

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Supporting Passage of the Native American Housing Assistance and Self Determination
Reauthorization Act of 2001)

RESOLUTION NO. 02-378

1 **WHEREAS, the United States of America shares a government-to-government relationship with**
2 **Indian tribes and has a trust responsibility to Indian people; and**

3 **WHEREAS, an essential part of the federal government's trust responsibility is to provide**
4 **affordable homes in safe and healthy environments and to empower tribes to improve**
5 **their housing conditions and socioeconomic status; and**

6 **WHEREAS, the Native American Housing Assistance and Self Determination Act of 1996**
7 **("NAHASDA") (25 U.S.C. § 4100 et seq.) was developed to make block grants, provide**
8 **loan guarantees, and provide training and technical assistance to tribes in order that**
9 **they might carry out affordable housing activities; and**

10 **WHEREAS, the initial authorization to make appropriations under NAHASDA has expired; and**

11 **WHEREAS, the Native America Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Reauthorization Act**
12 **of 2001 (H.R. 1873 and S. 1210), which is now pending in the United States Congress,**
13 **would reauthorize appropriations for NAHASDA block grants, guarantees, and**
14 **training and technical assistance through fiscal year 2006; and**

15 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation suffers from a chronic shortage of safe and affordable**
16 **housing; and**

17 **WHEREAS, the Nation utilizes NAHASDA funding to provide critical housing services to the**
18 **Nation's members.**

19 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council strongly**
20 **supports the Native America Housing Assistance and Self-Determination**
21 **Reauthorization Act of 2001.**

22 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Legislative Council urges the Arizona delegation and**
23 **other members of the United States Congress to honor the federal government's trust**
24 **obligation to Indian tribes and Indian people by passing the NAHASDA**
25 **Reauthorization Act and thereby authorizing appropriations through fiscal year 2006.**

26 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 10TH Day**
27 **of SEPTEMBER, 2002 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 1,370.5 FOR;**
28 **963.35 AGAINST; 83.65 NOT VOTING; and [03] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council**
29 **by Section 1 (f) & (j) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the**
30 **Tohono O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
31 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**
32 **18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).**

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TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Cecilia Lopez for
Rita A. Martinez, Legislative Chairwoman

11th day of September, 20 02

ATTEST:

Juliana Saraficio
Juliana Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

10 day of September, 20 02.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 11th day of September, 20 02 at 8:52 o'clock, A. .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

Cecilia Lopez for
Rita A. Martinez, Legislative Chairwoman

APPROVED

on the 11 day of September, 20 02

DISAPPROVED

at 9:30 o'clock, P. .M.

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

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 12th day of

September, 20 02, at 8:33 o'clock, A. .M.

Juliana Saraficio for
Juliana Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: SUPPORTING PASSAGE OF THE NATIVE AMERICAN HOUSING ASSISTANCE AND SELF DETERMINATION REAUTHORIZATION ACT OF 2001

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN FERN SALCIDO

SECOND: COUNCILMAN ISIDRO LOPEZ

DATE: SEPTEMBER 10, 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			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		X
SAN XAVIER 184.7	1. FELICIA NUÑEZ ()	92.35	X			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 ODAK 184.7	1. ISIDRO LOPEZ ()	92.35	X			
	2. RITA MARTINEZ (Nicholas Jose)	92.35		X		
TOTAL		2,417.5	1,370.5	963.35	83.65	[03]

**PASSED VOTES