

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving FY 2008 Apportionment of Mining Royalties by Equal Distribution)**

RESOLUTION NO. 07-752

1 **WHEREAS, the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation vests the Tohono O'odham Legislative**
2 **Council with broad legislative and fiscal powers, including the power to manage any**
3 **funds within the exclusive control of the Tohono O'odham Nation, including proceeds**
4 **derived from lands and resources of the Tohono O'odham Nation (Constitution, Article**
5 **VI, Section 1(d)(2); and**

6 **WHEREAS, the Budget and Finance Committee has discussed three options for the distribution**
7 **of mining royalties as follows: 1) equal distribution; 2) population distribution; and 3)**
8 **50/50 distribution (1/2 equal and 1/2 population); and**

9 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation Office of the Treasurer has determined the District**
10 **Apportionment as \$2,932,566.45 as of September 30, 2007; and**

11 **WHEREAS, the District allocation is to be apportioned to separate District accounts and made**
12 **available for expenditure subject to budgets approved in accordance with Article VI,**
13 **Section 1(d)(2) and Article IX, Section 7 of the Nation's Constitution.**

14 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that it hereby**
15 **approves and authorizes the FY 2008 apportionment of mining royalties to the**
16 **Districts by equal distribution; provided that such funds shall be made available for**
17 **expenditure subject to budgets approved in accordance with Article VI, Section 1(d)(2)**
18 **and Article IX, Section 7 of the Nation's Constitution.**

19 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 04TH Day**
20 **of DECEMBER, 2007 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 1,772.9 FOR; 761.6**
21 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [04] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
22 **Section 1 (d)(2) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the**
23 **Tohono O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
24 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**
25 **18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).**

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27 **TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

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31 **Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman**

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33  day of December, 2007
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1 ATTEST:

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5 Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

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7 04 day of December, 2007.

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9 Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham
10 Nation on the 6th day of December, 2007 at 4:50 o'clock, P.M.,
11 pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become effective
12 upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48 hours of
13 submittal.

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15 TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL


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18 Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman

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23 APPROVED

on the 7 day of December, 2007

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25 DISAPPROVED

at 9:43 o'clock, A.M.

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29 NED NORRIS, JR., CHAIRMAN
30 TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION
31 VICE CHAIRMAN

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34 Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 07 day of

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36 December, 2007, at 10:12 o'clock, A.M.

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40 Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

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ACTION: APPROVING FY 2008 APPORTIONMENT OF MINING ROYALTIES BY EQUAL DISTRIBUTION

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN FRANCES CONDE

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN WAVALENE ROMERO

DATE: DECEMBER 04, 2007

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 316.9	1. FRANCES MIGUEL (Roberta Harvey)	158.45		X		
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Vernon Smith)	158.45		X		
CHUKUT KUK 264.8	1. ETHEL GARCIA ()	132.40	X			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			X
GU VO 199.2	1. GRACE MANUEL ()	99.60	X			
	2. MICHAEL FLORES ()	99.60	X			
HICKIWAN 172.0	1. MICHELLE ORTEGA ()	86.00	X			
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ()	86.00	X			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			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	1,772.9	761.6	-0-	[04]

**PASSED VOTES