

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving FY 2025 Water Resources Department Southern Arizona Water
Rights Settlement Act Budget)**

RESOLUTION NO. 24-295

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 Water Resources Department has prepared and submitted for review and**
8 **approval its FY 2025 Southern Arizona Water Rights Settlement Act ("SAWRSA")**
9 **Budget, which is incorporated by this reference, in the amount of \$2,146,982.80 to**
10 **be funded by the SAWRSA Trust Fund; and**

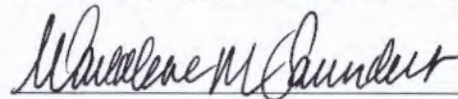
11 **WHEREAS, the Water Resources and Budget and Finance Committees have reviewed the FY**
12 **2025 Water Resources Department SAWRSA Budget and recommend its approval.**

13 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the**
14 **FY 2025 Water Resources Department SAWRSA Budget effective October 1, 2024,**
15 **in amount of \$2,146,982.80, which shall be funded by the SAWRSA Trust Fund.**

16 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that the Tohono O'odham**
17 **Nation chairperson or any designated official is authorized to administer and**
18 **expend the FY 2025 Water Resources Department SAWRSA Budget, provided that**
19 **any amendments or modifications shall be submitted for prior approval by the**
20 **Tohono O'odham Legislative Council.**

21 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 16TH**
22 **day of SEPTEMBER 2024 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,263.3 FOR;**
23 **-0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [03] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
24 **Article VI, Section 1(d)(2) and (3) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by**
25 **the Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
26 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**
27 **18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).**

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL



Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

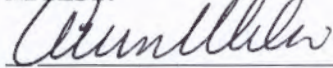
23 day of September, 2024

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1 ATTEST:

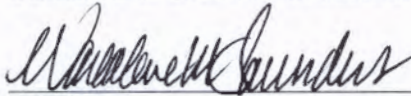
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4 Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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6 23 day of September, 2024

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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 23 day of September, 2024 at 11:25 o'clock, a.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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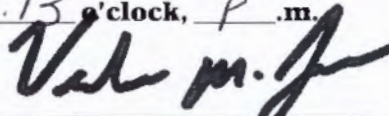
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18 Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

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23 APPROVED

24 on the 24th day of September, 2024

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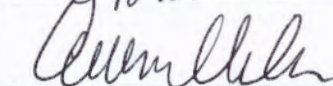
26 at 3:13 o'clock, p.m.

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30 VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN
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35 Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 24 day of

36 September, 2024, at 4:23 o'clock, p.m.

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41 Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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ACTION: APPROVING FY 2025 WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT SOUTHERN ARIZONA WATER RIGHTS SETTLEMENT ACT BUDGET

MOVED: COUNCILMAN JEROME F. JOAQUIN

SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN JANICE FELIX

DATE: SEPTEMBER 16, 2024

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 (<i>Absent</i>) (Cornelius Antone) (<i>Present</i>) 2. MARLAKAY HENRY ()	177.35 177.35	X X			
GUACHI 282.7	1. VICTORIA HOBBS (Tonya L. Joaquin) 2. JEROME F. JOAQUIN ()	141.35 141.35	X X			
GUVO 276.0	1. DALLAS LEWIS () 2. LESLIE LUNA ()	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			X
PISINEMO 236.2	1. EDWARD D. MANUEL () 2. PAMELA J. BENAVIDEZ (Nora J. Ruelas)	118.1 118.1	X X			
SAN LUCY 257.6	1. ROGER MANUEL (<i>Absent</i>) (Christina Andrews) (<i>Present</i>) 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			X
SCHUK TOAK 191.8	1. DELISA M. RAMON (Sharon A. Francisco) 2. THEORIA CAMPILLO (Rebecca Ann Valentine)	95.9 95.9	X 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. FRANCIS HOMEWYTEWA () 2. WAVALENE M. SAUNDERS (Mary Lopez)	123.55 123.55	X X			
	TOTAL	3,263.30	3,263.3	-0-	-0-	[03]