

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
(Approving Amendment No. 1 to Demolition Agreement Between the Tohono  
O'odham Legislative Branch and Axios Builders LLC)**

**RESOLUTION NO. 25-034**

1 **WHEREAS,** the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation vests the Legislative Council with  
2 the power to "negotiate and conclude agreements and contracts on behalf of the  
3 Tohono O'odham Nation... with private persons or organizations on all matters  
4 within the authority of the Tohono O'odham Council" (Constitution, Article VI,  
5 Section 1(f)); and

6 **WHEREAS,** the Council has prescribed the duties and powers of the Council Chairperson and  
7 Vice Chairperson (collectively, "legislative officers") by adopting the Legislative  
8 Rules and by passing Legislative Order No. 06-047, "Amended Delegation of  
9 Authority to Legislative Council Chairperson and Vice Chairperson"; and

10 **WHEREAS,** the Legislative Council by Resolution No. 08-707 enacted and codified Title 26,  
11 Article 4, Section 1405 of the Nation's Code, which vests the Legislative Council  
12 Chairperson with the authority to negotiate, execute, and conclude contracts that  
13 expend funds pursuant to appropriations or budgets authorized by resolution,  
14 that are within the authorities delegated to the Council Chairperson and Vice  
15 Chairperson by the Legislative Council, and in amounts not to exceed \$100,000;  
16 and

17 **WHEREAS,** the Legislative Council by Resolution No. 22-311 approved the FY 2022-FY 2025  
18 Legislative Branch American Rescue Plan Act Budget, as amended by Resolution  
19 No. 24-362 and renamed FY 2025-FY 2027 Legislative Branch American Rescue  
20 Plan Act Budget, which includes funding to cover all costs associated with the  
21 construction of the Legislative Branch replacement building; and

22 **WHEREAS,** the Legislative Council by Resolution No. 24-264 approved the Agreement  
23 Between the Tohono O'odham Legislative Branch and Axios Builders LLC ("the  
24 Agreement") for the demolition of the existing Tohono O'odham Legislative  
25 Building; and

26 **WHEREAS,** the Legislative Council chairperson has submitted for review and approval  
27 Amendment No. I to the Agreement extending the end date to June 27, 2025, which  
28 is incorporated by this reference; and

29 **WHEREAS,** the Legislative Council chairperson has reviewed Amendment No. 1 to the  
30 Agreement and recommends approval.

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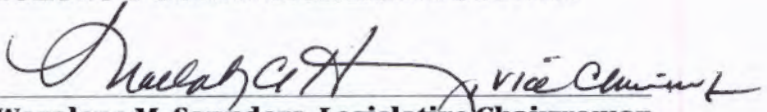
1 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves**  
2 **Amendment No. 1 to the Agreement in substantially the form attached, extending**  
3 **the end date to June 27, 2025.**

4 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that the Agreement shall**  
5 **be funded by the amended FY 2025-FY 2027 Legislative Branch American Rescue**  
6 **Plan Act Budget.**

7 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council authorizes the**  
8 **Legislative Council chairperson to execute the Agreement.**

9 **The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 11<sup>TH</sup>**  
10 **day of FEBRUARY 2025 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,263.3 FOR;**  
11 **-0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [01] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by**  
12 **Article VI, Section 1(f) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono**  
13 **O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary -**  
14 **Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934**  
15 **(48 Stat.984).**

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17 **TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

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21 **Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman**  
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23 14<sup>TH</sup> day of February, 2025

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26 **ATTEST:**  
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29 **Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary**

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31 13 day of February, 2025

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33 **Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono**  
34 **O'odham Nation on the 14<sup>TH</sup> day of February, 2025 at 8:54 o'clock, A .m.,**  
35 **pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become**  
36 **effective upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48**  
37 **hours of submittal.**

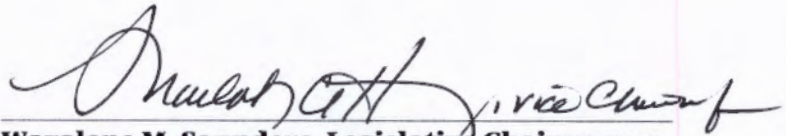
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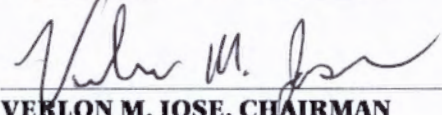
  
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Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

] APPROVED

on the 14 day of February, 2025

] DISAPPROVED

at 11:43 o'clock, a. .m.

  
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VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN  
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of

\_\_\_\_\_, 2025, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock, \_\_\_\_\_ .m.

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Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

**ACTION: APPROVING AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO DEMOLITION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE BRANCH AND AXIOS BUILDERS LLC****Moved: COUNCILWOMAN JANICE FELIX****Second: COUNCILMAN LEANDER MASE****DATE: FEBRUARY 11, 2025**

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			
GUACHI 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. 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. FRANCIS HOMEWYTEWA ( ) 2. WAVALENE M. SAUNDERS (Mary Lopez)	123.55 123.55	X X			
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,263.3</b>	<b>3,263.3</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>-0-</b>	<b>[01]</b>