

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
(Approving the Appointment of Mr. Chadwick Smith as Attorney General of the  
Tohono O'odham Nation)**

**RESOLUTION NO. 17-070**

1 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council is vested with the power to "employ**  
2 **legal counsel for the protection and advancement of the rights of the Tohono**  
3 **O'odham Nation." (Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, Article VI,**  
4 **Section 2(a)); and**

5 **WHEREAS, the "Statute Creating the Office of Attorney General of the Tohono O'odham**  
6 **Nation" was adopted on October 1, 1989 by Resolution No. 326-89, and was**  
7 **amended on November 6, 1991 by Resolution No. 91-500 (OAG Statute); and**

8 **WHEREAS, the OAG statute provides in part that "[t]he Attorney General shall be appointed**  
9 **by the Chairman of the Nation, from among a group of no fewer than three**  
10 **persons qualified for the position, nominated by the Domestic Affairs**  
11 **Committee of the Legislative Council. The appointment shall become effective**  
12 **upon its approval by a majority of the Legislative Council"; and**

13 **WHEREAS, the Domestic Affairs Committee forwarded no fewer than three names of**  
14 **persons qualified for the position of Attorney General to the Chairman of the**  
15 **Nation; and**

16 **WHEREAS, the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation selected Mr. Chadwick Smith as**  
17 **the appointee for Attorney General of the Tohono O'odham Nation, subject to**  
18 **Council approval; and**

19 **WHEREAS, Mr. Chadwick Smith is qualified to assume the position of Attorney General; and**

20 **WHEREAS, Mr. Chadwick Smith has accepted the appointment and the position upon**  
21 **approval of the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council.**

22 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the**  
23 **appointment of Mr. Chadwick Smith as the Attorney General of the Tohono**  
24 **O'odham Nation to serve in accordance with the Statute Creating the Office of**  
25 **Attorney General.**

26 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 01<sup>ST</sup>**  
27 **day of MARCH, 2017 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,764.65 FOR;**  
28 **256.75 AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [06] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the**  
29 **Council by Article VI, Section 2 (a) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted**  
30 **by the Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy**  
31 **Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the**  
32 **Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).**  
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Quincinda J. Allen for:  
Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman

2nd day of March, 2017

ATTEST:

Yvonne Lopez for  
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

02 day of March, 2017

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 02 day of March, 2017 at 10:57 o'clock, A .m., pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become effective upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48 hours of submittal.

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Quincinda J. Allen for:  
Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman

APPROVED

on the 3 day of March, 2017

DISAPPROVED

at 5:58 o'clock, P .m.

Edward D. Manuel  
EDWARD D. MANUEL, CHAIRMAN  
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 06 day of  
March, 2017, at 9:55 o'clock, A .m.

Yvonne Lopez for  
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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**ACTION: APPROVING THE APPOINTMENT OF MR. CHADWICK SMITH AS ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION**

**Moved: COUNCILWOMAN ETHEL GARCIA**

**SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN GRACE MANUEL**

**DATE: MARCH 01, 2017**

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 367.2	1. FRANCES MIGUEL (Roberta E. Harvey)	183.60	X			
	2. VERNON J. SMITH (Gloria Zazueta)	183.60	X			X
CHUKUT KUK 332.1	1. ETHEL GARCIA (Marla Kay Henry)	166.05	X			
	2. BILLMAN LOPEZ <i>(Absent)</i> (Patricia Vicenti) <i>(Present)</i>	166.05	X			X
GUACHI 265.0	1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Louis L. Johnson)	132.50	X			
	2. LORETTA LEWIS ( )	132.50	X			X
GU VO 250.6	1. GRACE MANUEL (Dallas Lewis)	125.30	X			
	2. PAMELA ANGHILL <i>(Absent)</i> (Jeffery Antone, Sr.) <i>(Present)</i>	125.30	X			
HICKIWAN 205.8	1. LOUIS R. LOPEZ (Shirley Molina)	102.90	X			
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ( )	102.90	X			X
PISINEMO 219.9	1. CHESTER ANTONE <i>(Absent)</i> (Caroline D. Garcia) <i>(Present)</i>	109.95	X			
	2. MONICA K. MORGAN ( )	109.95	X			
SAN LUCY 226.5	1. DIANA MANUEL (Lorraine Eiler)	113.25	X			
	2. JANA MONTANA (Gloria Ramirez)	113.25	X			
SAN XAVIER 228.6	1. DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III <i>(Absent)</i> (Felicia Nunez) <i>(Present)</i>	114.3	X			
	2. RACHEAL VILSON-STONER (Olivia Villegas-Liston)	114.3	X			X
SCHUK TOAK 180.6	1. ANTHONY J. FRANCISCO JR. ( )	90.3	X			
	2. QUINTIN C. LOPEZ <i>(Absent)</i> (John Fendenheim) <i>(Present)</i>	90.3	X			
SELLS 513.5	1. ARTHUR WILSON (Beverly Rivas)	256.75		X		
	2. BARBARA HAVIER (Idaleen Reyes)	256.75	X			
SIF OIDAK 231.6	1. LUCINDA ALLEN ( )	115.80	X			
	2. MARY LOPEZ ( )	115.80	X			X
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,021.4</b>	<b>2,764.65</b>	<b>256.75</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>[06]</b>