

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving FY06 Attorney Contract for Sandra Davis)

RESOLUTION NO. 06-229

1 **WHEREAS, the Advocate Program is representing the interests of the natural father and paternal**
2 **relatives of two Tohono O'odham children in a custody case pending before the**
3 **Judicial Court of the Tohono O'odham Nation; and**

4 **WHEREAS, the children are currently in the care of a non-Indian husband and wife in the State**
5 **of Pennsylvania who have refused to return custody of said children to their Tohono**
6 **O'odham natural father and paternal relatives and, after having been served with**
7 **Preliminary Orders of the Tohono O'odham Court by personal service in**
8 **Pennsylvania, have disregarded such Orders and filed for custody in Pennsylvania**
9 **state court; and**

10 **WHEREAS, the Advocate Program has prepared a Motion to Dismiss for Lack of Jurisdiction**
11 **under the Indian Child Welfare Act and Pennsylvania's Uniform Child Custody**
12 **Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act, and requires local counsel to submit and argue the**
13 **same in the Pennsylvania state court; and**

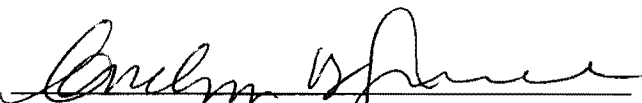
14 **WHEREAS, the Domestic Affairs Committee and the Budget and Finance Committee have each**
15 **reviewed the contract and recommended its submission to the Legislative Council.**

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

- 17 **1. The Tohono O'odham Legislative Council ratifies and approves the Attorney**
18 **Contract for Sandra Davis in the form attached hereto for the period of April 1,**
19 **2006 through September 30, 2006 in an amount not to exceed \$2,500.00 total and**
20 **authorizes the Chairwoman of the Nation to execute it.**
- 21 **2. Funding for the Attorney Contract for Sandra Davis shall be provided under the**
22 **operating budget of the Advocate Program for fiscal year 2006.**

23 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 3RD day**
24 **of APRIL, 2006 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,440.80 FOR; -0-**
25 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [02] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
26 **Section 2 (a) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the**
27 **Tohono O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
28 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**
29 **18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).**

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL


Evelyn B. Juan Manuel, Legislative Chairwoman

4th day of April, 2006

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ATTEST:

Lucille Lopez

Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

03 day of April, 2006.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairwoman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 4th day of April, 2006 at 8:23 o'clock, A.M., pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become effective upon her approval or upon her failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48 hours of submittal.

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Evelyn B. Juan Manuel
Evelyn B. Juan Manuel, Legislative Chairwoman

APPROVED

on the 4th day of April, 2006

DISAPPROVED

at 8:36 o'clock, A.M.

Vivian Juan Saunders
VIVIAN JUAN SAUNDERS, CHAIRWOMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 04 day of

April, 2006, at 8:45 o'clock, A.M.

Lucille Lopez

Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING FY06 ATTORNEY CONTRACT FOR SANDRA DAVIS

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN GLORIA RAMIREZ

SECOND: COUNCILMAN JOHN LAWSON, SR.

DATE: APRIL 03, 2006

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 310.8	1. FRANCES MIGUEL (Vernon J. Smith)	155.40	X			X
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Lucilda J. Valenzuela (Norris))	155.40	X			
CHUKUT KUK 258.7	1. ETHEL GARCIA ()	129.35	X			
	2. VERLON M. JOSE (David Garcia)	129.35	X			
GU ACHI 221.6	1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Jonas Robles)	110.80	X			
	2. CYNTHIA E. MANUEL (Louis L. Johnson)	110.80	X			
GU VO 193.1	1. RAYMOND VICTOR ()	96.55	X			
	2. MICHAEL FLORES (Absent) (Grace Manuel) (Present)	96.55	X			
HICKIWAN 167.4	1. DELMA GARCIA (Mary E. Sam)	83.70	X			X
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ()	83.70	X			
PISINEMO 171.8	1. BARBARA SALVICIO ()	85.90	X			
	2. GERALD FAYUANT ()	85.90	X			
SAN LUCY 169.0	1. JOHN W. LAWSON, SR. ()	84.50	X			
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ ()	84.50	X			
SAN XAVIER 193.8	1. FELICIA NUÑEZ ()	96.90	X			
	2. OLIVIA VILLEGAS-LISTON (Eileen A. Estrada-Lopez)	96.90	X			
SCHUK TOAK 146.9	1. FRANCES B. CONDE ()	73.45	X			
	2. PHYLLIS JUAN ()	73.45	X			
SELLS 421.0	1. MARLENE SARAFICIO-JUAN ()	210.50	X			
	2. EVELYN B. JUAN MANUEL (Absent) (Kimberly Listo) (Present)	210.50	X			
SIF OIDAK 186.7	1. WAVALENE SAUNDERS (Isidro Lopez)	93.35	X			
	2. DARLENE ANDREW (Rita Martinez)	93.35	X			
TOTAL		2,440.80	2,440.80	-0-	-0-	[02]

**PASSED VOTES