



# WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

## A Sovereign Tribal Nation

### (Appointing Land Restoration Board Members)

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**WHEREAS,** The Constitution of the White Mountain Apache Tribe (“Tribe”) of the Fort Apache Indian Reservation provides, at Article IV, Section 1(s) that the Tribal Council (“Council”) shall exercise the power, “To regulate its own procedures, to appoint subordinate committees, commissions, boards, advisory or otherwise...”; and

**WHEREAS,** The Tribe’s Land Restoration Code provides, at Section 3.1(a) for a seven-member Land Restoration Board to be appointed by the Council; and

**WHEREAS,** The Council finds it in the best interest of the Tribe, at this time, to appoint or re-appoint the following individuals to the following Land Restoration Board seats, for three-year terms or, for incumbents, the remainder of their existing terms:

- District I – Judy Dehose ;
- District II – Marian Patterson;
- District III – Randall Massey Jr.;
- District IV – Kristi (Antonio) Gregg;
- Young Adult Representative - Vacant;
- Elder Representative – Raymus Albert;
- Ecological Management Expert – Ida Rose Cosay;
- Coordinator – Beverly Nastivar.

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby appoints the following individuals to the Tribe’s Land Restoration Board, for three-year terms or, for incumbents, for the remainder of their existing terms:

District I - Judy Dehose	Young Adult Representative - Vacant
District II – Marian Patterson	Elder Representative – Raymus Albert
District III – Randall Massey Jr.	Ecological Management Expert – Ida Rose Cosay
District IV – Kristi (Antonio) Gregg	Coordinator – Beverly Nastivar

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby thanks the previous Land Restoration Board members for their service.

**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.

***Resolution No. 05-2022-140***

**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 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 MAY 23, 2022 duly adopted by a vote of NINE 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 November 10, 2021, and federally recognized pursuant to Section 16 of the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

<u>Kasey Velasquez</u>	<u>6-2-2022</u>	<u>Vaneysa Johnson</u>	<u>6/2/2022</u>
Kasey Velasquez, Chairman	Date	Vaneysa Johnson, Tribal Secretary	Date
White Mountain Apache Tribe			