

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Requesting increase in Federal Appropriations for Road Maintenance)**

RESOLUTION NO. 01-366

1 **WHEREAS, federal appropriations for road maintenance for the Tohono O'odham Nation are**
2 **currently set at \$426,844.00 and result in the attached operating budget for the Papago**
3 **Agency Branch of Roads of which establishes that there are approximately 883 miles**
4 **of paved roads and 550 miles of earth roads within the Nation served by a maintenance**
5 **crew of 5 persons and twelve pieces of equipment; and**

6 **WHEREAS, because of funding constraints, the Branch of Roads is currently able to maintain only**
7 **287 miles of 550 miles of earth roads, and is unable to effectively maintain the**
8 **increasing number of paved roads which are deteriorating almost as rapidly as new**
9 **paving is added to existing earth roads; and**

10 **WHEREAS, the Natural Resources Committee of the Legislative Council has determined that a**
11 **crises will result if existing roads are permitted to deteriorate at current rates and has**
12 **recommended that the Nation seek additional appropriations for road maintenance;**
13 **and**

14 **WHEREAS, the Roads Maintenance Base budget has been reduced to \$426,844.00 a year, however,**
15 **which is inadequate to maintain all the roads on the system, and a yearly budget of**
16 **approximately \$2,339,130.00 is required; and**

17 **WHEREAS, the Council concurs in the Committee's determination and recommendation.**

18 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that it does hereby**
19 **urgently request that Congress appropriate \$2,339,130.00, as the base budget for the**
20 **Tohono O'odham Nation's road maintenance and that the appropriate officers of the**
21 **Nation are hereby authorized and directed to bring this request to the appropriate**
22 **members and committees of Congress.**

23 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Appropriations Committee is hereby authorized and directed**
24 **to bring this request to the appropriate agencies, members, and committees of**
25 **Congress.**

26 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 09TH Day**
27 **of JULY, 2001 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,417.5 FOR; -0- AGAINST;**
28 **-0- NOT VOTING; and [01] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Section 1 (j) of**
29 **Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono O'Odham**
30 **Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs**
31 **(Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).**

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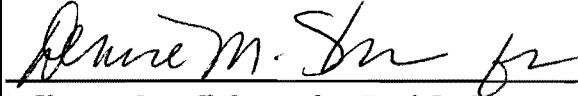
TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL



Rita A. Martinez, Legislative Chairwoman

16th day of July, 2001

ATTEST:

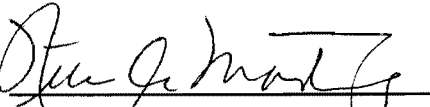


Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

09 day of July, 2001.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 16th day of July, 2001 at 4:56 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




Rita A. Martinez, Legislative Chairwoman

APPROVED

on the 18th day of July, 2001

DISAPPROVED

at 9:20 o'clock, A.M.



EDWARD D. MANUEL, Chairman
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Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 19th day of

July, 20 01, at 11:42 o'clock, A.M.


Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: REQUESTING INCREASE IN FEDERAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR ROAD MAINTENANCE

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN FERN SALCIDO

SECOND: COUNCILMAN ALBERT MANUEL, JR.

DATE: JULY 09, 2001

| DISTRICT | LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES | # OF VOTES | FOR | AGAINST | NOT VOTING | ABSENT |
|-----------------------------|---|----------------|----------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| CHUKUT KUK 248.1 | 1. KENNETH WILLIAMS (Juanita Homer) | 124.05 | X | | | |
| | 2. DAVID GARCIA (Mary Audrey Juan) | 124.05 | X | | | |
| HICKIWAN 167.3 | 1. SHIRLEY MOLINA () | 83.65 | X | | | |
| | 2. SANDRA ORTEGA () | 83.65 | X | | | |
| GU VO 188.3 | 1. FERN SALCIDO () | 94.15 | X | | | |
| | 2. EMILIO LEWIS (Michael Flores) | 94.15 | X | | | |
| SAN LUCY 160.7 | 1. ALBERT MANUEL, JR. (John W. Lawson, Sr.) | 80.35 | X | | | |
| | 2. GLORIA RAMIREZ () | 80.35 | X | | | |
| PISINEMO 174.7 | 1. BARBARA SALVICIO (Alex Antone) | 87.35 | X | | | |
| | 2. PATRICIA CRUZ (Johnson Jose) | 87.35 | X | | | |
| GU ACHI 230.7 | 1. CAMILLUS LOPEZ () | 115.35 | X | | | |
| | 2. ALEX J. RAMON (Jerome Joaquin) | 115.35 | X | | | |
| BABOQUIVARI 317.7 | 1. FRANCES MIGUEL () | 158.85 | X | | | |
| | 2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Lucilda Norris-Valenzuela) | 158.85 | X | | | X |
| SAN XAVIER 184.7 | 1. TONY BURRELL () | 92.35 | X | | | |
| | 2. DENNIS RAMON () | 92.35 | X | | | |
| SCHUK TOAK 144.5 | 1. MARY FLORES () | 72.25 | X | | | |
| | 2. AMBROSE ENCINAS (Frances B. Conde(Francisco)) | 72.25 | X | | | |
| SELLS 416.1 | 1. DENNIS E. JOSE () | 208.05 | X | | | |
| | 2. EVELYN JUAN () | 208.05 | X | | | |
| SIF OIDAK 184.7 | 1. ISIDRO LOPEZ () | 92.35 | X | | | |
| | 2. RITA A. MARTINEZ (Nicholas Jose) | 92.35 | X | | | |
| TOTAL | | 2,417.5 | 2,417.5 | -0- | -0- | [01] |

**PASSED VOTES