

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

(Appointing Raymond Burnette as the Chief of Police for the WMA Police Department)

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, Resolution 07-2010-207 left a vacancy in the Chief of Police position in the White Mountain Apache Police Department; and

WHEREAS, is has been recommended that Raymond Burnette be appointed to the Chief of Police position; and

WHEREAS, Raymond Burnette has served WMAPD with distinction and he is certified by the Arizona Peace Officers Standards and Training Board (1992), Federal Criminal Investigation (Glynco, 1984), and the U.S. Bureau of Indian Affairs (Indian Police Academy, 1979); and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe finds it in the best interest of the Tribe to appoint Raymond Burnette as the Chief of Police, effective immediately.

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby appoints Raymond Burnette as the Chief of Police for the White Mountain Apache Tribe, effective immediately.

**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 <u>JULY 27, 2010</u> duly adopted by a vote of <u>SIX</u> for and <u>FOUR</u> 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), (c), (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).

Ronnie Lupe, Chairman of the Tribal Council

Mariddie J. Craig, Secretary of the Tribal Council