



WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

A Sovereign Tribal Nation

(Deadline for P.L. 93-638 Managers Failing to Submit Budgets)

WHEREAS, the Grants and Contracts Department has advised members of the governing body of the White Mountain Apache Tribe ("WMAT") that several Directors have failed to submit Department Budgets, thereby not meeting previous Tribally imposed deadlines for delivering such information; and

WHEREAS, among the Programs lacking proper budgetary information, include Fish & Wildlife and Fisheries, the Tribal Court, Tribal Education, Department of Corrections, and Hydrology; and

WHEREAS, although some Program Managers have good reasons (or provided proper information to the contrary), the WMAT Council seeks to ensure that with the Federal Fiscal Year quickly approaching, that all information required for grant and reporting purposes is submitted timely and that funding opportunities not be lost as a result of non-compliance; and

WHEREAS, for the reasons above, the Tribal Council finds it in the best interest of the White Mountain Apache Tribe to impose a hard deadline of September 16th for all remaining and outstanding budgets to be submitted, regardless of the reasons for non-compliance.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs that all P.L. 93-638 Directors that have failed to submit their annual Tribal budget for review, do so immediately, but no later than September 16th. Failure to comply with this deadline, may subject Program managers to disciplinary action, up to and including termination.

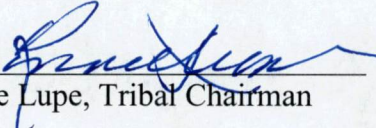
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs that in the event this Resolution directly conflicts with the Tribal Constitution, Tribal Ordinances, or any material facts concerning the issues presented are later found to be false, this Resolution shall be deemed null and void and have no legal effect.

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.

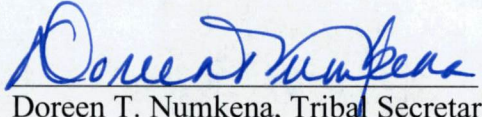
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Chairman, or in his absence, the Vice-Chairman, is hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

Resolution No. 09-2015-196

The foregoing resolution was on **SEPTEMBER 9, 2015**, duly adopted by a vote of **EIGHT** for, **ZERO** against, and **TWO** abstentions by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it under the enumerated powers listed in Article IV, Section 1 of the WMAT Constitution, so ratified on September 30, 1993, and federally recognized pursuant to Section 16 of the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).



Ronnie Lupe, Tribal Chairman 10-6-16 Date



Doreen T. Numkena, Tribal Secretary 10-7-16 Date