

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Requesting the United States to Take Lands into Trust Under the Terms of the
Gila Bend Indian Reservation Lands Replacement Act)**

RESOLUTION NO. 01-577

1 **WHEREAS, the Gila Bend Indian Reservation Lands Replacement Act, Public Law 99-503 (the**
2 **“Replacement Act”), requires the United States to take into trust for the benefit of the**
3 **Tohono O’odham Nation (“Nation”) lands selected and purchased by the Nation**
4 **provided that the lands purchased meet the requirements of the Replacement Act; and**

5 **WHEREAS, the Nation, at the request of San Lucy District, is in the process of purchasing**
6 **approximately 1,181 acres of land in Sections 25 and 26, Township 5 South, Range 5**
7 **West, in Maricopa County adjacent to San Lucy Village (the “Property”), which land**
8 **does meet the requirements of the Replacement Act; and**

9 **WHEREAS, this parcel of land will be the second separate area of land acquired by the Nation**
10 **under the terms of the Replacement Act, the first area being San Lucy Farms; and**

11 **WHEREAS, the Replacement Act, as modified by the Secretarial waiver granted by the Bureau of**
12 **Indian Affairs on May 31, 2000, limits the Nation to acquiring replacement lands in five**
13 **separate areas; and**

14 **WHEREAS, the Nation anticipates that the United States Department of the Interior will take the**
15 **Property into trust in an expedient manner soon after the purchase is completed.**

16 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O’odham Legislative Council requests that**
17 **the United States take the Property into trust for the benefit of the Tohono O’odham**
18 **Nation under the terms of the Replacement Act, and that the United States do so in an**
19 **expedient manner.**

20 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O’odham Legislative Council on the 09TH. Day**
21 **of NOVEMBER, 2001 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,273.0 FOR; -0-**
22 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and 144.5 [08] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council**
23 **by Section 1 (i) of Article VI, and Section 9 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the Tohono O’Odham**
24 **Nation, adopted by the Tohono O’Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting**
25 **Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16**
26 **of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).**

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL



Rita A. Martinez, Legislative Chairwoman

15th day of November, 20 01

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1 ATTEST:

2 Juliana Saraficio
3 Juliana Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

4 09 day of November, 20 01.

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8 Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham
9 Nation on the 15th day of November, 20 01 at 1:12 o'clock, P.M.,
10 pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become effective
11 upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48 hours of
12 submittal.

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14 TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

15 Rita A. Martinez
16 Rita A. Martinez, Legislative Chairwoman

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24 APPROVED

on the 19th day of November, 20 01

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26 DISAPPROVED

at 12:58 o'clock, P.M.

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29 EXCEEDED 48 HOURS

30 Edward D. Manuel
31 EDWARD D. MANUEL, Chairman
32 TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

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37 Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 20th day of

38 November, 20 01, at 9:15 o'clock, A.M.

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41 Juliana Saraficio
42 Juliana Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

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ACTION: REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES TO TAKE LANDS INTO TRUST UNDER THE TERMS OF THE GILA BEND INDIAN RESERVATION LANDS REPLACEMENT ACT

MOVED: COUNCILMAN ALBERT MANUEL, JR.

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN FRANCES MIGUEL

DATE: NOVEMBER 09, 2001

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQIVARI 317.7	1. FRANCES MIGUEL ()	158.85	X			
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Lucilda Norris-Valenzuela)	158.85	X			
CHUKUT KUK 248.1	1. KENNETH WILLIAMS (Juanita Homer)	124.05	X			
	2. DAVID GARCIA (Mary Audrey Juan)	124.05	X			X
GU ACHI 230.7	1. CAMILLUS LOPEZ ()	115.35	X			
	2. ALEX J. RAMON (Jerome Joaquin)	115.35	X			X
GU VO 188.3	1. FERN SALCIDO ()	94.15	X			X
	2. EMILIO LEWIS (Michael Flores)	94.15	X			
HICKIWAN 167.3	1. SHIRLEY MOLINA ()	83.65	X			X
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ()	83.65	X			
PISINEMO 174.7	1. BARBARA SALVICIO (Alex Antone)	87.35	X			
	2. PATRICIA CRUZ (Johnson Jose)	87.35	X			X
SAN LUCY 160.7	1. ALBERT MANUEL, JR. (John W. Lawson, Sr.)	80.35	X			
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ ()	80.35	X			
SAN XAVIER 184.7	1. TONY BURRELL ()	92.35	X			
	2. DENNIS RAMON ()	92.35	X			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 MARTINEZ (Nicholas Jose)	92.35	X			
TOTAL		2,417.5	2,273.0	-0-	-0-	144.5 [08]

****PASSED VOTES**