

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(In Support of Employment Assistance Program FY 2004 Appropriation Budget)**

RESOLUTION NO. 02-147

1 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation covers an area in excess of 2.8 million acres and has a**
2 **population of over 25,000 people who are widely dispersed throughout the four**
3 **separated reservation lands; and**

4 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation is largely dependent on quality training and education**
5 **of its membership which is also dependent on appropriated funding; and**

6 **WHEREAS, economic development on the Nation hinges on the ability of the educational system**
7 **to provide a pool of people with the expertise that will enable them to be contributors**
8 **to their Nation's governance and economic future; and**

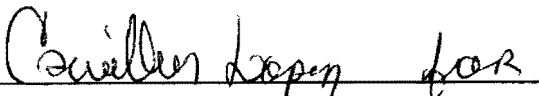
9 **WHEREAS, the basic budget for the Employment Assistance Program is at \$328,630.00 for this**
10 **year, however, the amount continues to be inadequate to meet the demands of the**
11 **population served; and**

12 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation Education Department has submitted an appropriation**
13 **request for an additional \$650,645.08 to expand services provided under the existing**
14 **programs of the Employment Assistance Program.**

15 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that it does hereby**
16 **urgently request that Congress increase its appropriations for the Employment**
17 **Assistance Program for the Tohono O'odham Nation in the amount of \$650,645.08 and**
18 **that the appropriate officers of the Nation are hereby authorized and directed to**
19 **bring this request to the appropriate members and committees of Congress.**

20 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 01ST day**
21 **of APRIL, 2002 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 1,840.25 FOR; 577.25**
22 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [01] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
23 **Section 1 (j) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono**
24 **O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary -**
25 **Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48**
26 **Stat. 984).**

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28 **TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

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

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34 4th day of April, 2002
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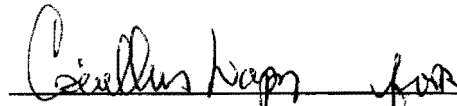
ATTEST:


Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary


01 day of April, 20 02.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 4th day of April, 20 02 at 4:25 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 05 day of Apr, 20 02
 DISAPPROVED at 5:55 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: IN SUPPORT OF EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FY 2004 APPROPRIATION BUDGET

MOVED: VICE CHAIRMAN CAMILLUS LOPEZ

SECOND: COUNCILMAN DAVID GARCIA

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 230.7	1. CAMILLUS LOPEZ ()	115.35	X			
	2. ALEX J. RAMON (Jerome Joaquin)	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			
	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. (John W. Lawson, Sr.)	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 OIDAK 184.7	1. ISIDRO LOPEZ ()	92.35	X			
	2. RITA MARTINEZ (Nicholas Jose)	92.35	X			
TOTAL		2,417.5	1,840.25	577.25	-0-	[01]

**PASSED VOTES