



WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

*A Sovereign Nation Exercising Self-Governance
Over the Fort Apache Indian Reservation*

Resolution No. 11-2012-164

(Approving the Publications of Tribal Forestry Research in Journal of Forestry, Ecology, and Management)

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe ("Tribe") is entrusted by the Tribe's Constitution to act in all matters that concern the welfare of the Tribe, to manage all economic affairs and enterprises of the Tribe, and to regulate subordinate organizations for economic and other purposes; and

WHEREAS, Jonathon Brooks, the Tribal Forestry Director, on this day introducing his former professor from Northern Arizona University ("NAU") to the governing body to discuss NAU research previously authorized by the Council pertaining to the Tribe's natural Resources and Management; and

WHEREAS, after discussing the research briefly with members of the Tribal Council and answering various questions raised, the Tribal Council is requested to consider authorizing NAU to publish results of the research in the Journal of Forestry, Ecology and Management, so that the academic field may benefit as a whole from the findings; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council supports Forestry, Natural Resource management, and academic research and finds that the cause of sharing the research in academia is beneficial to the Tribe generally and other experts that are able to learn from the published research in order to improve forestry, ecology and management for the benefit of all.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes the publication of the research presented to the Tribal Council on this day for the specific purpose as described by NAU and forestry, and to be published in the Journal of Forestry, Ecology and Management.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs that in the event that this Resolution conflicts with a prior Resolution or Policy, this Resolution shall supersede and govern over the conflicting subject matter.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs that in the event this Resolution directly conflicts with the Tribal Constitution, Tribal Ordinances or Federal Laws, this Resolution shall be declared null and void and have no legal effect.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Chairman, or in his absence, the Acting Chairman, is hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution. In the event that the Chairman fails to delegate signatory authority to an Acting Chairman, the Vice-Chairman may sign.

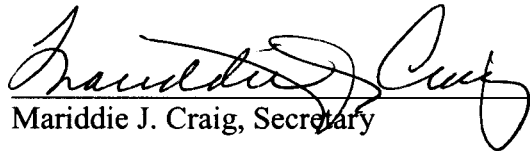
The foregoing resolution was on November 7, 2012 duly adopted by a vote of SEVEEN for and ZERO against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to the authority vested in it by Article IV, Section 1 (a), (f), (i), (k), (s), (t) and (u) of the Tribal Constitution, ratified by 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

12/11/12

Date



Mariddie J. Craig, Secretary

12/07/2012

Date