

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Request from Congress an Annual Budget of \$145,000.00 for Quality Medication
Treatment)**

RESOLUTION NO. 2000-139

1 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation suffers the highest rate of diabetes and its**
2 **complications in the world; and**

3 **WHEREAS, adult onset diabetes and its complications continue to increase at an accelerated**
4 **rate at the Sells Service Unit; and**

5 **WHEREAS, the numbers of prescriptions filled by the Sells Service Unit have increased by 60%**
6 **since more patients keep appointments due to diabetic complications and increased**
7 **availability of clinics; and**

8 **WHEREAS, complications, specifically diabetes has increased by 100% in the past several years;**
9 **and**

10 **WHEREAS, complication related prescriptions for high cholesterol, glaucoma and dialysis are**
11 **more frequently prescribed adding to a patient's longevity and increasing cost; and**

12 **WHEREAS, studies have proven that proper care and medications save money in the long term**
13 **because of decreased complications and hospital stays; and**

14 **WHEREAS, the Sells Service Unit is in need of funds for appropriate diabetes medication in**
15 **order to continue to provide the Tohono O'odham Nation with quality care for**
16 **Tohono O'odham diabetics.**

17 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that it does**
18 **request that Congress appropriate \$145,000.00 to treat diabetes and its**
19 **complications.**

20 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Appropriations Committee is hereby authorized and directed**
21 **to bring this request to the appropriate Agencies, Members and Committees of**
22 **Congress.**

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24 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 21ST day**
25 **of MARCH, 2000 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,165.5 FOR; -0-**
26 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [02] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
27 **Section 1 (j) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the**
28 **Tohono O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
29 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**
30 **18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).**

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TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL


Dennis Ramon, Legislative Chairman

21 day of March, 20 00

ATTEST:


Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

21 day of March, 20 00.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 21 day of March, 20 00 at 5:18 o'clock, P.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

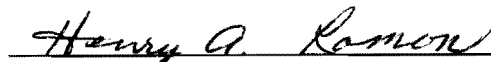

Dennis Ramon, Legislative Chairman

APPROVED

on the 22 day of March, 2000

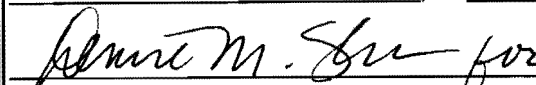
DISAPPROVED

at 9:35 o'clock, A.M.


EDWARD D. MANUEL, Chairman
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 22 day of

March, 20 00, at 11:40 o'clock, A.M.


Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: REQUEST FROM CONGRESS AN ANNUAL BUDGET OF \$145,000.00 FOR QUALITY MEDICATION TREATMENT

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN MARY FLORES

SECOND: COUNCILMAN ALBERT MANUEL, JR.

DATE: MARCH 21, 2000

| DISTRICT | LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES | # OF VOTES | FOR | AGAINST | NOT VOTING | ABSENT |
|-----------------------------|---|----------------|----------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| SIF OIDAK 171.8 | 1. MARY ANN ANTONE (Darlene Andrew) | 85.9 | X | | | |
| | 2. RITA MARTINEZ (Nicholas Jose) | 85.9 | X | | | |
| SELLS 372.7 | 1. DENNIS E. JOSE () | 186.35 | X | | | |
| | 2. EVELYN JUAN () | 186.35 | X | | | |
| SCHUK TOAK 133.4 | 1. MARY FLORES () | 66.7 | X | | | |
| | 2. AMBROSE ENCINAS () | 66.7 | X | | | |
| SAN XAVIER 165.9 | 1. TONY BURRELL () | 82.95 | X | | | |
| | 2. DENNIS RAMON () | 82.95 | X | | | |
| BABOQUIVARI 286.5 | 1. FRANCES MIGUEL () | 143.25 | X | | | |
| | 2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Edward N. Kisto) | 143.25 | X | | | |
| GU ACHI 209.6 | 1. CAMILLUS LOPEZ (Louis Johnson) | 104.8 | X | | | |
| | 2. ALEX J. RAMON () | 104.8 | X | | | X |
| PISINEMO 156.8 | 1. BARBARA SALVICIO (Alex Antone) | 78.4 | X | | | |
| | 2. JOHNSON JOSE () | 78.4 | X | | | |
| SAN LUCY 128.1 | 1. ALBERT MANUEL, JR. () | 64.05 | X | | | |
| | 2. GLORIA RAMIREZ () | 64.05 | X | | | |
| GU VO 160.0 | 1. FERN SALCIDO () | 80.0 | X | | | X |
| | 2. GLORIA MONTANA (Phillip Antone) | 80.0 | X | | | |
| HICKIWAN 158.1 | 1. ALEX JOSE (Shirley Santos) | 79.05 | X | | | |
| | 2. LLOYD FRANCISCO (Susan Sam) | 79.05 | X | | | |
| CHUKUT KUK 222.6 | 1. KENNETH WILLIAMS () | 111.3 | X | | | |
| | 2. DAVID GARCIA (Mary Audrey Juan) | 111.3 | X | | | |
| TOTAL | | 2,165.5 | 2,165.5 | -0- | -0- | [02] |

**PASSED VOTES