



**WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE**  
A Sovereign Tribal Nation

**(Supporting and Authorizing White Mountain Apache Housing Authority to Apply for the 2017 Housing Preservation Grant)**

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**WHEREAS,** the White Mountain Apache Housing Authority (“WMAHA”) is designated by the Tribe as a tribally designated housing entity; and

**WHEREAS,** the WMAHA would like to apply for a 2017 United States Department of Agriculture (“USDA”) Rural Housing Service (“RHS”) Housing Preservation Grant that would assist very low income military veterans who are homeowners and live in a rural community on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation, so that their homes can be rehabilitated to meet applicable housing standards; and

**WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe recognizes the need for assistance to the low and very low income veterans living on the Fort Apache Reservation, as many of their homes are in very poor condition; and

**WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe finds that it is in the best interests of the Tribe to support and authorize the WMAHA to apply for the 2017 USDA RHS Housing Preservation Grant;

**BE IT RESOLVED,** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby supports and authorizes the WMAHA to apply for the 2017 USDA RHS Housing Preservation Grant.

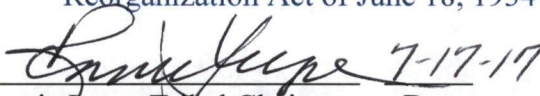
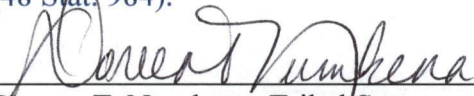
**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs that in the event that this Resolution conflicts with another Resolution or Policy, this Resolution shall supersede and govern.

**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 Vice-Chairman is hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

**Resolution No. 07-2017-160**

The foregoing resolution was on **July 12, 2017** duly adopted by a vote of **TEN** for, **ZERO** against, and **ONE** 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).

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Ronnie Lupe, Tribal Chairman	Date	Doreen T. Numkena, Tribal Secretary	Date