



WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

A Sovereign Tribal Nation

(Gifting Assigned Tribal Vehicles to Chairman and Vice-Chairman)

- WHEREAS,** for nearly five decades, Chairman Ronnie Lupe has served the White Mountain Apache Tribe in a leadership capacity, both as a Council representative and Chairman; and
- WHEREAS,** for many years, the White Mountain Apache Tribe had a tradition of allowing outgoing Council to retire with a parting gift, their Tribally issued vehicle, many of which accumulated hundreds of thousands of miles during the years spent in office; and
- WHEREAS,** for cost-containment reasons, the Tribal Council decided to suspend the issuance of such gifts and/or donations. The vehicles were also included in the Tribal Fleet by Resolution, to prevent any misunderstandings as to ownership of the vehicles; and
- WHEREAS,** the Tribal Council is aware of Chairman Ronnie Lupe's intent to "go fishing" (as he likes to say) shortly after he retires, and although the WMAT policy is to suspend the gifting of vehicles, the Tribal Council believes a one-time exception to the rule is in order, and should serve as a token of appreciation to thank Chairman Lupe for his many years of service, and the progress that the WMAT has made as a result of his leadership.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs the Business Office to take all necessary measures, including paying any remaining balances, to lawfully transfer title and ownership of the vehicles (2) assigned to Chairman Ronnie Lupe, to Mr. Ronnie Lupe, as a token of the Tribal Council's appreciation for all of his years in service. May Chairman Lupe be blessed for his commitment to the White Mountain Apache people, and may he find happiness and meaning as a citizen of the White Mountain Apache Tribal Community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs the Business Office to take all necessary measures, including paying any remaining balances, to lawfully transfer title and ownership of the vehicle assigned to Vice Chairman Kasey Velasquez, to Mr. Kasey Velasquez, as a token of the Tribal Council's appreciation for his years in service. May Vice Chairman Velasquez be blessed for his commitment to the White Mountain Apache people, and may he find happiness and meaning as a citizen of the White Mountain Apache Tribal Community.

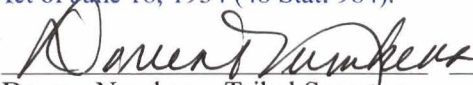
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs that in the event that this Resolution conflicts with a prior Resolution or Policy, this Resolution shall supersede and govern over the conflicting subject matter.

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 APRIL 11, 2018 duly adopted by a vote of SEVEN for and ZERO against with THREE abstaining by the 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

4/10/18
Date


Doreen Numkena, Tribal Secretary

4-17-2018
Date