

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving Tohono O'odham Gaming Office FY2007 Supplemental Budget and
Appropriating Funds for Investigations)

RESOLUTION NO. 07-493

1 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation by Resolution No. 93-296, enacted an Ordinance for the**
2 **Regulation of Gaming Activities within the Tohono O'odham Nation; and**

3 **WHEREAS, the Ordinance for the Regulation of Gaming Activities was amended in 2007 by**
4 **Resolution No. 07-300 (the "Gaming Ordinance"); and**

5 **WHEREAS, Section 401 of the Gaming Ordinance provides that the Tohono O'odham Gaming**
6 **Office (the "Gaming Office") shall have overall civil regulatory authority over Gaming**
7 **Activities within the Nation and over the Gaming Facility Operator as specifically**
8 **provided in the Gaming Ordinance; and**

9 **WHEREAS, Section 403 (c) of the Gaming Ordinance provides that the Gaming Office may**
10 **investigate any aspect of Gaming Activities or the Gaming Facility Operator necessary**
11 **to protect the public interest in the integrity of Gaming Activities and the integrity of**
12 **the Gaming Facility Operator to assure that the Gaming Facility Operator is**
13 **accountable for and able to protect its assets and to prevent improper or unlawful**
14 **conduct in the course of Gaming Activities; and**

15 **WHEREAS the Gaming Office requires consultants to conduct investigations and analyze**
16 **financial data concerning an ongoing Gaming Office investigation into Gaming**
17 **Activities and the Gaming Facility Operator in order to adequately protect the public**
18 **interest and the integrity of Gaming Activities and the integrity of the Gaming Facility**
19 **Operator; and**

20 **WHEREAS, the Gaming Office has proposed a supplemental budget in the amount of \$150,000 to**
21 **line item 810, Professional Services, to fund the consultant contracts necessary to**
22 **conduct the investigations; and**

23 **WHEREAS, it is in the interest of the Nation that these investigations take place to preserve the**
24 **integrity of Gaming Activities and the Gaming Facility Operator.**

25 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council hereby:**

- 26 **1. Approves the Tohono O'odham Gaming Office FY2007 Supplemental Budget in**
27 **the form attached hereto, and authorizes the Gaming Office to expend the funds**
28 **in accordance with the budget.**
- 29 **2. Appropriates one-time funding of \$150,000 from the general funds of the Nation**
30 **to fund the Tohono O'odham Gaming Office FY2007 Supplemental Budget.**

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The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 25TH Day of JULY, 2007 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,362.5 FOR; -0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and 172.0[04] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Section 1 (d)(2)&(3) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman
Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman

26th day of July, 2007

ATTEST:

Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary
Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

25 day of July, 2007.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 26th day of July, 2007 at 3:54 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

Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman
Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman

APPROVED on the 30 day of July, 2007

DISAPPROVED at 11:40 o'clock, A.M.

Ned Norris, Jr., Chairman
NED NORRIS, JR., CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

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Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 30 day of

July, 2007, at 11:50 o'clock, A.M.

Lucille Lopez
Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING TOHONO O'ODHAM GAMING OFFICE FY2007 SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR INVESTIGATIONS

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN FRANCES CONDE

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN PHYLLIS CACHORA

DATE: JULY 25, 2007

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQIVARI 316.9	1. FRANCES MIGUEL <i>(Absent)</i> (Roberta Harvey) <i>(Present)</i>	158.45	X			
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE ()	158.45	X			X
CHUKUT KUK 264.8	1. ETHEL GARCIA ()	132.40	X			
	2. VERLON M. JOSE ()	132.40	X			
GU ACHI 227.9	1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Louis L. Johnson)	113.95	X			
	2. CYNTHIA E. MANUEL ()	113.95	X			
GU VO 199.2	1. GRACE MANUEL ()	99.60	X			
	2. MICHAEL FLORES ()	99.60	X			X
HICKIWAN 172.0	1. MICHELLE ORTEGA ()	86.00				X
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ()	86.00				X
PISINEMO 182.4	1. CHESTER ANTONE ()	91.20	X			
	2. GERALD FAYUANT ()	91.20	X			
SAN LUCY 181.1	1. LORRAINE EILER ()	90.55	X			
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ ()	90.55	X			
SAN XAVIER 196.5	1. FELICIA NUÑEZ (Adam P. Andrews)	98.25	X			
	2. OLIVIA VILLEGAS-LISTON (Eileen A. Estrada-Lopez)	98.25	X			
SCHUK TOAK 154.6	1. FRANCES B. CONDE (Frederick Jose)	77.30	X			
	2. PHYLLIS CACHORA (Agnes Joaquin)	77.30	X			
SELLS 444.7	1. KIMBERLY LISTO ()	222.35	X			
	2. EVELYN B. JUAN MANUEL ()	222.35	X			
SIF OIDAK 194.4	1. WAVALENE ROMERO ()	97.20	X			
	2. MARY LOPEZ ()	97.20	X			
TOTAL		2,534.5	2,362.5	-0-	-0-	172.0[04]

****PASSED VOTES**