

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
(Approving "Tohono O'odham Nation Hepatitis C Elimination Public Health  
Practice Initiative" Research Proposal)**

**RESOLUTION NO. 19-172**

1 **WHEREAS, the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation vests the Legislative Council with**  
2 **the authority to "promote, protect and provide for public health, peace, morals,**  
3 **education and general welfare of the Tohono O'odham Nation and its members"**  
4 **(Constitution, Article VI, Section 1(c)(2)); and**

5 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation Health Care presented its research proposal,**  
6 **"Tohono O'odham Nation Hepatitis C Elimination Public Health Practice**  
7 **Initiative" to the Human Resources Development and Health and Human**  
8 **Services Committees; and**

9 **WHEREAS, the Hepatitis C Elimination Public Health Practice Initiative, a collaboration of**  
10 **the Tohono O'odham Nation Health Care, the Department of Health and Human**  
11 **Services, and the Institute for Liver Health, will seek to eliminate the Hepatitis C**  
12 **virus (HCV) among infected members of the Tohono O'odham Nation; and**

13 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation's Institutional Review Board, which is authorized by**  
14 **17 Tohono O'odham Code Chapter 8 to review and approve research proposals**  
15 **does not have a sufficient number of Board members appointed for a quorum;**  
16 **and**

17 **WHEREAS, the Human Resources Development and Health and Human Services Committees**  
18 **have reviewed the "Tohono O'odham Nation Hepatitis C Elimination Public**  
19 **Health Practice Initiative" research proposal and recommend approval.**

20 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that notwithstanding Section 8107 of 17 Tohono O'odham**  
21 **Code Chapter 8, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the "Tohono**  
22 **O'odham Nation Hepatitis C Elimination Public Health Practice Initiative"**  
23 **research proposal provided that Tohono O'odham Nation Health Care update the**  
24 **Human Resources Development and Health and Human Services Committees**  
25 **upon request.**

26 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that 17 Tohono O'odham Code Chapter 8, Section 8106 (5) regarding**  
27 **assurances of confidentiality, informed consent forms, and other provisions of**  
28 **Chapter 8 that can be implemented in the absence of an appointed Institutional**  
29 **Review Board shall remain applicable to the project.**

30 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that ongoing supervision**  
31 **of this research be transferred to the Tohono O'odham Institutional Review**  
32 **Board when enough Board members sufficient for a quorum are appointed.**  
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1 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 22<sup>ND</sup>**  
2 **day of MAY, 2019 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,875.6 FOR; -0-**  
3 **AGAINST; 209.0 [01] NOT VOTING; and [04] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council**  
4 **by Article VI, Section 1(c)(2) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by the**  
5 **Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**  
6 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**  
7 **18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).**

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9 **TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

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13 **Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman**  
14 23 day of May, 2019

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18 **ATTEST:**

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21 **Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary**  
22 23 day of May, 2019

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25 **Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono**  
26 **O'odham Nation on the 23 day of May, 2019 at 4:04 o'clock, p .m.,**  
27 **pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become**  
28 **effective upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48**  
29 **hours of submittal.**

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31 **TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

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35 **Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman**

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39  **APPROVED**

on the 24 day of May, 2019

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41  **DISAPPROVED**

at 9:32 o'clock, p .m.

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45 **EDWARD D. MANUEL, CHAIRMAN**  
46 **TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION**  
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1 **Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 24 day of**

2 May, 2019, at 4:30 o'clock, p.m.

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**ACTION: APPROVING "TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION HEPATITIS C ELIMINATION PUBLIC HEALTH PRACTICE INITIATIVE" RESEARCH PROPOSAL**

**MOVED: COUNCILMAN ANTHONY J. FRANCISCO JR.**

**SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN ADRIANNE TILLER**

**DATE: MAY 22, 2019**

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
<b>SIF OIDAK 235.8</b>	<b>1. MARY LOPEZ ( )</b> <b>2. LUCINDA ALLEN (Yolonda Garcia)</b>	<b>117.9</b> <b>117.9</b>	<b>X</b> <b>X</b>			
<b>SELLS 527.2</b>	<b>1. ARTHUR WILSON (Evelyn Juan Manuel)</b> <b>2. ADRIANNE TILLER ( )</b>	<b>263.6</b> <b>263.6</b>	<b>X</b> <b>X</b>			
<b>SCHUK TOAK 185.7</b>	<b>1. ANTHONY J. FRANCISCO JR. (Teresa F. Donahue)</b> <b>2. QUINTIN C. LOPEZ (Agnes V. Joaquin)</b>	<b>92.85</b> <b>92.85</b>	<b>X</b> <b>X</b>			
<b>SAN XAVIER 232.3</b>	<b>1. DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III (Absent) (Felicia Nunez) (Present)</b> <b>2. JANICE FELIX (Adam Andrews)</b>	<b>116.15</b> <b>116.15</b>	<b>X</b> <b>X</b>			<b>X</b>
<b>SAN LUCY 231.1</b>	<b>1. JANA MONTANA (Diana Manuel)</b> <b>2. GLORIA RAMIREZ (Lorraine Eiler)</b>	<b>115.55</b> <b>115.55</b>	<b>X</b> <b>X</b>			<b>X</b>
<b>PISINEMO 225.9</b>	<b>1. CHESTER ANTONE (Caroline D. Garcia)</b> <b>2. MONICA K. MORGAN ( )</b>	<b>112.95</b> <b>112.95</b>	<b>X</b> <b>X</b>			
<b>HICKIWAN 209.0</b>	<b>1. LOUIS R. LOPEZ (Absent) (Shirley Molina) (Present)</b> <b>2. SANDRA D. ORTEGA ( )</b>	<b>104.5</b> <b>104.5</b>			<b>X</b> <b>X</b>	<b>X</b>
<b>GU VO 256.9</b>	<b>1. GRACE MANUEL ( )</b> <b>2. DALLAS LEWIS (Absent) (Nacho Flores) (Present)</b>	<b>128.45</b> <b>128.45</b>	<b>X</b> <b>X</b>			<b>X</b>
<b>GU ACHI 270.9</b>	<b>1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Louis L. Johnson)</b> <b>2. LORETTA LEWIS (Victoria Hobbs)</b>	<b>135.45</b> <b>135.45</b>	<b>X</b> <b>X</b>			
<b>CHUKUT KUK 337.7</b>	<b>1. BILLMAN LOPEZ (Patricia Antone)</b> <b>2. VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS (Absent) (Juanita Homer) (Present)</b>	<b>168.85</b> <b>168.85</b>	<b>X</b> <b>X</b>			
<b>BABOQUIVARI 372.1</b>	<b>1. FRANCES MIGUEL (Robert E. Harvey)</b> <b>2. LEANDER MASE (Francine Schooling)</b>	<b>186.05</b> <b>186.05</b>	<b>X</b> <b>X</b>			
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,084.6</b>	<b>2,875.6</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>209.0</b> <b>[01]</b>	<b>[04]</b>