

WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

A Sovereign Tribal Nation

(Approving 2016/2017 Land Restoration Scholarship Recipients)

WHEREAS, the Land Restoration Board selected the following students for scholarship awards for the 2016-2017 academic year: Clayton Lupe (Master's Degree in Environmental Science); Davette Susan (Environmental Health); Richard Divalentino (Master's Degree in Master of Business Administration with emphasis in Natural Resources; Colleen Amy George (Forestry); and

WHEREAS, scholarship selections and the amounts of each scholarship was based on meeting guidelines outlined in the scholarship application, academic achievement, and financial need.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby approves Clayton Lupe, Davette Susan, Richard DiValentino and Colleen Amy George the Land Restoration Board recipient selection of the above scholarship from the Land Restoration Fund for the 2016/2017 academic school year.

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.

The foregoing resolution was on <u>AUGUST 3, 2016</u> duly adopted by a vote of <u>NINE</u> for, <u>ZERO</u> against, and <u>ONE</u> 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

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Date

9/8/2016