

## WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

## A Sovereign Tribal Nation

(Designating Land in Canyon Day Area for Traditional Ceremonies)

WHEREAS, the White Mountain Apache Tribal Council is delegated to set aside plots of land for the use of various religious groups and denominations; and

WHEREAS, Tribal member, Kevin Henry, presented his request to designate certain land in the Canyon Day (George Town Riverside) area for traditional ceremonies; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe finds it in the best interest of the Tribe to designate the requested area for Mr. Henry with the understanding that he coordinate with the Cultural Advisory Board.

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby designates land in Canyon Day (George Town Riverside) area for traditional ceremonies and that Mr. Kevin Henry should coordinate with the Cultural Advisory Board for the establishment of the holy ground area.

**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 Chairwoman, or in her 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>June 13, 2018</u> duly adopted by a vote of <u>TEN</u> for, <u>ZERO</u> against, and <u>ZERO</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).

Gwendena Lee-Gatewood, Chairwoman

Date

Doreen T. Numkena, Tribal Secretary

Date