

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving an Attorney Contract for FY2007 with the Law Firm of Yoder & Langford,
P.C., Relating to Internal Revenue Service Audits)

RESOLUTION NO. 06-708

1 **WHEREAS, the United States Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") has been conducting audits at**
2 **various District offices; and**

3 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation ("Nation") has an interest in insuring that such audits**
4 **are conducted in accordance with law and that the Districts receive competent legal**
5 **advice regarding such audits and regarding the financial transactions which District**
6 **offices engage in; and**

7 **WHEREAS, the Nation entered into an attorney contract with the law firm of Yoder & Langford,**
8 **P.C., in July 2006, to provide needed legal representation, which contract will**
9 **terminate after September 30, 2006; and**

10 **WHEREAS, there is a continuing need for legal representation on matters relating to IRS audits**
11 **and related inquiries of the Districts and the Nation; and**

12 **WHEREAS, the funding for this Attorney Contract will come from the budget of the Office of**
13 **Attorney General (01-1031-810), which has sufficient funds for the contract amount.**

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

- 15 **1. The Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the Attorney Contract with the**
16 **law firm of Yoder & Langford in the amount of \$50,000.00 for the period ending on**
17 **September 30, 2007, substantially in the form attached hereto.**
- 18 **2. Funding for the Attorney Contract shall be provided from the budget of the Office**
19 **of Attorney General (01-1031-810).**
- 20 **3. The Chairperson of the Nation is authorized and directed to execute the Attorney**
21 **Contract.**

22 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 13TH Day**
23 **of OCTOBER, 2006 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,293.9 FOR; -0-**
24 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and 146.9 [07] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
25 **Section 2 (a) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the**
26 **Tohono O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
27 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**
28 **18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).**

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL



Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman

16 day of October, 2006

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ATTEST:

Lucille Lopez

Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

13 day of October, 2006.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairwoman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 18 day of October, 2006 at 1:57 o'clock, P.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

Verlon M. Jose

Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman

APPROVED

on the 19 day of October, 2006

DISAPPROVED

at 11:02 o'clock, a.M.

Vivian Juan-Saunders

VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS, CHAIRWOMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 19 day of

October, 2006, at 11:52 o'clock, A.M.

Lucille Lopez

Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING AN ATTORNEY CONTRACT FOR FY2007 WITH THE LAW FIRM OF YODER & LANGFORD, P.C.,
RELATING TO INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE AUDITS

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN GLORIA RAMIREZ

SECOND: COUNCILMAN TIMOTHY JOAQUIN

DATE: OCTOBER 13, 2006

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 310.8	1. FRANCES MIGUEL (Vernon J. Smith)	155.40	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			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 (Grace Manuel)	96.55	X			X
HICKIWAN 167.4	1. DELMA GARCIA (Mary E. Sam)	83.70	X			
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ()	83.70	X			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			X
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ ()	84.50	X			
SAN XAVIER 193.8	1. FELICIA NUÑEZ ()	96.90	X			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 (Kimberly Listo)	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	2,293.9	-0-	-0-	146.9 [07]

****PASSED VOTES**