

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving an Attorney Contract with the Law Offices of Louis W. Barassi Related to
Initiative Business Grants)**

RESOLUTION NO. 03-020

1 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council appropriated \$15 million for business**
2 **grants to enrolled members of the Tohono O'odham Nation, as authorized under an**
3 **Initiative (IN-01-97); and**

4 **WHEREAS, the Legislative Council has approved the fiscal year 2003 budget for the Economic**
5 **Development Department (the "Department") related to the Department's**
6 **administration of the grant program; and**

7 **WHEREAS, the Department, grantees and grant applicants require advice on the laws applicable**
8 **to grantee businesses situated within the United States; and**

9 **WHEREAS, the approved budget of the Department includes funds to engage attorneys for that**
10 **purpose (24-1805.810); and**

11 **WHEREAS, under Resolution No. 02-081, an Attorney Contract with the Law Office of Louis W.**
12 **Barassi was approved and the Department wishes to continue with this**
13 **representation; and**

14 **WHEREAS, an Attorney Contract with Louis W. Barassi in the amount of \$10,500.00 has been**
15 **prepared, copies of which are attached; and**

16 **WHEREAS, the Domestic Affairs, Commerce, and Budget & Finance Committees recommend**
17 **approval of the Attorney Contract.**

18 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

- 19 **1. The Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves, in the form attached hereto,**
20 **an Attorney Contract with the Law Office of Louis W. Barassi in the amount of**
21 **\$10,500 for fiscal year 2003 and payable from the fiscal year 2003 budget of the**
22 **Economic Development Department (Account No. 24-1805.810).**
- 23 **2. The Chairman of the Nation is authorized and directed to execute the foregoing**
24 **Attorney Contract.**

25 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 08TH Day**
26 **of JANUARY, 2003 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,001.4 FOR; -0-**
27 **AGAINST; 416.1 NOT VOTING; and [03] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
28 **Section 1 (d)(2)&(f) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the**
29 **Tohono O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
30 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**
31 **18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).**

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TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Rita A. Martinez

Rita A. Martinez, Legislative Chairwoman

9th day of January, 20 03

ATTEST:

Juliana Saraficio

Juliana Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

08 day of January, 20 03.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 9th day of January, 20 03 at 2:06 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

Rita A. Martinez, Legislative Chairwoman

APPROVED

on the 10 day of January, 20 03

DISAPPROVED

at 10:25 o'clock, A.M.

Edward D. Manuel

EDWARD D. MANUEL, Chairman

TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 10 day of

January, 20 03, at 2:30 o'clock, P.M.

Juliana Saraficio

Juliana Saraficio, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING AN ATTORNEY CONTRACT WITH THE LAW OFFICES OF LOUIS W. BARASSI RELATED TO INITIATIVE BUSINESS GRANTS

MOVED: COUNCILMAN DENNIS RAMON

SECOND: COUNCILMAN DAVID GARCIA

DATE: JANUARY 08, 2003

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. 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. FELICIA NUÑEZ ()	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			X
TOTAL		2,417.5	2,001.4	-0-	416.1	[03]

****PASSED VOTES**