

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Supporting an Appropriation by the US Congress to Fund Operational and Startup
Costs for an Adult and Juvenile Facility at \$10,000,000.00)

RESOLUTION NO. 02-143

1 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation with a land area of 2.8 million acres and a population of**
2 **23,000 members contracts its own Law Enforcement program; and**

3 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation currently operates a Corrections/Detention facility as**
4 **part of its Law Enforcement Program; and**

5 **WHEREAS, the present Corrections building is owned by the BIA, was constructed to house thirty-**
6 **four inmates; but is extremely over crowded which presently houses over one hundred**
7 **twenty inmates and contains no available space for expansion to develop educational**
8 **or treatment programs for inmates; and**

9 **WHEREAS, the current Juvenile Correctional facility faces the same problem as it too is over**
10 **crowded and is in need of program space to treat youthful drug and alcohol related**
11 **offenders; and**

12 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation seeks to provide its members and community with**
13 **protection from harm and to provide a safe, secure and humane environment for**
14 **those awaiting trial and those who are serving a jail sentencing.**

15 **WHEREAS, the Legislative Council of the Tohono O'odham Nation supports the goal to provide**
16 **treatment and healing programs for those who are serving a jail sentence.**

17 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Council of the Tohono O'odham Nation**
18 **supports the Corrections Facility Project Group which is a partnership between the**
19 **Executive and Judicial Branches of the Tohono O'odham Nation government to**
20 **jointly plan, implement, and operate a modern Corrections facility capable of**
21 **appropriately serving the unique needs of both juveniles and adults in an effort to**
22 **reduce cost by sharing support facilities infrastructure.**

23 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislative Council of the Tohono O'odham Nation**
24 **supports the Corrections Facility Project Group in its request to increase the P. L. 93-**
25 **638 in the amount of \$10 million dollars for operational and start up costs for the**
26 **staffing of the facility as well as furnishing, transport vehicles and professional**
27 **services of an adult and Juvenile Correction Facility.**

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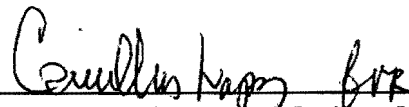
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1 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Appropriations Committee is hereby authorized and directed**
2 **to bring the request of \$10 million dollars total, for operations and startup costs to the**
3 **existing P.L. 93-638 funding sources for Tohono O'odham Law Enforcement and**
4 **Judicial Services to the appropriate agencies, members and committees of Congress**
5 **for the operations of the Adult and Juvenile Corrections Facility.**

6 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 01st. Day**
7 **of April, 2002 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,337.15 FOR; -0- AGAINST;**
8 **80.35 NOT VOTING; and [02] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Section 1 (f)**
9 **of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono O'odham**
10 **Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs**
11 **(Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).**

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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17 **Rita A. Martinez, Legislative Chairwoman**

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19 4th day of April, 20 02

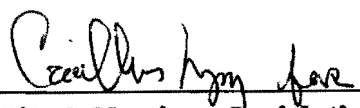
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22 **ATTEST:**

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26 **Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary**

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28 01 day of April, 20 02.

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30 **Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham**
31 **Nation on the 4th day of April, 20 02 at 4:24 o'clock, P. .M.,**
32 **pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become effective**
33 **upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48 hours of**
34 **submittal.**

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36 **TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

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40 **Rita A. Martinez, Legislative Chairwoman**

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APPROVED

on the 5 day of APR, 20 02

DISAPPROVED

at 4:50 o'clock, P.M.



**EDWARD D. MANUEL, Chairman
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION**

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 5th day of

April, 20 02, at 5:10 o'clock, P.M.


Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: SUPPORTING AN APPROPRIATION BY THE US CONGRESS TO FUND OPERATIONAL AND STARTUP COSTS FOR AN ADULT AND JUVENILE FACILITY AT \$10,000,000.00

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN FRANCES MIGUEL

SECOND: COUNCILMAN DENNIS RAMON

DATE: APRIL 01, 2002

| DISTRICT | LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES | # OF VOTES | FOR | AGAINST | NOT VOTING | ABSENT |
|-----------------------------|---|----------------|-----------------|------------|--------------|-------------|
| BABOQUIVARI 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 | | | |
| GU ACHI 188.3 | 1. CAMILLUS LOPEZ () | 115.35 | X | | | |
| | 2. ALEX J. RAMON (Michael Flores) | 115.35 | X | | | |
| GU VO 188.3 | 1. FERN SALCIDO** () | 94.15 | 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 | | | |
| SAN LUCY 160.7 | 1. ALBERT MANUEL JR. (Johnson W. Larson) | 80.35 | X | | | |
| | 2. GLORIA RAMIREZ () | 80.35 | | | X | |
| SAN XAVIER 184.7 | 1. (VACANT) () | 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 | | | X |
| SELLS 416.1 | 1. DENNIS E. JOSE () | 208.05 | X | | | |
| | 2. EVELYN JUAN** () | 208.05 | X | | | |
| SIF ODAK 184.7 | 1. ISIDRO LOPEZ () | 92.35 | X | | | |
| | 2. RITA A. MARTINEZ (Nicholas Jose) | 92.35 | X | | | |
| TOTAL | | 2,417.5 | 2,337.15 | -0- | 80.35 | [02] |

****PASSED VOTES**