



WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

A Sovereign Tribal Nation

(Approving Burial Assistance for Linelle George Susan and family)

- 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; and
- WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council has been advised that Tribal member, Linelle George Susan, passed away in a tragic accident in Cedar Creek, and that funeral arrangements are pending; and
- WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council extends its sincere sympathy to the Susan family; and
- WHEREAS,** the decedent, Linelle George Susan, was denied financial assistance by Tribal Social Services for incurred burial expenses and the funds needed that go beyond the means of the family. Therefore, the Susan family requests that the Tribe assist with this matter; and
- WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council deems it in the best interest of the White Mountain Apache Tribe to provide assistance to the Susan family; and
- WHEREAS,** given the urgency of funeral arrangements and associated costs, the Tribal Council further finds that the burial and funeral assistance and payment needs to be considered and made outside of its regularly scheduled meeting; and
- WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council further finds that: (1) this Resolution may be voted upon by signature of a member of the Tribal Council where a signature indicates a vote for this Resolution, (2) the Tribal Council Secretary should attempt to obtain signatures for members of the Tribal Council personally, (3) no signature would mean that the respective Tribal Council member is against this Resolution, (4) the Tribal Council Secretary should wait no longer than a reasonable period of time to obtain a vote by signature or by no signature and so indicate that this Resolution was presented to the respective member of the Tribal Council for a vote.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes the Tribal Treasurer to assist with the funeral expenses for the decedent, Linelle George Susan, through the already budgeted burial expense account; with payment to be submitted directly to Owens Livingston Mortuary, in the amount of \$1,500.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that given the urgency of the request described herein, this Resolution may be voted upon as follows: (a) by signature of a member of the Tribal Council, including the Chairman of the Tribal Council and the

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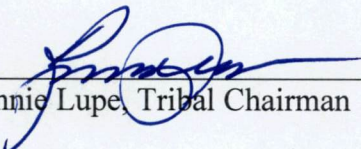
Vice-Chairman of the Tribal Council, where a signature indicates a vote for this Resolution, (b) the Tribal Council Secretary shall attempt to obtain signatures for members of the Tribal Council personally, (c) no signature shall mean that the respective Tribal Council member is against this Resolution, (d) the Tribal Council Secretary should wait no longer than a reasonable period of time to obtain a vote by signature or by no signature, and so indicate that this Resolution was presented to the respective member of the Tribal Council for a vote.

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 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.

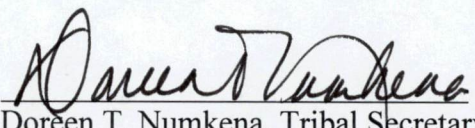
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that the Chairman, or in his absence, the Vice-Chairman, is hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

The foregoing resolution was on **NOVEMBER** , **2015** duly adopted by a vote of 8 for, 0 against, and 0 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

11-06-15
Date



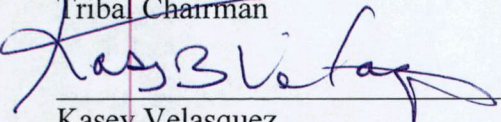
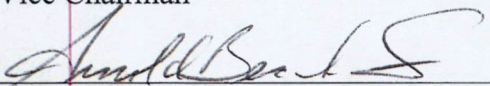
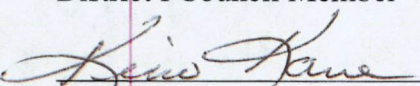
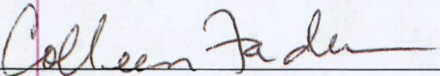
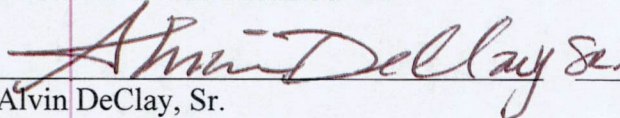
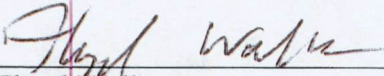
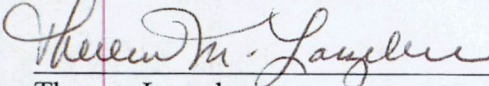
Doreen T. Numkena, Tribal Secretary

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Signatures of the members of the Tribal Council represent their approval of Tribal Council Resolution No: 11-2015-227 initiated the _____ day of November, 2015.

Presented Personally by Tribal Council Secretary (TCS)-Indicated by Initials

_____	_____	_____
	Date Signed	TCS Initials
Ronnie Lupe Tribal Chairman 	11-6-15	_____
Kasey Velasquez Vice Chairman	_____	TCS Initials
 Arnold Beach, Sr. District I Council Member	11-6-15	_____
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Tony Alsenay District I Council Member	_____	TCS Initials
 Kino Kane District II Council Member	11/6/15	_____
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Colleen Faden District II Council Member	_____	TCS Initials
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Alvin DeClay, Sr. District III Council Member	_____	TCS Initials
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Floyd Walker District III Council Member	_____	TCS Initials
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Jerome Kasey III District IV Council Member	_____	TCS Initials
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Alvena Bush District IV Council Member	_____	TCS Initials
 Theresa Larzelere District IV Council Member	11-06-15	_____
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ATTEST:

Doreen T. Numkena, Tribal Council Secretary

Date Signed