

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving FY 2016 Apportionment of Mining Royalties by Equal Distribution)**

RESOLUTION NO. 16-017

1 **WHEREAS, the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation vests the Tohono O'odham**
2 **Legislative Council with broad legislative and fiscal powers, including the power**
3 **to manage any funds within the exclusive control of the Tohono O'odham**
4 **Nation, including proceeds derived from lands and resources of the Tohono**
5 **O'odham Nation (Constitution, Article VI, Section 1(d)(2); and**

6 **WHEREAS, the Budget and Finance Committee has discussed three options for the**
7 **distribution of mining royalties as follows: 1) equal distribution; 2) population**
8 **distribution; and 3) 50/50 distribution (½equal and ½ population); and**

9 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation Office of the Treasurer calculated the District**
10 **apportionment to be \$1,267,786.29 as of December 31, 2015; and**

11 **WHEREAS, the Office of the Treasurer presented to the Legislative Budget and Finance**
12 **Committee the Equal apportionment amounts in accordance with the FY 2016**
13 **District Mining Allocation schedule dated January 8, 2016, which is incorporated**
14 **by this reference and which includes net interest on the royalty amounts; and**

15 **WHEREAS, the District allocation is to be apportioned to separate District accounts and**
16 **made available for expenditure subject to budgets approved in accordance with**
17 **Article VI, Section 1(d)(2) and Article IX, Section 7 of the Nation's Constitution.**

18 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that it hereby**
19 **approves and authorizes the FY 2016 apportionment of mining royalties to the**
20 **Districts by Equal distribution in accordance with the FY2016 District Mining**
21 **Allocation schedule.**

22 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that it hereby authorizes**
23 **that such funds shall be made available for expenditure subject to budgets**
24 **approved in accordance with Article VI, Section 1(d)(2) and Article IX, Section 7**
25 **of the Nation's Constitution.**


26 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 12TH**
27 **day of JANUARY, 2016 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,175.8 FOR;**
28 **845.6 AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [03] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council**
29 **by Article VI, Section 1(d)(2) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by the**
30 **Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
31 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of**
32 **June 18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).**

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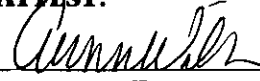
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TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL



Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman
15 day of January, 2016

ATTEST:



Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary
15 day of January, 2016

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 15 day of January, 2016 at 5:00 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



Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman

APPROVED

on the 20 day of January, 2016

DISAPPROVED

at 11:40 o'clock, A .m.



EDWARD D. MANUEL, CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 20 day of
January, 2016, at 12:21 o'clock, P .m.



Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING FY 2016 APPORTIONMENT OF MINING ROYALTIES BY EQUAL DISTRIBUTION

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN LORETTA LEWIS

SECOND: COUNCILMAN QUINTIN C. LOPEZ

DATE: JANUARY 12, 2016

| DISTRICT | LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES | # OF VOTES | FOR | AGAINST | NOT VOTING | ABSENT |
|----------------------|---|------------|---------|---------|------------|--------|
| BABOQUIVARI 367.2 | 1. FRANCES MIGUEL (<i>Absent</i>) (Roberta E. Harvey) (<i>Present</i>) | 183.60 | X | | | |
| | 2. VERNON J. SMITH (Gloria Zazueta) | 183.60 | X | | | |
| CHUKUT KUK 332.1 | 1. ETHEL GARCIA (Marlakay 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 | | | |
| 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 | | | X |
| PISINEMO 219.9 | 1. CHESTER ANTONE () | 109.95 | X | | | |
| | 2. MONICA K. MORGAN () | 109.95 | X | | | |
| SAN LUCY 226.5 | 1. DIANA MANUEL () | 113.25 | X | | | X |
| | 2. JANA MONTANA (Gloria Ramirez) | 113.25 | X | | | |
| SAN XAVIER 228.6 | 1. DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III () | 114.30 | X | | | |
| | 2. RACHEAL VILSON-STONER (<i>Absent</i>) (Olivia Villegas-Liston) (<i>Present</i>) | 114.30 | X | | | X |
| SCHUK TOAK 180.6 | 1. ANTHONY J. FRANCISCO JR. () | 90.30 | X | | | |
| | 2. QUINTIN C. LOPEZ (John Fendenheim) | 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 | | | |
| | 2. MARY LOPEZ () | 115.80 | X | | | |
| TOTAL | | 3,021.4 | 2,175.8 | 845.6 | -0- | [03] |