

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving Initiative Measure, "Tohono O'odham Nation Members in Support
of the Sun Rise Hill Site for the Cultural Center Museum")**

**DEFEATED
RESOLUTION NO. 02-217**

1 **WHEREAS, Article VI, Section 1(g) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation vests the**
2 **Legislative Council with authority "to enact laws and ordinances for conducting and**
3 **regulating elections"; and**

4 **WHEREAS, the Legislative Council did enact the Uniform Election Ordinance ("Election**
5 **Ordinance"), Ordinance No. 03-86, which identifies the roles of the Tohono O'odham**
6 **Election Board and the Legislative Council in the initiative process; and**

7 **WHEREAS, pursuant to Article XII of the Election Ordinance, the Election Board has certified**
8 **Initiative Petition No. IN-01-02, "Tohono O'odham Nation Members in Support of the**
9 **Sun Rise Hill Site for the Cultural Center Museum" ("Initiative"); and**

10 **WHEREAS, in accordance with Article XII, Section 7(D)(1), of the Election Ordinance, the Election**
11 **Board did (1) notify the Legislative Council Chairwoman of the Petition and Board**
12 **certification on May 3, 2002, (2) file the Petition with the Legislative Council on the**
13 **same date, and (3) request that the Council either adopt the Initiative Measure or call**
14 **a special election within ninety (90) days of receiving the Petition; and**

15 **WHEREAS, pursuant to Article XII, Section 9(A), of the Election Ordinance, the Legislative Council**
16 **"shall either adopt the initiative measure by a majority vote without alteration or**
17 **shall call for a special election to be held not later than ninety days after the petition**
18 **was filed with the council"; and**

19 **WHEREAS, the Legislative Council has reviewed the Initiative Measure supporting selection of**
20 **the Sun Rise Hill site.**

21 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council hereby adopts**
22 **Initiative Measure, "Tohono O'odham Nation Members in Support of the Sun Rise Hill**
23 **Site for the Cultural Center Museum," without alteration as follows:**

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25 **Approval for the location of the Cultural Center Museum at the proposed Sun Rise Hill**
26 **Site within the Gu Achi District.**

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28 **Cultural Center Museum is a long time dream for our Tohono O'odham Members.**

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30 **A. To provide an appropriate storage for artifacts and other materials.**

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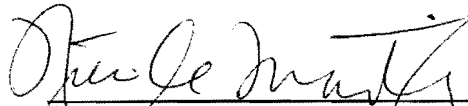
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- B. A place for the Nation's people to learn, teach, and preserve the Nation's culture.**
- C. Resolution No. 2000-275 approved appropriations for the construction, salaries and operation for project management for the cultural center museum.**
- D. Cultural Center Museum will be accessible from all directions within the Tohono O'odham Nation.**
- E. Economically feasible:

Cultural Center Museum is accessible for tourism opportunity. Location: On Route 15, and eight miles north of Highway 86.**
- F. A site analysis has been done on Sun Rise Hill site, within the Gu Achi District and it was found to be cost efficient for the infrastructure.**

The foregoing Resolution was presented to the Tohono O'Odham Legislative Council on the 10TH Day of MAY, 2002 at a meeting at which a quorum was present, and by a vote of 323.05 FOR; 2,094.45 AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [02] ABSENT, failed to pass because it did not receive a majority of the votes cast as required by Section 2 of Article V of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation.

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL



Rita A. Martinez, Legislative Chairwoman

ATTEST:



Julianna Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

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ACTION: APPROVING INITIATIVE MEASURE, "TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION MEMBERS IN SUPPORT OF THE SUN RISE HILL SITE FOR THE CULTURAL CENTER MUSEUM"

MOVED: VICE CHAIRMAN CAMILLUS LOPEZ

SECOND: COUNCILMAN ALBERT MANUEL, JR.

DATE: MAY 10, 2002

| DISTRICT | LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES | # OF VOTES | FOR | AGAINST | NOT VOTING | ABSENT |
|-----------------------------|---|----------------|---------------|-----------------|------------|-------------|
| BABOQUIVARI 317.7 | 1. FRANCES MIGUEL () | 158.85 | | X | | 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 | | 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. CRESCENCIO "TONY" ENCINAS** () | 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 MARTINEZ (Nicholas Jose) | 92.35 | | X | | |
| TOTAL | | 2,417.5 | 323.05 | 2,094.45 | -0- | [02] |

****PASSED VOTES**