

## WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE

## A Sovereign Tribal Nation

(Appointing Indian Education Board Members for Anadarko Indian School, Chemewa Indian School, and Sherman Indian School)

WHEREAS, the Constitution of the White Mountain Apache Tribe ("Tribe") of the Fort Apache Indian Reservation provides, at Article IV, Section 1(a) that the Tribal Council ("Council") shall exercise the power, "to represent the Tribe and act in all matters that concern the welfare of the Tribe..."; and

WHEREAS, The Tribal Council has the responsibility of appointing individuals to serve as school board members on behalf of the White Mountain Apache Tribe and that such representation should come from within the governing body; and

WHEREAS, Tribal Council Members Annette Tenijieth, Tony Alsenay and Mariddie Craig have been nominated to serve as board members; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has determined that it is in the best interest of the Tribe to designate Annette Tenijieth to serve on the Sherman Indian School Board, Tony Alsenay to serve on the Anadarko School Board and Mariddie Craig to serve on the Chemewa Indian School Board.

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby appoints Annette Tenijieth to serve on the Sherman Indian School Board, Tony Alsenay to serve on the Anadarko School Board and Mariddie Craig to serve on the Chemewa Indian School Board.

**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 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 JUNE 5, 2024 duly adopted by a vote of TEN 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).

Kasey Velasquez, Chairman Date

Vaneysa Johnson, Tribal Secretary Date