

LEGISLATIVE ORDER OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Filing Analysis and Arguments Regarding Initiative INT-01-14,
"Dissolution of the Hia Ced District")

LEGISLATIVE ORDER NO. 15-055

1 **WHEREAS, Article VI, Section 1(g) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation vests**
2 **the Legislative Council with authority "to enact laws and ordinances for**
3 **conducting and regulating elections"; and**

4 **WHEREAS, the Legislative Council has enacted 12 Tohono O'odham Code Chapter 1 -**
5 **Elections, which identifies the roles of the Tohono O'odham Election Board and**
6 **the Legislative Council in the initiative process; and**

7 **WHEREAS, pursuant to Elections law subsection 11305(D), the Election Board has certified**
8 **that Initiative Petition No. INT-01-14, "Dissolution of the Hia Ced District"**
9 **("Initiative") has received a minimum of three hundred valid signatures and the**
10 **Legislative Council has called a special election for April 25, 2015 to allow the**
11 **Tohono O'odham Nation's members to vote on the Initiative (Legislative Order**
12 **No. 15-043); and**

13 **WHEREAS, pursuant to subsection 11311(B),**
14 **Not later than 45 days preceding the election, the Council, after providing**
15 **reasonable opportunity for comments by all representatives, shall prepare**
16 **and file with the Board an analysis of the provisions of each ballot proposal**
17 **of a measure together with a list of popular arguments favoring and**
18 **opposing such proposal or measure. Each argument shall not exceed 300**
19 **words in length."**

20 **; and**

21 **WHEREAS, Legislative Council representatives were given a reasonable opportunity to**
22 **make such comments; and**

23 **WHEREAS, the Rules Committee has compiled the attached analysis and popular**
24 **arguments favoring and opposing the Initiative, which are incorporated by this**
25 **reference.**

26 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council directs the**
27 **Legislative Council secretary to file the analysis and popular arguments favoring**
28 **and opposing the Initiative in substantially the form attached with the Election**
29 **Board no later than March 11, 2015 as required pursuant to Elections law**
30 **subsection 11311(B).**

31 **BE IT FINALLY ORDERED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council's action in filing the**
32 **analysis and arguments is mandated by Elections law subsection 11311(B) and**
33 **does not represent the Council's support for or opposition to Initiative No. INT-**
34 **01-14, "Dissolution of the Hia Ced District."**

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1 **The foregoing Order was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 02TH day of**
2 **MARCH, 2015 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,926.9 FOR; -0-**
3 **AGAINST; 19.6[02] NOT VOTING; and [05] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council**
4 **by Article VI, Section 1(g); Article X, Section 7 and Article XV of the Constitution of the Tohono**
5 **O'odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved**
6 **by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986,**
7 **pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).**
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10 **TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

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13 **Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman**

14 10 day of March, 2015
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19 **ATTEST:**

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22 **Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary**

23 9 day of March, 2015
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ACTION: FILING ANALYSIS AND ARGUMENTS REGARDING INITIATIVE INT-01-14, "DISSOLUTION OF THE HIA CED DISTRICT"
MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN MARY LOPEZ **SECOND:** COUNCILMAN HILARION CAMPUS
DATE: MARCH 02, 2015

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
SIF OIDAK 224.2	1. LUCINDA ALLEN (Nicholas Jose)	112.1	X			
	2. MARY LOPEZ ()	112.1	X			
SELLS 502.0	1. ARTHUR WILSON (Ophelia Patten)	251.0	X			
	2. BARBARA HAVIER (Beverly Rivas)	251.0	X			
SCHUK TOAK 174.2	1. FRANCES B. STEPHENS (Anthony J. Rios)	87.1	X			
	2. QUINTIN C. LOPEZ (John Fendenhelm)	87.1	X			
SAN XAVIER 224.2	1. HILARION CAMPUS (Daniel L.A. Preston III)	112.1	X			
	2. RACHEAL VILSON-STONER(Absent) (Olivia Villegas-Liston) (Present)	112.1	X			X
SAN LUCY 219.6	1. DIANA MANUEL (Gloria Ramirez)	109.8	X			X
	2. JANA MONTANA ()	109.8	X			
PISINEMO 210.6	1. CHESTER ANTONE (Tony Murrietta)	105.3	X			
	2. EDWARD MANUEL, SR. ()	105.3	X		X	
HICKIWAN 196.9	1. LOUIS R. LOPEZ ()	98.45	X			
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA (Manuel Osequeda, Jr.)	98.45	X			X
HIA CED 19.6	1. PATRICK ANDREWS (Janice E. Paul)	9.8			X	X
	2. VIRGINIA GARCIA ()	9.8			X	
GU VO 241.0	1. GRACE MANUEL (Floyd Flores)	120.5	X			
	2. PAMELA ANGHILL (Jeffery Antone, Sr.)	120.5	X			
GU ACHI 257.3	1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN ()	128.65	X			
	2. LORETTA LEWIS (Louis Johnson)	128.65	X			
CHUKUT KUK 319.2	1. ETHEL GARCIA (Marlakay C. Henry)	159.6	X			X
	2. BILLMAN LOPEZ ()	159.6	X			
BABOQUIVARI 357.7	1. FRANCES MIGUEL (Roberta Harvey)	178.85	X			
	2. VERNON J. SMITH (Gloria Zazueta)	178.85	X			
TOTAL		2,946.5	2,926.9	-0-	19.6 [02]	[05]