIBAL COUNCIL of the WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE, FORT APACHE INDIAN RESERVATION, WHITERIVER, ARIZONA, to remove me from the Tribal Census Rolls of the White Mountain Apache Tribe to enable me to enroll with the San Carlos Apache Tribe.

Further, I understand that once my relinquishment is accepted by Tribal Council Resolution, it will be **TOTAL AND IRREVOCABLE**. I will no longer have fishing or hunting privileges on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation; no rights to homesite or farmland assignments, claim or title to any resources of the WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE, or monies distributed pursuant to Judgment under the Indian Claims Commission Act. Further, that I must remove from the Fort Apache Indian Reservation within ninety (90) days after the resolution date accepting my relinquishment, all my livestock and personal property.

Name Cassie Rose Preston Date of Birth December 27, 1990
Social Security # 601-02-8048 Degree of Indian Blood 1/2 (S.C.A.T) 1/2 (W.M.A.T)
Father Roger Dale Preston Degree of Indian Blood Full (S.C.A.T) 1/4
Mother Rosie Jane Laizelere / Preston Degree of Indian Blood Full (W.M.A.T) 1/4

Cassie Preston
SIGNATURE

Judy Massey
SIGNATURE OF WITNESS

11/19/09
DATE

Box 1744 W/R 85941
ADDRESS

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN before me this 19th day of NOVEMBER, 2009.

Michelle Gushoney
Notary Public



ATTEST:

[Signature]
Chairman, White Mountain Apache Tribe

7-29-10
Date

[Signature]
Tribal Council Secretary, White Mountain Apache Tribe

08/02/10
Date

The foregoing request was approved by Resolution No. 06-2010-159 on 06-07-2010 at a meeting of the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe.

[Signature]
Enrollment Officer

07-29-10
Date

***PLEASE RETURN YOUR TRIBAL IDs TO VITAL RECORDS DEPARTMENT WHEN YOU RETURN THIS FORM. THANK YOU**