

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving an Attorney Contract for FY2016 with the Law Firm of
Rusing Lopez & Lizardi, P.L.L.C.)

RESOLUTION NO. 15-409

1 **WHEREAS, the Office of Attorney General requires the legal services of the Rusing Lopez &**
2 **Lizardi law firm to represent the Tohono O'odham Nation in matters relating to**
3 **the West Valley Resort project; and**

4 **WHEREAS, the Attorney General has recommended an attorney contract for fiscal year 2016**
5 **for the period from October 1, 2015 to September 30, 2016; and**

6 **WHEREAS, the funding for this Attorney Contract will come from sources approved for such**
7 **purposes by the Legislative Council; and**

8 **WHEREAS, the Domestic Affairs Committee has reviewed this attorney contract and**
9 **recommends approval by the Legislative Council.**

10 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

- 11 **1. The Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the Attorney Contract**
12 **with the Rusing Lopez & Lizardi law firm for fiscal year 2016, for the**
13 **period from October 1, 2015 to September 30, 2016, substantially in the**
14 **form attached hereto.**
- 15 **2. Funding for the Attorney Contract will come from sources approved for**
16 **such purposes by the Legislative Council.**
- 17 **3. The Chairperson of the Nation is authorized to execute the Attorney**
18 **Contract.**

19 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 15TH**
20 **day of OCTOBER, 2015 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,612.2 FOR;**
21 **~~-0-~~ AGAINST; ~~-0-~~ NOT VOTING; and 409.2[07] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the**
22 **Council by Article VI, Section 2(a) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted**
23 **by the Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy**
24 **Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of**
25 **the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).**

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL



Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman

20 day of October, 2015

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1 **ATTEST:**

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4 **Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary**

5 19 day of October, 2015

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8 **Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono**
9 **O'odham Nation on the 20 day of October, 2015 at 11:52 o'clock, a .m.,**
10 **pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become**
11 **effective upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48**
12 **hours of submittal.**

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14 **TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

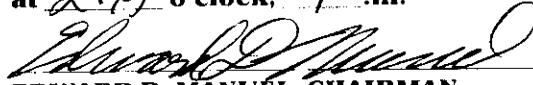
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17 **Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman**

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23 **APPROVED**

on the 21 day of October, 2015

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25 **DISAPPROVED**

at 2:15 o'clock, p .m.

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28 **EDWARD D. MANUEL, CHAIRMAN**
29 **TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION**

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36 **Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 21 day of**

37 October, 2015, at 3:04 o'clock, p .m.

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40 **Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary**

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ACTION: APPROVING AN ATTORNEY CONTRACT FOR FY2016 WITH THE LAW FIRM OF RUSING LOPEZ & LIZARDI, P.L.L.C.

MOVED: COUNCILMAN BILLMAN LOPEZ

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN FRANCES MIGUEL

DATE: OCTOBER 16, 2015

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 367.2	1. FRANCES MIGUEL (Roberta E. Harvey)	183.60	X			
	2. VERNON J. SMITH (Gloria Zazueta)	183.60	X			
CHUKUT KUK 332.1	1. ETHEL GARCIA (Mariakay K. Henry)	166.05	X			
	2. BILLMAN LOPEZ (Patricia Vicenti)	166.05	X			
GU ACHI 265.0	1. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Louis L. Johnson)	132.50	X			
	2. LORETTA LEWIS ()	132.50	X			X
GU VO 250.6	1. GRACE MANUEL (Dallas Lewis)	125.30	X			
	2. PAMELA ANGHILL (Jeffery Antone, Sr.)	125.30	X			
HICKIWAN 205.8	1. LOUIS R. LOPEZ (Shirley Molina)	102.90	X			
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ()	102.90	X			
PISINEMO 219.9	1. CHESTER ANTONE ()	109.95	X			
	2. MONICA K. MORGAN ()	109.95	X			X
SAN LUCY 226.5	1. DIANA MANUEL ()	113.25	X			
	2. JANA MONTANA (Gloria Ramirez)	113.25	X			
SAN XAVIER 228.6	1. DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III (Gene Enis)	114.30				X
	2. RACHEAL VILSON-STONER <i>(Absent)</i> (Olivia Villegas-Liston) <i>(Present)</i>	114.30				X
SCHUK TOAK 180.6	1. ANTHONY J. FRANCISCO JR. (Theresa Donahue)	90.30				X
	2. QUINTIN C. LOPEZ <i>(Absent)</i> (John Fendenheim) <i>(Present)</i>	90.30				X
SELLS 513.5	1. ARTHUR WILSON (Beverly Rivas)	256.75	X			
	2. BARBARA HAVIER ()	256.75	X			
SIF Oidak 231.6	1. LUCINDA ALLEN (Nicholas Jose)	115.80	X			X
	2. MARY LOPEZ ()	115.80	X			
TOTAL		3,021.4	2,612.2	-0-	-0-	409.2 [07]