

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**  
**(Appointing Timothy Toro to the TERO Commission for a Term Expiring April 30, 2010)**

**RESOLUTION NO. 09-206**

1 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council is vested with the power to "provide for,**  
2 **appoint, or provide for the appointment of, and prescribe the duties and powers of**  
3 **committees, boards, officers and agents" (Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation,**  
4 **Article VI, Section 1(b)); and**

5 **WHEREAS, in 1985 the Papago Council enacted the Papago Employment Rights Ordinance ("TERO**  
6 **Ordinance"), thereby establishing the Papago Employment Rights Commission (a.k.a.,**  
7 **"TERO Commission") and vesting the Council with the power to select and appoint**  
8 **TERO commissioners (TERO Ordinance, Ordinance No. 01-85, Section 6(B)(2)); and**

9 **WHEREAS, Section 6(C) of the TERO Ordinance further provides that "[c]ommissioners shall be**  
10 **appointed for terms of three years, or until their successors are appointed and**  
11 **qualified, provided, however, that appointments to the Commission shall be made in**  
12 **such a way and for such terms that their terms shall be staggered so that the terms of**  
13 **office of only two Commissioners will end in any single year"; and**

14 **WHEREAS, Sandra Johnson was appointed to the TERO Commission with a term ending April 2007**  
15 **and continues to serve until her successor is appointed and qualified (Resolution No.**  
16 **04-330); and**

17 **WHEREAS, the Domestic Affairs Committee has been delegated authority to "review . . .**  
18 **appointments of . . . TERO Commissioners" (Plan of Operation for the Domestic Affairs**  
19 **Committee, Article III.D. as adopted by Legislative Order No. 01-431); and**

20 **WHEREAS, the Domestic Affairs Committee has interviewed qualified TERO Commission**  
21 **applicants, one of whom, when appointed, will serve a term commencing on the**  
22 **effective date of this resolution and ending April 30, 2010 or until his successor is**  
23 **appointed and qualified.**

24 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council hereby**  
25 **appoints Timothy Toro to the TERO Commission commencing upon the effective date**  
26 **of this resolution and ending April 30, 2010 or until his successor is appointed and**  
27 **qualified.**

28 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 17<sup>TH</sup>. Day**  
29 **of APRIL, 2009 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 1,327.0 FOR; 1,207.5**  
30 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [07]ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Section**  
31 **1 (b)&(c)(2) of Article VI of the Constitution of the Tohono O'Odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono**  
32 **O'Odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary -**  
33 **Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48**  
34 **Stat. 984).**

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TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Verlon M. Jose  
Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman

13<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2009

ATTEST:

Evonne Wilson  
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

17<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 13<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2009 at 2:50 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

Verlon M. Jose  
Verlon M. Jose, Legislative Chairman

APPROVED on the 14 day of May, 2009

DISAPPROVED at 3:20 o'clock, P.M.

Ned Norris, Jr.  
NED NORRIS, JR., CHAIRMAN  
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 14 day of

May, 2009, at 3:40 o'clock, P.M.

Evonne Wilson  
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPOINTING TIMOTHY TORO TO THE TERO COMMISSION FOR A TERM EXPIRING APRIL 30, 2010

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN OLIVIA VILLEGAS-LISTON

SECOND: COUNCILMAN CHESTER ANTONE

DATE: APRIL 17, 2009

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 ( <i>Absent</i> ) (Vernon Smith) ( <i>Present</i> )	158.45		X		
<b>CHUKUT KUK</b> 264.8	1. ETHEL GARCIA ( )	132.40		X		
	2. VERLON M. JOSE ( )	132.40		X		X
<b>GU ACHI</b> 227.9	1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Louis L. Johnson)	113.95	X			
	2. CYNTHIA E. MANUEL ( )	113.95	X			X
<b>GU VO</b> 199.2	1. GRACE MANUEL ( )	99.60	X			
	2. RAYMOND VICTOR ( )	99.60	X			X
<b>HICKIWAN</b> 172.0	1. MICHELLE ORTEGA ( )	86.00	X			X
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA (Louie Lopez)	86.00	X			
<b>PISINEMO</b> 182.4	1. CHESTER ANTONE (Tony Murrietta)	91.20	X			
	2. GERALD FAYUANT ( )	91.20	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			X
<b>SELLS</b> 444.7	1. KIMBERLY LISTO ( )	222.35		X		
	2. EVELYN B. JUAN MANUEL ( )	222.35		X		X
<b>SIF OIDAK</b> 194.4	1. WAVALENE ROMERO ( )	97.20	X			
	2. MARY LOPEZ ( )	97.20	X			X
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2,534.5</b>	<b>1,327.0</b>	<b>1,207.5</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>[07]</b>

\*\*PASSED VOTES