

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
(Approving FY 2025 - FY 2027 Attorney Contracts for the Office of Attorney General)**

**RESOLUTION NO. 24-341**

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

5 **WHEREAS, the Office of Attorney General has prepared and submitted for review and**  
6 **approval its FY 2025 - FY 2027 Attorney Contracts ("Attorney Contracts") with**  
7 **eleven firms, for the purposes and for the amounts indicated in attached Exhibit**  
8 **A; and**

9 **WHEREAS, fees for services for these eleven Attorney Contracts will be paid by the FY 2025 -**  
10 **FY 2027 Office of Attorney General Budgets; and**

11 **WHEREAS, the Domestic Affairs Committee has reviewed the eleven FY 2025 - FY 2027**  
12 **Attorney Contracts and recommends approval.**

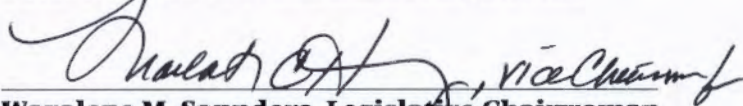
13 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council:**

- 14 **1. Approves the eleven Attorney Contracts for FY 2025 - FY 2027 for the Office of**  
15 **Attorney General, which shall be funded from the Office of the Attorney**  
16 **General Budget and shall be effective from October 1, 2024 to September 30,**  
17 **2027.**
- 18 **2. Authorizes the Tohono O'odham Nation Chairperson to execute the eleven**  
19 **Attorney Contracts in substantially the form attached.**
- 20 **3. Authorizes the Chairman of the Nation or any designated official to**  
21 **administer the eleven Attorney Contracts, provided that any amendments or**  
22 **modifications shall be submitted for prior approval by the Tohono O'odham**  
23 **Nation Legislative Council.**
- 24 **4. Although the Attorney Contracts are multi-year contracts, they still require**  
25 **Legislative Council budget approval for each fiscal year and are contingent on**  
26 **the availability of funds as set forth in the Contracts.**

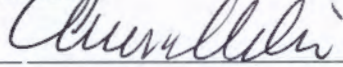
27 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 08<sup>TH</sup>**  
28 **day of OCTOBER 2024 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,263.3 FOR; -0-**  
29 **AGAINST; [01] NOT VOTING; and [02] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**  
30 **Article VI, Section 2(a) 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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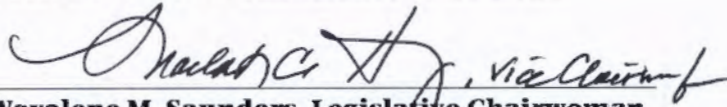
  
Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman  
11<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2024

ATTEST:

  
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary  
11 day of October, 2024

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of OCTOBER, 2024 at 4:05 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.

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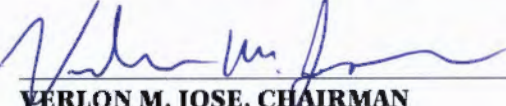
  
Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

APPROVED

on the 14 day of October, 2024

DISAPPROVED

at 3:52 o'clock, p.m.

  
VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN  
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 15 day of

October, 2024, at 10:15 o'clock, a.m.

  
Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

ACTION: APPROVING FY 2025 - FY 2027 ATTORNEY CONTRACTS FOR THE OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL

MOVED: COUNCILMAN LEANDER MASE

SECOND: COUNCILMAN JEROME F. JOAQUIN

DATE: OCTOBER 08, 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 (Cornelius Antone) 2. MARLAKAY HENRY ( )	177.35 177.35	X 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			
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 (Christina Andrews) 2. GLORIA M. RAMIREZ (Lorraine M. Eiler)	128.8 128.8	X 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			
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			
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,263.30</b>	<b>3,263.3</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>[01]</b>	<b>[02]</b>