

LEGISLATIVE ORDER OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Repealing the Revised Legislative Branch Credit Card Policy)

LEGISLATIVE ORDER NO. 16-039

1 **WHEREAS, the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation vests the Legislative Council**
2 **with the power to manage the Nation's funds, and by Legislative Order No. 06-047**
3 **the Council has delegated authority to the Legislative Council chairperson or**
4 **vice-chairperson to "[a]pprove Legislative Branch expenditures" and to**
5 **"[a]llocate funds, staff, and other resources for the effective operation of the**
6 **Legislative Branch." (Constitution, Article V, Section 4 and Article VI, Section**
7 **1(d)); and**

8 **WHEREAS, the Legislative Council officers' delegation includes authority to manage and**
9 **administer budgeted funds for Legislative Branch operations, including the**
10 **management and use of Legislative Branch credit cards by Council officers and**
11 **authorized Legislative Branch staff; and**

12 **WHEREAS, in 1997 by Legislative Order No. 97-167, the Legislative Council approved the**
13 **Revised Legislative Branch Credit Card Policy; and**

14 **WHEREAS, the Revised Legislative Branch Credit Card Policy is outdated and provides for**
15 **the issuance of credit cards to all Council representatives, a practice that has**
16 **not been in effect for more than ten years; and**

17 **WHEREAS, it is in the Branch's interest to repeal the Revised Legislative Branch Credit Card**
18 **Policy and direct the Legislative Council chairperson to prepare and implement**
19 **an updated credit card policy to govern the use of credit cards issued to the**
20 **Legislative Council officers and administrative staff who are expressly**
21 **authorized by the chairperson; and**

22 **WHEREAS, the Legislative Council chairperson has conferred with the Budget and Finance**
23 **Committee and recommends that the Revised Legislative Branch Credit Card**
24 **Policy be repealed and replaced.**

25 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council repeals the**
26 **Revised Legislative Branch Credit Card Policy and directs the Legislative Council**
27 **chairperson to prepare and implement an updated credit card policy to govern**
28 **the use of credit cards issued to the Legislative Council officers and**
29 **administrative staff.**

30 **The foregoing Order was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 29TH day of**
31 **JANUARY, 2016 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 2,789.8 FOR; -0-**
32 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and 231.6[04] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council**
33 **by Article V, Section 4 and Article VI, Section 1(d) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham**
34 **Nation, adopted by the Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the**
35 **Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to**
36 **Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).**

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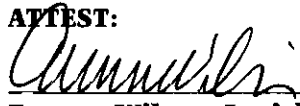
TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL



Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman

2 day of February, 2016

ATTEST:



Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

2 day of January, 2016

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ACTION: REPEALING THE REVISED LEGISLATIVE BRANCH CREDIT CARD POLICY

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN SANDRA ORTEGA

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN FRANCES MIGUEL

DATE: JANUARY 29, 2016

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 (Marlakay 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			X
	2. SANDRA ORTEGA ()	102.90	X			
PISINEMO 219.9	1. CHESTER ANTONE (Tony Murrietta)	109.95	X			
	2. MONICA K. MORGAN ()	109.95	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			X
	2. RACHEAL VILSON-STONER (Olivia Villegas-Liston)	114.30	X			
SCHUK TOAK 180.6	1. ANTHONY J. FRANCISCO JR. (Theresa Donahue)	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 (<i>Absent</i>) (Nicholas Jose) (<i>Present</i>)	115.80				X
	2. MARY LOPEZ ()	115.80				X
TOTAL		3,021.4	2,789.8	-0-	-0-	231.6 [04]