

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving FY 2025 Department of Public Safety Environmental Protection
Office General Assistance Program Project Budget)**

RESOLUTION NO. 24-303

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 Department of Public Safety has prepared and submitted for review and**
8 **approval its FY 2025 Environmental Protection Office General Assistance**
9 **Program Project Budget, which is incorporated by this reference, in the amount**
10 **of \$399,727.79 to be funded by the Nation's general fund pending reimbursement**
11 **from the grantor, Indian General Assistance Program of the U.S. Environmental**
12 **Protection Agency; and**

13 **WHEREAS, the Domestic Affairs and Budget and Finance Committees have reviewed the FY**
14 **2025 Department of Public Safety Environmental Protection Office General**
15 **Assistance Program Project Budget and recommend its approval.**

16 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the**
17 **FY 2025 Department of Public Safety Environmental Protection Office General**
18 **Assistance Program Project Budget effective October 1, 2024 in the amount of**
19 **\$399,727.79, which shall be funded by the Nation's general fund pending**
20 **reimbursement from the grantor, Indian General Assistance Program of the U.S.**
21 **Environmental Protection Agency.**

22 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that the Tohono O'odham**
23 **Nation chairperson or any designated official is authorized to administer and**
24 **expend the FY 2025 Department of Public Safety Environmental Protection Office**
25 **General Assistance Program Project Budget, provided that any amendments or**
26 **modifications shall be submitted for prior approval by the Tohono O'odham**
27 **Legislative Council.**

28 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 16TH**
29 **day of SEPTEMBER 2024 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,263.3 FOR;**
30 **-0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [02] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**
31 **Article VI, Section 1(d)(2) and (3) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by**
32 **the Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant**
33 **Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June**
34 **18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).**

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TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Wavalene M. Saunders
Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman
23 day of September, 2024

ATTEST:

Evonne Wilson
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary
23 day of September, 2024

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 23 day of September, 2024 at 11:30 o'clock, a.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 24th day of September, 2024

DISAPPROVED at 3:36 o'clock, p.m.

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VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 24 day of
September, 2024, at 4:23 o'clock, p.m.

Evonne Wilson
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

**ACTION: APPROVING FY 2025 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION OFFICE
GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM PROJECT BUDGET**

MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN JANICE FELIX

SECOND: VICE CHAIRWOMAN MARLAKAY HENRY

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			
GU ACHI 282.7	1. VICTORIA HOBBS (Tonya L. Joaquin) 2. JEROME F. JOAQUIN ()	141.35 141.35	X X			
GU VO 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. Ruclas)	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			
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-	[02]