

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**  
**(Approving the FY 2008 Legislative Branch Surplus Budget in the amount of \$330,446.47)**

**RESOLUTION NO. 08-071**

1 **WHEREAS, the Legislative Council is authorized "to manage any funds within the exclusive**  
2 **control of the Tohono O'odham Nation . . . and to appropriate these funds for the**  
3 **benefit of the nation and its members" provided that "[a]ll expenditures of these funds**  
4 **shall be pursuant to appropriations or budgets" authorized by resolution or ordinance**  
5 **(Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, Article VI, Section 1(d)(2)); and**

6 **WHEREAS, surplus funds have been identified and reported to the Budget and Finance**  
7 **Committee from revenues exceeding the FY 2008 general revenue projection ("FY 2008**  
8 **Surplus Funds"); and**

9 **WHEREAS, the Legislative Branch has prepared and submitted for review and approval its FY 2008**  
10 **Surplus Budget in the amount of \$330,446.47 to address long-standing needs of the**  
11 **Branch, including \$183,000.00 in one-time funding for major capital purchases and**  
12 **donations; and an additional amount of \$147,446.47 in reoccurring funding; and**

13 **WHEREAS, the Budget and Finance Committee and the Legislative Council have reviewed the FY**  
14 **2008 Legislative Branch Surplus Budget.**

15 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council hereby**  
16 **appropriates \$330,446.47, including \$183,000.00 in one-time funding for major capital**  
17 **purchases and donations; and an additional \$147,446.47 in reoccurring funding from**  
18 **FY 2008 Surplus Funds for the FY 2008 Legislative Branch Supplemental Budget, which**  
19 **is hereby approved; provided that any amendments affecting the funds or funding**  
20 **levels of the Budget shall be submitted for further prior approval by the Tohono**  
21 **O'odham Legislative Council.**

22 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this supplemental request does hereby add to the FY 2008**  
23 **Legislative Budget and all salaries within the budget shall be prorated at the date of**  
24 **approval of this Resolution.**

25 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Assistant Legislative Attorney position and salary including**  
26 **additional funds to house the new position will increase the base budget to**  
27 **\$147,446.47.**

28 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that any un-obligated funds from this supplemental request is to be**  
29 **returned to the General Fund.**

30 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that any amendments affecting the funding or funding levels shall be**  
31 **submitted for further prior approval by this Council.**

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The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 19<sup>TH</sup> Day of FEBRUARY, 2008 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,534.5 FOR; -0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [02] 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

  
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Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman

20 day of February, 2008


ATTEST:

  
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Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

19 day of February, 2008.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 20 day of February, 2008 at 4:55 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

  
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Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman

APPROVED

on the 21 day of February, 2008

DISAPPROVED

at 9:18 o'clock, P.M.

  
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NED NORRIS, JR., CHAIRMAN  
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

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Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 22 day of

February, 2008, at 8:25 o'clock, A.M.

*Lucille Lopez*  
Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING THE FY 2008 LEGISLATIVE BRANCH SURPLUS BUDGET IN THE AMOUNT OF \$330,446.47

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN OLIVIA VILLEGAS-LISTON

SECOND: COUNCILMAN TIMOTHY JOAQUIN

DATE: FEBRUARY 19, 2008

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
<b>BABOQUIVARI</b> 316.9	1. FRANCES MIGUEL (Roberta Harvey)	158.45	X			
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Vernon Smith)	158.45	X			
<b>CHUKUT KUK</b> 264.8	1. ETHEL GARCIA ( )	132.40	X			
	2. VERLON M. JOSE ( )	132.40	X			
<b>GU ACHI</b> 227.9	1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Louis L. Johnson)	113.95	X			
	2. CYNTHIA E. MANUEL ( )	113.95	X			
<b>GU VO</b> 199.2	1. GRACE MANUEL ( )	99.60	X			
	2. MICHAEL FLORES ( )	99.60	X			
<b>HICKIWAN</b> 172.0	1. MICHELLE ORTEGA ( )	86.00	X			
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ( )	86.00	X			X
<b>PISINEMO</b> 182.4	1. CHESTER ANTONE ( )	91.20	X			
	2. GERALD FAYUANT ( )	91.20	X			X
<b>SAN LUCY</b> 181.1	1. LORRAINE EILER ( )	90.55	X			
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ ( )	90.55	X			
<b>SAN XAVIER</b> 196.5	1. FELICIA NUÑEZ (Adam P. Andrews)	98.25	X			
	2. OLIVIA VILLEGAS-LISTON (Eileen A. Estrada-Lopez)	98.25	X			
<b>SCHUK TOAK</b> 154.6	1. FRANCES B. CONDE (Frederick Jose)	77.30	X			
	2. PHYLLIS CACHORA (Agnes Joaquin)	77.30	X			
<b>SELLS</b> 444.7	1. KIMBERLY LISTO ( )	222.35	X			
	2. EVELYN B. JUAN MANUEL ( )	222.35	X			
<b>SIF OIDAK</b> 194.4	1. WAVALENE ROMERO ( )	97.20	X			
	2. MARY LOPEZ ( )	97.20	X			
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2,534.5</b>	<b>2,534.5</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>[02]</b>

\*\*PASSED VOTES