

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving Submission of Written Testimony to the House Appropriations
Subcommittee on Interior, Environment and Related Agencies)**

RESOLUTION NO. 16-102

1 **WHEREAS,** the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation vests the Legislative Council
2 with the authority to "promote, protect and provide for public health, peace,
3 morals, education and general welfare of the Tohono O'odham Nation and its
4 members" and to "consult with the Congress of the United States and
5 appropriate federal agencies regarding federal activities that affect the Tohono
6 O'odham Nation. . ." (Constitution, Article VI, Section 1(c)(2) and Section 1(j)); and

7 **WHEREAS,** the Nation's Government Comment Guidelines provides in part that written
8 comments that take a position supporting or opposing a federal, state or local
9 government action require Legislative Council approval (1 Tohono O'odham
10 Code Chapter 3, Section 3101(C)); and

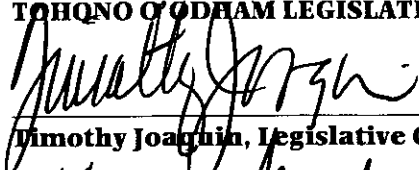
11 **WHEREAS,** the Nation has the opportunity to provide written and oral testimony on March
12 18, 2016 to the House Appropriations Subcommittee on Interior, Environment,
13 and Related Agencies regarding tribal funding needs; and

14 **WHEREAS,** it is in the Nation's best interest to submit written testimony, in substantially the
15 form attached, which addresses the Nation's funding needs for law enforcement,
16 roads, health and human services, and the Cooperative Fund.

17 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that it
18 approves the Nation's written testimony regarding the Nation's funding needs,
19 in substantially the form attached, for submission to the House Appropriations
20 Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies.

21 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 10TH**
22 **day of MARCH, 2016 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,021.4 FOR; -0-**
23 **AGAINST; [01] NOT VOTING; and [01] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
24 **Article VI, Section 1(c)(2) and Section 1(j) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation,**
25 **adopted by the Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting**
26 **Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section**
27 **16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).**

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30 **TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

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35 Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman

36 10 day of March, 2016
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1 ATTEST:

2 *Evonne Wilson*
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4 Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

5 10 day of March, 2016

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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 10 day of March, 2016 at 2:38 o'clock, P.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.

13 TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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15 *Timothy Joaquin*
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19 Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman

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24 APPROVED

on the 10 day of March, 2016

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at 6:42 o'clock, P.m.

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29 *Edward D. Manuel*
30 EDWARD D. MANUEL, CHAIRMAN
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36 Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 11 day of

37 March, 2016, at 8:49 o'clock, A.m.

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39 *Evonne Wilson*
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42 Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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ACTION: APPROVING SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN TESTIMONY TO THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON INTERIOR, ENVIRONMENT, AND RELATED AGENCIES

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN LUCINDA ALLEN

SECOND: COUNCILMAN CHESTER ANTONE

DATE: MARCH 10, 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 (<i>Absent</i>) (Marlakay K. Henry) (<i>Present</i>)	166.05	X			
	2. BILLMAN LOPEZ (<i>Absent</i>) (Patricia Vicenti) (<i>Present</i>)	166.05	X			
GUACHI 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 ()	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 ()	114.30	X			
	2. RACHEAL VILSON-STONER (Olivia Villegas-Liston)	114.30	X			
SCHUK TOAK 180.6	1. ANTHONY J. FRANCISCO JR. ()	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			
	2. MARY LOPEZ ()	115.80	X			X
TOTAL		3,021.4	3,021.4	-0-	[01]	[01]