

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving Attorney Contract for FY2009 with Steven Weatherspoon PLLC)**

RESOLUTION NO. 08-625

1 **WHEREAS, the Office of Attorney General continues to require the legal services of Steven**
2 **Weatherspoon to assist the Tohono O'odham Nation with respect to all matters**
3 **relating to the Nation's water, including but not limited to the development of the**
4 **Nation's water code and the implementation of SAWRSA, preparation of regulations**
5 **for the water code, and providing written explanations of the water codes in common**
6 **English format; and**

7 **WHEREAS, funding for the attorney contract will be from the SAWRSA Trust Fund, budget account**
8 **number 21-2010 which has been established for water-related attorney contracts and**
9 **professional services under the Office of Attorney General; and**

10 **WHEREAS, the Domestic Affairs, Water Resources and Budget & Finance Committees have**
11 **reviewed the attorney contract with Steven Weatherspoon PLLC and recommend**
12 **approval by the Legislative Council.**

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

- 14 **1. Approves the Attorney Contract with Steven Weatherspoon, PLLC, in the amount**
15 **of \$100,000.00 for the period October 1, 2008 to September 30, 2009, substantially**
16 **in the form attached hereto.**
- 17 **2. Funding for the Attorney Contract shall be from the SAWRSA trust fund, budget**
18 **account number 21-2010.**
- 19 **3. The Chairperson of the Nation is authorized and directed to execute the Attorney**
20 **Contract.**

21 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 13TH Day**
22 **of OCTOBER, 2008 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,534.5 FOR; -0-**
23 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [06] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Section**
24 **2 (a) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono**
25 **O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary -**
26 **Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48**
27 **Stat. 984).**

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29 **TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

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

34 16 day of October, 2008
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1 ATTEST:
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4 *Lucille Lopez*
5 Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary
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7 13 day of October, 2008.
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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 16 day of October, 2008 at 5:15 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

16 *Verlon Jose*
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18 Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman
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23 APPROVED

on the 16 day of October, 2008

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25 DISAPPROVED

at 7:18 o'clock, P..M.

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27 *Ned Norris, Jr.*
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29 NED NORRIS, JR., CHAIRMAN
30 TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION
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34 Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 17 day of

35 October, 2008, at 9:30 o'clock, A..M.
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38 *Lucille Lopez*
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40 Lucille Lopez, Acting Legislative Secretary
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ACTION: APPROVING ATTORNEY CONTRACT FOR FY2009 WITH STEVEN WEATHERSPOON PLLC

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN OLIVIA VILLEGAS-LISTON

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN PHYLLIS CACHORA

DATE: OCTOBER 13, 2008

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 316.9	1. FRANCES MIGUEL (<i>Absent</i>) (Roberta Harvey) (<i>Present</i>)	158.45	X			
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE (Vernon Smith)	158.45	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			X
GU VO 199.2	1. GRACE MANUEL ()	99.60	X			
	2. RAYMOND VICTOR ()	99.60	X			
HICKIWAN 172.0	1. MICHELLE ORTEGA ()	86.00	X			X
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ()	86.00	X			
PISINEMO 182.4	1. CHESTER ANTONE (Tony Murrietta)	91.20	X			
	2. GERALD FAYUANT ()	91.20	X			X
SAN LUCY 181.1	1. LORRAINE EILER ()	90.55	X			X
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ ()	90.55	X			
SAN XAVIER 196.5	1. FELICIA NUÑEZ ()	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			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	2,534.5	-0-	-0-	[06]

****PASSED VOTES**