

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
(Approving FY 2020 Attorney Contract between the Tohono O'odham Nation  
and The Clark Law Firm, P.C)**

**RESOLUTION NO. 19-460**

1 **WHEREAS, the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation vests the Legislative Council with**  
2 **the power to "employ legal counsel for the protection and advancement of the**  
3 **rights of the Tohono O'odham Nation" (Constitution, Article VI, Section 2(a)); and**

4 **WHEREAS, it is advisable that the Human Resources Department has available independent**  
5 **legal representation for employment issues in which the Office of Attorney**  
6 **General is unable to provide legal advice due to conflicts of interest; and**

7 **WHEREAS, the Human Resources Department has prepared and submitted for review and**  
8 **approval the FY 2020 Attorney Contract between the Tohono O'odham Nation and**  
9 **The Clark Law Firm, P.C. to provide legal representation to the Human Resources**  
10 **Department for the period beginning October 1, 2019 through September 30,**  
11 **2020; and**

12 **WHEREAS, the Human Resources Development and Domestic Affairs Committees have**  
13 **reviewed the Attorney Contract and recommend its approval.**

14 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the**  
15 **FY 2020 Attorney Contract between the Tohono O'odham Nation and The Clark**  
16 **Law Firm, P.C. for the period beginning October 1, 2019 through September 30,**  
17 **2020 in the amount of \$15,000.00, which shall be funded by the FY 2020 Human**  
18 **Resources Department Budget.**

19 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that the chairperson of**  
20 **the Nation is authorized to execute the Attorney Contract in substantially the**  
21 **form attached.**

22 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 04<sup>TH</sup>**  
23 **day of DECEMBER, 2019 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,175.7 FOR;**  
24 **-0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [02] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**  
25 **Article VI, Section 2(a) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by the**  
26 **Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**  
27 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**  
28 **18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).**

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

  
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Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman

6 day of December, 2019

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1 ATTEST:

2 [Signature]  
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4 Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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6 6 day of December, 2019

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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 6 day of December, 2019 at 9:50 o'clock, 9 .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

15 [Signature]  
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18 Timothy Joaquin, Legislative Chairman

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22  APPROVED

23 on the 9 day of December, 2019

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25  DISAPPROVED

26 at 8:35 o'clock, 6 .m.

27 [Signature]  
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29 NED NORRIS, JR., CHAIRMAN  
30 TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

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36 Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 9 day of  
37 December, 2019, at 10:32 o'clock, 9 .m.

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42 Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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**ACTION:** APPROVING FY 2020 ATTORNEY CONTRACT BETWEEN THE TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION AND THE CLARK LAW FIRM, P.C.

**Moved:** COUNCILWOMAN LUCINDA ALLEN

**SECOND:** COUNCILWOMAN GRACE MANUEL

**DATE:** DECEMBER 04, 2019

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 384.8	1. LEANDER MASE (Francine Schooling)	192.40	X			
	2. ALBERTA J. RAY (Frances G. Antone)	192.40	X			
CHUKUT KUK 347.5	1. VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS (Juanita Homer)	173.75	X			
	2. MARLAKAY HENRY (Billman Lopez)	173.75	X			
GUACHI 279.3	1. VICTORIA HOBBS ( )	139.65	X			
	2. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Louis L. Johnson)	139.65	X			
GU VO 264.5	1. DALLAS LEWIS (Nacho Flores)	132.25	X			
	2. GRACE MANUEL ( )	132.25	X			
HICKIWAN 213.8	1. SANDRA D. ORTEGA ( )	106.90	X			X
	2. LOUIS R. LOPEZ (Delma M. Garcia)	106.90	X			
PISINEMO 230.7	1. MONICA K. MORGAN ( )	115.35	X			
	2. MARIETTA MARTIN ( )	115.35	X			
SAN LUCY 235.6	1. GLORIA RAMIREZ ( )	117.80	X			
	2. JANA MONTANA (Lorraine M. Eiler)	117.80	X			
SAN XAVIER 238.9	1. JANICE FELIX <i>(Absent)</i> (Adam Andrews) <i>(Present)</i>	119.45	X			
	2. DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III <i>(Absent)</i> (Racheal Vilson-Stoner) <i>(Present)</i>	119.45	X			
SCHUK TOAK 189.0	1. QUINTIN C. LOPEZ (Agnes V. Joaquin)	94.50	X			
	2. TERESA F. DONAHUE (Alberta Espinoza)	94.50	X			
SELLS 547.1	1. EVELYN JUAN MANUEL ( )	273.55	X			
	2. ARTHUR WILSON ( )	273.55	X			
SIF OIDAK 244.5	1. LUCINDA ALLEN (Yolonda Garcia)	122.25	X			
	2. MARY LOPEZ (Ann M. Garcia)	122.25	X			X
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>3,175.7</b>	<b>3175.7</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>[02]</b>