

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving FY 2024 Attorney Contracts for Gaming)**

RESOLUTION NO. 23-401

1 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council is authorized "to manage any funds**
2 **within the exclusive control of the Tohono O'odham Nation . . . and to appropriate**
3 **these funds for the benefit of the Nation and its members" provided that "[a]ll**
4 **expenditures of these funds shall be pursuant to appropriations or budgets"**
5 **authorized by resolution or ordinance (Constitution of the Tohono O'odham**
6 **Nation, Article VI, Section 1(d)(2)); and**

7 **WHEREAS, the Office of Attorney General has prepared and submitted for review and**
8 **approval the FY 2024 Attorney Contracts for Gaming ("Attorney Contracts"), which**
9 **is incorporated by this reference; and**

10 **WHEREAS, there are two Attorney Contracts with firms, for the purposes, and for the**
11 **amounts indicated in attached Exhibit A;**

12 **WHEREAS, fees for services for these two Attorney Contracts will be paid out of the Tohono**
13 **O'odham Gaming Enterprise ("TOGE") budget, pursuant to Title 16 TOC Chapter 2,**
14 **Section 7(b)(6); and**

15 **WHEREAS, The Domestic Affairs and Gaming Negotiating Committees have reviewed the two**
16 **FY 2024 Attorney Contracts and recommends their approval.**

17 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council:**

- 18 **1. Approves the two Attorney Contracts for FY 2024 which shall be funded by**
19 **the TOGE, pursuant to Title 16 TOC Chapter 2, Section 7(b)(6) and shall be**
20 **effective from October 1, 2023 to September 30, 2024;**
- 21 **2. Authorizes the Tohono O'odham Nation Chairperson to execute the two**
22 **Attorney Contracts in substantially the form attached;**
- 23 **3. Authorizes the Chairman of the Nation or any designated official to**
24 **administer the two Attorney Contracts, provided that any amendments or**
25 **modifications shall be submitted for prior approval by the Tohono**
26 **O'odham Nation Legislative Council.**

27 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 10TH**
28 **day of OCTOBER 2023 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,263.3 FOR; -0-**
29 **AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and -0- ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
30 **Article VI, Section 1(d)(2) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by the**
31 **Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
32 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**
33 **18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).**

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TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Wavalene M. Saunders
Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

11 day of October, 2023

ATTEST:

Evonne Wilson
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

11 day of October, 2023

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 11 day of October, 2023 at 4:49 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

Wavalene M. Saunders
Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

APPROVED on the 11 day of October, 2023

DISAPPROVED at 8:03 o'clock, P.m.

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VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 12 day of
October, 2023, at 9:49 o'clock, A.m.

Evonne Wilson
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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ACTION: APPROVING FY 2024 ATTORNEY CONTRACTS FOR GAMING

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN JANICE FELIX

SECOND: COUNCILMAN TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN

DATE: OCTOBER 10, 2023

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 394.2	1. LEANDER MASE (Francine Schooling) 2. JESSE NAVARRO (Alberta J. Ray)	197.1 197.1	X X			
CHUKUT KUK 354.7	1. VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS (Cornelius Antone) 2. MARLAKAY HENRY ()	177.35 177.35	X X			
GU ACHI 282.7	1. VICTORIA HOBBS (Tonya L. Joaquin) 2. TIMOTHY L. JOAQUIN (Jerome L. Joaquin)	141.35 141.35	X X			
GU VO 276.0	1. DALLAS LEWIS () 2. LESLIE LUNA (Grace Manuel)	138.0 138.0	X X			
HICKIWAN 220.5	1. DELMA M. GARCIA () 2. LOUIS R. LOPEZ (Loretta A. Ortega)	110.25 110.25	X X			
PISINEMO 236.2	1. EDWARD D. MANUEL (Monica Morgan) 2. PAMELA J. BENAVIDEZ (Nora J. Ruelas)	118.1 118.1	X X			
SAN LUCY 257.6	1. ROGER MANUEL (Christina Andrews) 2. GLORIA M. RAMIREZ (Lorraine M. Eiler)	128.8 128.8	X X			
SAN XAVIER 244.5	1. JANICE FELIX () 2. DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III ()	122.25 122.25	X X			
SCHUK TOAK 191.8	1. DELISA M. RAMON (Sharon A. Francisco) 2. THEORIA CAMPILLO (Rebecca Ann Valentine)	95.9 95.9	X X			
SELLS 558.0	1. EVELYN JUAN-MANUEL (Arvada Liston) 2. JANET B. ELEANDO ()	279.0 279.0	X X			
SIF OIDAK 247.1	1. LUCINDA ALLEN (Francis Homewytewa) 2. WAVALENE M. SAUNDERS (Mary Lopez)	123.55 123.55	X X			
	TOTAL	3,263.30	3,263.3	-0-	-0-	-0-