

RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving FY 2026 Department of Health and Human Services Division of Health
Transportation Service Program Revenue Funding Budget)

RESOLUTION NO. 25-327

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 Health and Human Services has prepared and submitted for**
8 **review and approval its FY 2026 Division of Health Transportation Service**
9 **Program Revenue Funding Budget, which is incorporated by this reference, in the**
10 **amount of \$4,338,123.32 of which \$3,787,099.32 to be funded from the Nation's**
11 **General Fund, and \$494,774.00 is funded from program revenues, and \$56,250.00**
12 **is funded from miscellaneous revenues; and**

13 **WHEREAS, the portion of the FY 2026 Department of Health and Human Services Division of**
14 **Health Transportation Service Budget to be funded from the Nation's general**
15 **fund is addressed by separate resolution; and**

16 **WHEREAS, the Health and Human Services and Budget and Finance Committees have**
17 **reviewed the FY 2026 Department of Health and Human Services Division of**
18 **Health Transportation Service Program Revenue Funding Budget and**
19 **recommend its approval.**

20 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the**
21 **FY 2026 Department of Health and Human Services Division of Health**
22 **Transportation Service Program Revenue Funding Budget effective October 1,**
23 **2025 in the amount of \$494,774.00 which shall be funded by Health**
24 **Transportation Service program revenues, and \$56,250.00 which shall be funded**
25 **by miscellaneous revenues**

26 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that the Tohono O'odham**
27 **Nation chairperson or any designated official is authorized to administer and**
28 **expend the FY 2026 Department of Health and Human Services Division of Health**
29 **Transportation Service Program Revenue Funding Budget, provided that any**
30 **amendments or modifications shall be submitted for prior approval by the**
31 **Tohono O'odham Legislative Council.**
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The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 16th day of SEPTEMBER 2025 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,321,1 FOR; -0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [02] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by Article VI, Section 1(d)(2) and (3) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by the Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL


Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

23rd day of September, 2025

ATTEST:

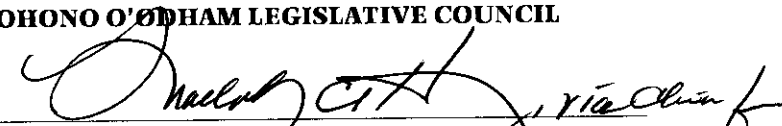


Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

23 day of September, 2025

Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono O'odham Nation on the 23rd day of September, 2025 at 2:47 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

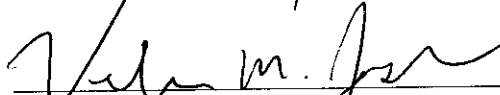

Wavalene M. Saunders, Legislative Chairwoman

☒ APPROVED

☐ DISAPPROVED

on the 24 day of September, 2025

at 6:50 o'clock, p.m.



VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

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Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 25 day of
September, 2025, at 1043 o'clock, A.m.

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Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

**ACTION: APPROVING FY 2026 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES DIVISION OF HEALTH
TRANSPORTATION SERVICE PROGRAM REVENUE FUNDING BUDGET****MOVED: COUNCILMAN DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III****SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN JANICE FELIX****DATE: SEPTEMBER 16, 2025**

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
SIF OIDAK 251.2	1. WAVALENE M. SAUNDERS (Mary Lopez) 2. FRANCIS HOMEWYTEWA ()	125.6 125.6	X X			
SELLS 565.7	1. JANET B. ELEANDO () 2. EVELYN JUAN MANUEL (Juan Buendia)	282.85 282.85	X X			
SCHUK TOAK 195.3	1. THEORIA CAMPILLO (Rebecca Ann Valentine) 2. DELISA M. RAMON (Quintin C. Lopez)	97.65 97.65	X X			
SAN XAVIER 249.8	1. DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III () 2. JANICE FELIX ()	124.9 124.9	X X			
SAN LUCY 266.3	1. GLORIA M. RAMIREZ (Lorraine M. Eiler) 2. ROGER MANUEL (Christina Andrews)	133.15 133.15	X X			
PISINEMO 240.3	1. PAMELA J. BENAVIDEZ (Nora J. Ruelas) 2. NAOMI MONTE (Edward D. Manuel)	120.15 120.15	X X			
HICKIWAN 222.9	1. LOUIS R. LOPEZ (Loretta A. Ortega) 2. DELMA M. GARCIA ()	111.45 111.45	X X			
GU VO 279.6	1. LESLIE LUNA () 2. BENNETT CHEWING ()	139.8 139.8	X X			
GU ACHI 289.2	1. JEROME F. JOAQUIN (Gloria Johnson) 2. LUCIUS E. LOPEZ (Victoria A. Hobbs)	144.6 144.6	X X			
CHUKUT KUK 361.9	1. MARLAKAY HENRY () 2. VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS (Cornelius Antone)	180.95 180.95	X X			X
BABOQUIVARI 398.9	1. JESSE NAVARRO (Alberta J. Ray) 2. NED NORRIS, JR (Leander Mase)	199.45 199.45	X X			X
TOTAL		3,321.1	3,321.1	-0-	-0-	[02]