



WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

A Sovereign Tribal Nation

(Approving Land Restoration Board Selection of the Land Restoration Projects for Fiscal Year 2022-2023)

WHEREAS, Article IV, Section 1(f) of the Constitution of the White Mountain Apache Tribe of the Fort Apache Indian Reservation provides that the Tribal Council (“Council”) shall exercise the power “To protect and preserve the wildlife, plant life, forests, natural resources and water rights of the Tribe...”; and

WHEREAS, On November 9, 1995, by Resolution No. 11-95-354, the Tribal Council set aside twenty percent of the 22-H judgment funds for the establishment of a perpetual and permanent White Mountain Apache Land Restoration Fund; and

WHEREAS, The Land Restoration Code, authorizes ten percent of the funds to be available for implementing activities with the remaining balance divided at eighty percent for land restoration projects and twenty percent for scholarships and internships; and

WHEREAS, The Land Restoration Board, at this time requests that the Tribal Council to provide final approval for the following seven projects, proposed by the named persons:

1. Herman Ivins Sr. – Cibecue Livestock Fence Project;
2. Michael Henry Sr. – Tribal Farm Pump Project;
3. Dallas Massey Sr. – Summer 2022 Natural Resources Internship;
4. Sean Parker – North Fork Clean Up;
5. Earlson J. Begay – Community Clean Up District III East Fork, Turkey Creek, and Seven Mile;
6. Ciara Minjarez – Learning to Plant Summer Camp; and
7. Shuwon Ethelbah – Disposal of Used Drums at Farm Coop Yard; and

WHEREAS, The Council concurs with the Land Restoration Board and finds it in the best interest of the Tribe to approve the above-listed projects.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby authorizes approval by the Land Board of the seven (7) land restoration fund projects listed above.

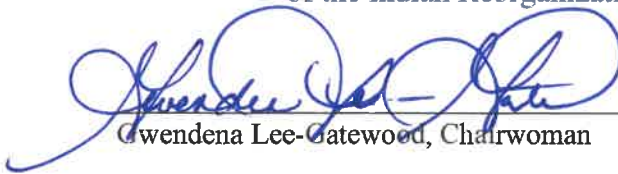

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby directs that in the event this Resolution directly conflicts with the Tribal Constitution, Tribal Ordinances, or any material facts concerning the issues presented are later found to be false, this Resolution shall be deemed null and void and have no legal effect.

Resolution No. 04-2022-79

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 APRIL 14, 2022 duly adopted by a vote of ELEVEN for, ZERO against, and ZERO 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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Gwendena Lee-Gatewood, Chairwoman	Date	Doreen T. Numkena, Tribal Secretary	Date