

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Amending Resolution No. 11-441)**

RESOLUTION NO. 15-058

1 **WHEREAS, the Legislative Council is vested with the power to “consult, negotiate and**
2 **conclude agreements and contracts on behalf of the Tohono O’odham Nation**
3 **with Federal, State and local governments and other Indian tribes or their**
4 **departments, agencies, or political subdivisions, or with private persons or**
5 **organizations on all matters within the authority of the Tohono O’odham**
6 **Council” (Constitution of the Tohono O’odham Nation, Article VI, Section 1(f));**
7 **and**

8 **WHEREAS, the Nation and the State of Arizona have entered into a tribal-state gaming**
9 **compact (the “Compact”); and**

10 **WHEREAS, consistent with the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act, 25 U.S.C. § 2701 *et seq.*, the**
11 **Compact recognizes “gaming by Indian tribes as a means of promoting tribal**
12 **economic development, self-sufficiency, and strong tribal governments”**
13 **(Compact, Declaration of Policy and Purpose); and**

14 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O’odham Gaming Enterprise (“Gaming Enterprise”) has been**
15 **established as an enterprise of the Nation to conduct gaming activities in**
16 **accordance with the Compact; and**

17 **WHEREAS, as part of a comprehensive strategy to preserve existing tribal-state gaming**
18 **compacts and to counter the current horse and dog track campaign to**
19 **undermine tribal gaming, Arizona tribes have formed Arizonans for Tribal**
20 **Government Gaming, a nonprofit corporation (“ATG2”); and**

21 **WHEREAS, consistent with its commitment to preserve the Compact and to counter**
22 **activities that undermine tribal gaming, the Tohono O’odham Legislative**
23 **Council has previously authorized the contribution of financial support to ATG2**
24 **through the Nation’s Gaming Enterprise via Resolution No. 11-441; and**

25 **WHEREAS, the Nation’s Chairperson and Legislative Commerce Committee recommend**
26 **that the payment limit, set out in Resolution No. 11-441 be increased to \$100,000.**

27 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tohono O’odham Legislative Council that**
28 **Resolution No. 11-441 is amended to provide payments to ATG2 shall not exceed,**
29 **in the aggregate, \$100,000 in any given calendar year absent further approval of**
30 **the Legislative Council.**

31 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O’odham Legislative Council on the 02ND**
32 **day of MARCH, 2015 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,946.5 FOR; -0-**
33 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [04] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
34 **Article VI, Section 1(f) of the Constitution of the Tohono O’odham Nation, adopted by the**
35 **Tohono O’odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
36 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of**
37 **June 18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).**

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TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Timothy Joaquin

Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman

10 day of March, 2015

ATTEST:

Evonne Wilson

Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

10 day of March, 2015

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 10 day of March, 2015 at 8:31 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.

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Timothy Joaquin

Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman

APPROVED

on the 11 day of March, 2015

DISAPPROVED

at 4:55 o'clock, P.m.

Ned Norris, Jr.

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

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 12 day of

March, 2015, at 9:37 o'clock, a.m.

Evonne Wilson

Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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ACTION: AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 11-441

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN FRANCES MIGUEL

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN FRANCES B. STEPHENS

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 Fendenheim)	87.1	X			
SAN XAVIER 224.2	1. HILARION CAMPUS (Daniel L.A. Preston, III)	112.1	X			
	2. RACHEAL VILSON-STONER(Abs.) (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 Murrletta)	105.3	X			
	2. EDWARD MANUEL, SR. ()	105.3	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			
	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	2,946.5	-0-	-0-	[04]