

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
(Approving the Revised "Four Southern Tribes of Arizona Policy Statement")**

**RESOLUTION NO. 09-194**

1 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council is vested with the authority to "preserve and**  
2 **cultivate native arts, crafts and traditions" and to "consult, negotiate and conclude**  
3 **agreements and contracts on behalf of the Tohono O'odham Nation with...other Indian**  
4 **tribes" (Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, Article VI, Section 1(c)(8), and**  
5 **Article VI, Section 1(f)); and**

6 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approved an Intertribal Policy in August**  
7 **1989, which facilitated the cooperation of the Gila River Indian Community, the Ak-**  
8 **Chin Indian Community, the Salt River Maricopa Indian Community, and the Tohono**  
9 **O'odham Nation ("Four Southern Tribes of Arizona") in the repatriation of**  
10 **archaeological artifacts and the reburial of human remains (Resolution No. 277-89);**  
11 **and**

12 **WHEREAS, the Four Southern Tribes continue to support each other in the repatriation of human**  
13 **remains, funerary objects, sacred objects, and other archeological and cultural items**  
14 **("remains and cultural items"); and**

15 **WHEREAS, the Four Southern Tribes have issued a revised policy statement which is incorporated**  
16 **by this reference, that continues to support mutual cooperation in each other's efforts**  
17 **to repatriate remains and cultural items; and**

18 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council agrees with the principles of mutual**  
19 **cooperation and support stated in the "Four Southern Tribes of Arizona Policy**  
20 **Statement."**

21 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that it approves**  
22 **the revised "Four Southern Tribes of Arizona Policy Statement."**

23 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 16<sup>TH</sup>. Day**  
24 **of APRIL, 2009 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,335.3 FOR; -0- AGAINST;**  
25 **-0- NOT VOTING; and 199.2[08] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Section 1**  
26 **(f) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono**  
27 **O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary -**  
28 **Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48**  
29 **Stat. 984).**

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31 **TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

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

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37 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 2009  
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ATTEST:

  
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Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

10<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2009.

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'Odham Nation on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 2009 at 12:29 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 23 day of April, 2009

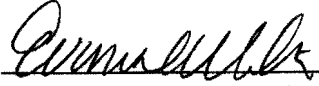
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at 5:30 o'clock, P.M.

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

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 24 day of

April, 2009, at 8:27 o'clock, a.M.

  
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Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING THE REVISED "FOUR SOUTHERN TRIBES OF ARIZONA POLICY STATEMENT"

MOVED: COUNCILMAN TIMOTHY JOAQUIN

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN WAVALENE ROMERO

DATE: APRIL 16, 2009

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
<b>BABOQUIVARI</b> <b>316.9</b>	1. FRANCES MIGUEL ( <i>Absent</i> ) (Roberta Harvey) ( <i>Present</i> )	158.45	X			
	2. FRANCES G. ANTONE ( <i>Absent</i> ) (Vernon Smith) ( <i>Present</i> )	158.45	X			X
<b>CHUKUT KUK</b> <b>264.8</b>	1. ETHEL GARCIA ( )	132.40	X			
	2. VERLON M. JOSE ( )	132.40	X			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			X
<b>GU VO</b> <b>199.2</b>	1. GRACE MANUEL ( )	99.60				X
	2. RAYMOND VICTOR ( )	99.60				X
<b>HICKIWAN</b> <b>172.0</b>	1. MICHELLE ORTEGA ( )	86.00	X			X
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA (Louie Lopez)	86.00	X			
<b>PISINEMO</b> <b>182.4</b>	1. CHESTER ANTONE (Tony Murrietta)	91.20	X			
	2. GERALD FAYUANT ( )	91.20	X			
<b>SAN LUCY</b> <b>181.1</b>	1. LORRAINE EILER ( )	90.55	X			X
	2. GLORIA RAMIREZ ( )	90.55	X			
<b>SAN XAVIER</b> <b>196.5</b>	1. FELICIA NUÑEZ (Adam P. Andrews)	98.25	X			
	2. OLIVIA VILLEGAS-LISTON** (Eileen A. Estrada-Lopez)	98.25	X			
<b>SCHUK TOAK</b> <b>154.6</b>	1. FRANCES B. CONDE ( <i>Absent</i> ) (Frederick Jose) ( <i>Present</i> )	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>2,335.3</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>199.2</b> <b>[8]</b>

\*\*PASSED VOTES