RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O’ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
(Supporting S. 229 “Indian Programs Advance Appropriations Act”)  

RESOLUTION NO. 19-116  

WHEREAS, the Constitution of the Tohono O’odham Nation vests the Legislative Council with  
the authority to “promote, protect and provide for public health, peace, morals,  
education and general welfare of the Tohono O’odham Nation and its members”  
and to “consult with the Congress of the United States and appropriate federal  
agencies regarding federal activities that affect the Tohono O’odham Nation and  
all federal appropriation estimates and projects for the benefit of the Tohono  
O’odham Nation . . .” (Constitution, Article VI, Section 1(c)(2) and Section 1(j)); and  

WHEREAS, beginning December 22, 2018 through January 25, 2019, the U.S. Congress did not  
enact appropriations to fund numerous departments within the Executive  
Branch, including the Department of the Interior, Department of Housing and  
Urban Development, and Department of Homeland Security, resulting in what  
was commonly referred to as a partial government shutdown; and  

WHEREAS, for many tribes across the United States, the 2018-2019 partial government  
shutdown affected access to health care, services and programs provided by the  
Bureau of Indian Affairs, and financial reimbursements and funding for  
important tribal programs; and  

WHEREAS, on January 25, 2019, Senator Udall introduced S. 229 “Indian Programs Advance  
Appropriations Act,” which would authorize advance appropriations for the  
Department of the Interior Operation of Indian Programs, contract support  
costs, the Indian Guaranteed Loan Program Account, and advance  
appropriations for the Department of Health and Human Services, Indian Health  
Service; and  

WHEREAS, the Health and Human Services and Appropriations Committees reviewed S. 229  
and recommends its support.  

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O’odham Legislative Council supports S.  
229 “Indian Programs Advance Appropriations Act” or similar legislation that  
would provide advance annual appropriations for the Department of the Interior  
and Department of Health and Human Services for tribal programs funding.  

The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O’odham Legislative Council on the 04TH  
day of APRIL, 2019 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,084.6 FOR; -0-  
AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [03] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by  
Article VI, Section 1(c)(2) and Section 1(j) of the Constitution of the Tohono O’odham Nation,  
adopted by the Tohono O’odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy  
Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the  
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(Supporting S. 229 “Indian Programs Advance Appropriations Act”)
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TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman

8 day of April, 2019

ATTEST:

Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary
8 day of April, 2019

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 8 day of April, 2019 at 3:31 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

[口] APPROVED on the 9 day of April, 2019
at 5:25 o'clock, p.m.

[ ] DISAPPROVED

EDWARD D. MANUEL, CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 10 day of
April, 2019, at 8:00 o'clock, a.m.

Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary
**ACTION:** SUPPORTING S. 229 "INDIAN PROGRAMS ADVANCE APPROPRIATIONS ACT"

**MOVED:** COUNCILMAN DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III  
**SECOND:** COUNCILMAN ANTHONY J. FRANCISCO JR.

**DATE:** APRIL 04, 2019

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