

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
(Amending Southern Arizona Water Rights Settlement Act Implementation Budget)**

**RESOLUTION NO. 08-207**

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**  
5 **ordinance (Constitution of the Tohono O’odham Nation, Article VI, Section 1(d)(2)); and**

6 **WHEREAS, after decades of effort to secure a water settlement for lands within the Tohono**  
7 **O’odham Nation (San Xavier District and Eastern Schuk Toak District), on December**  
8 **14, 2007, Title III of the Arizona Water Rights Settlement Act became effective; and**

9 **WHEREAS, in recognition of the numerous tribal, federal, and state parties, officials, and**  
10 **individuals who worked to achieve the passage and enforceability of Title III, the**  
11 **Nation sponsored a Washington, D.C. reception, participated in a Arizona Water Rights**  
12 **Settlement Act celebration on the Gila River Indian Community Reservation, and is**  
13 **planning a celebration on the Nation for Nation’s members; and**

14 **WHEREAS, partial funding for the events has been provided through the Arizona Water Rights**  
15 **Settlement Act Reception and Acknowledgment Event Budget (“AWSA Budget”) that**  
16 **was previously approved by the Legislative Council; and**

17 **WHEREAS, the Water Resources Committee has requested that the AWSA Budget be amended to**  
18 **decrease line item 860 – Special Activities by \$4000, add \$3000 to line item 812 – Public**  
19 **Relations, and fund a new line item 852 – Donations in the amount of \$1000 as**  
20 **provided in the attached AWSA Budget Amendment No. 1; and**

21 **WHEREAS, AWSA Budget Amendment No. 1 has been reviewed by the Legislative Budget and**  
22 **Finance Committee and, if approved, it will not increase the total amount of funds**  
23 **previously appropriated by the Legislative Council.**

24 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Council hereby approves AWSA Budget**  
25 **Amendment No. 1; provided that**

26 **(1) the amended budget shall be administered by the Tohono O’odham Legislative**  
27 **Administration with the approval of expenditures and concurrence of the Tohono**  
28 **O’odham Legislative Council Water Resources Committee;**

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- (2) the Committee shall provide a written report to the Legislative Council of all expenditures under the amended budget; and
- (3) all authority to expend funds under the amended budget shall expire September 31, 2008.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that any additional amendments to the aggregate total of the funds budgeted for the AWSA Budget or the purposes for which the funds were budgeted shall be submitted for prior approval by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council.

The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 14<sup>TH</sup> Day of APRIL, 2008 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,534.5 FOR; -0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [07] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Section 1 (d)(2) and (3) 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).

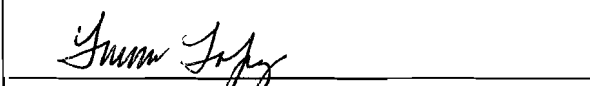
TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL



Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman

25 day of April, 2008

ATTEST:

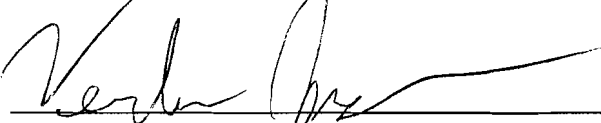


Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

14 day of April, 2008.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 25 day of April, 2008 at 9:39 o'clock, a. .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.

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Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman

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APPROVED

on the 28 day of APRIL, 2008

DISAPPROVED

at 1:36 o'clock, P.M.

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

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of

April, 2008, at 3:35 o'clock, P.M.

MILLIANN SARAFICIO for:  
Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary

ACTION: AMENDING SOUTHERN ARIZONA WATER RIGHTS SETTLEMENT ACT IMPLEMENTATION BUDGET

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN GRACE MANUEL

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN PHYLLIS CACHORA

DATE: APRIL 14, 2008

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
<b>BABOQUIVARI</b> <b>316.9</b>	1. FRANCES MIGUEL (Roberta Harvey)	158.45	X			X
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE ( <i>Absent</i> ) (Vernon Smith) ( <i>Present</i> )	158.45	X			
<b>CHUKUT KUK</b> <b>264.8</b>	1. ETHEL GARCIA ( )	132.40	X			
	2. VERLON M. JOSE ( )	132.40	X			
<b>GU ACHI</b> <b>227.9</b>	1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Louis L. Johnson)	113.95	X			
	2. CYNTHIA E. MANUEL ( )	113.95	X			
<b>GU VO</b> <b>199.2</b>	1. GRACE MANUEL ( )	99.60	X			
	2. MICHAEL FLORES ( )	99.60	X			X
<b>HICKIWAN</b> <b>172.0</b>	1. MICHELLE ORTEGA ( )	86.00	X			
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ( )	86.00	X			X
<b>PISINEMO</b> <b>182.4</b>	1. CHESTER ANTONE ( )	91.20	X			
	2. GERALD FAYUANT ( )	91.20	X			X
<b>SAN LUCY</b> <b>181.1</b>	1. LORRAINE EILER ( )	90.55	X			
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ ( )	90.55	X			X
<b>SAN XAVIER</b> <b>196.5</b>	1. FELICIA NUÑEZ (Adam P. Andrews)	98.25	X			X
	2. OLIVIA VILLEGAS-LISTON (Eileen A. Estrada-Lopez)	98.25	X			
<b>SCHUK TOAK</b> <b>154.6</b>	1. FRANCES B. CONDE (Frederick Jose)	77.30	X			
	2. PHYLLIS CACHORA (Agnes Joaquin)	77.30	X			
<b>SELLS</b> <b>444.7</b>	1. KIMBERLY LISTO ( )	222.35	X			
	2. EVELYN B. JUAN MANUEL ( )	222.35	X			X
<b>SIF OIDAK</b> <b>194.4</b>	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>[07]</b>

\*\*PASSED VOTES